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Major Groups and Stakeholders

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Introduction:

The UNEP civil society unit and the West Asia regional Accredited Major Groups and Stakeholder held an election to nominate the New Regional Facilitators which was between March -May 2020. The new Regional facilitators has been elected and named on 30th May 2020 as follows:

1. Tareq Hassan
2. Fatema Frutan

Achievements Activities (May – December 2020):

- ❖ Participated at the Virtual preparatory forum for UNEA-5 and Global Major Groups and Stakeholders, 7-10 June 2020, Oslo, Norway.
- ❖ Organize Virtual Meeting on the Priorities and Challenges of the West Asia Major Groups and Stakeholders with accredited MGS of the region. Monday 10th August 2020.
- ❖ Launch two statement regarding Beirut Explosion and SAFER FSO Ship in Yemen.
- ❖ Participation in two official meetings with the UNEP Regional office of the West Asia region and others non official meetings.
- ❖ Participated at the online Meeting of MGS with UNEA Presidency 8TH October 2020.
- ❖ Organize a Regional meeting among the UNEP's West Asia accredited MGS on 21th October 2020.
- ❖ Participated virtually at the 7th Annual Subcommittee Meeting 12 October to 16 October 2020.

- ❖ Participated at the online MGSF meeting with UNEP Executive director H.E Inger Andersen.
- ❖ Participated at the online meeting of MGSF dialogue with the CPR and UNEA Bureaus.
- ❖ Organize Virtual Meeting for the West Asia Major Groups and Stakeholders with accredited MGS of the region on 21th October 2020.
- ❖ Lunch UNEP's West Asia Accredited Major Groups and Stakeholders information Survey November 2020.
- ❖ Participated and organized the Online meeting on procedural and practical matters for West Asia based on the Stakeholder Engagement Handbook with West Asia regional office and UNEP's CSOs unit. 18th November 2020.
- ❖ Preparty meetings with UNEP's CSOs unit and UNEP Regional office of the West Asia to organize the RCM 2020.
- ❖ Organized the virtual West Asia Regional Consultations meeting of Major Groups and stakeholders on 8th December 2020.
- ❖ Share and present tow presentations on the Environmental Priorities and challenges in the West Asia region as well as on Way Forward to UNEA 5 during the RCM on 8th December 2020.
- ❖ Prepare and lead the drafting committee of the West Asia MGS Regional Statement for Ministerial meeting and for UNEA 5.1.
- ❖ Participated at the UNEP's CSOs unit meeting with MGSF and RF.

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