

UNEP Global Mercury Partnership 3rd Waste Management Partnership Area Meeting

Provisional Agenda

1. Opening of the Meeting.
 2. Election of Chair
 3. Adoption of the agenda
 4. Introduction: Results of PAG5 and Diplomatic Conference
 5. Directions of activities under the Waste Management Partnership Area towards supporting countries as they ratify and implement the Minamata Convention on Mercury
 - Current activities and challenges for the reduction of mercury releases from waste
 6. Collaboration possibilities with other partnership areas, local authorities and private sectors
 7. Good Practices for Management of Mercury Releases from Waste: Relevant Documents
 - Updating the Basel Convention 'Technical Guidelines for the ESM of Wastes Consisting of Elemental Mercury and Wastes Containing or Contaminated with Mercury'
 - Development of UNEP's 'Practical Sourcebook on Mercury Storage and Disposal'
 - Future work on the 'Good Practice Document'
 8. Taking action on implementing Waste Management Partnership Area's Future Projects (development of 'Wish List', funds and schemes for project implementation)
 9. Closure of the meeting.
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