



**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**  
**West Asia Regional Major Groups and Stakeholders Consultation**  
**Amman, Jordan, 25-26 September 2017**

<b>Day One</b>		
<b>Monday 25 September</b>		
0900-0930	-	<i>Arrival and Registration</i>
0930-1000	-	Opening Remarks and Welcome by UN Environment West Asia office Tour de Table and election of a team of rapporteurs for the 2 days meeting Review of Agenda Group photo
1000-1100	-	<b>Session 1: Updates from UNEA-2</b> Feedback from previous Regional Representatives on UNEA-2, their experience and recommendations for enhancing West Asia engagement <i>Ms. Marie-Therese Seif, Regional Representative to UNEA-2</i> <i>Mr. Tareq Hassan, Regional Representative to UNEA-2</i>
1100-1130	-	<i>Coffee Break</i>
1130-1330	-	<b>Session 2: Preparing for UNEA-3</b> Updates from the UN Environment Civil Society Unit on UNEA preparations and other updates <i>Ms. Laetitia Zobel, UN Environment</i>  UNEA-3 Theme "Pollution": The development of the Pollution Paper, its main chapters and focus and identifying key messages and the priorities as part of the regional statement to UNEA-3 <i>Ms. Melanie Hutchinson, UN Environment</i>  <i>Discussion facilitated by Dr. Mohamed Aly, Gulf Research Centre, and member of the Major Groups Facilitating Committee</i>
1330-1430	-	<i>Lunch</i>
1430-1630	-	<b>Session 3: Global and Regional Initiatives</b> The AFED Report "Arab Environment in 10 Years" – highlights from the report and engagement in the AFED Conference <i>Mr. Najib Saab, Secretary General, Arab Forum on Environment and Development</i>  The Global Compact on Migration <i>Introduced by Melanie Hutchinson, UN Environment</i>  <i>Discussion facilitated by Mr. Tareq Hassan, Regional Representative to UNEA-2</i>
1630-1700	-	<b>Session 4: Outcomes of the Major Groups Survey</b> <i>Introduced by Dr. Mohamed Aly, Mr. Tareq Hasan and Ms. Marie-Therese Seif</i>

1700	-	Close of Day One
<b>Day Two</b>		
<b>Tuesday 26 September</b>		
0900-0930	-	Recap from Day One and introduction of the Agenda of the day <i>Elected rapporteurs of Day One</i>
0930-1100	-	<b>Session 5: Developing the Regional Inputs to UNEA-3</b> Working Group exercises on enhanced engagement with UN Environment and UNEA by the regional MGS and options of preparation and engagement in the lead up to and during UNEA-3 (regional statement, inputs to the commitments and pledges platform) <i>Facilitated by Dr. Mohamed Aly, Mr. Tareq Hasan and Ms. Marie-Therese Seif</i>
1100-1130	-	Coffee Break
1130-1300	-	<b>Session 5 continued: Developing the Regional Inputs to UNEA-3</b> Working Group exercises on enhanced engagement with UN Environment and UNEA by the regional MGS and options of preparation and engagement in the lead up to and during UNEA-3 (regional statement, inputs to the commitments and pledges platform) <i>Facilitated by Dr. Mohamed Aly, Mr. Tareq Hasan and Ms. Marie-Therese Seif</i>
1300-1400	-	Lunch
1400-1530	-	<b>Session 5: The Regional Statement</b> Finalisation of the Regional Statement and Way Forward <i>Facilitated by Dr. Mohamed Aly, Mr. Tareq Hasan and Ms. Marie-Therese Seif</i>
1530-1600	-	<b>Session 6: Commitments from the region</b> Discussion of suggested NGO pledges and commitments from the region <i>Facilitated by Ms. Melanie Hutchinson and Ms. Laetitia Zobel, UN Environment</i>
1600		Close of Meeting