

## Workshop “Implementation Efficiency of ELD”

### Agenda

Brussels, 10 July 2009,  
Centre Albert Borchette, Room 1C, First Floor

**09:45 – 17:00**

### Morning session

Time	Topic	Speaker / Moderator
9:45 – 10:00	<b>Registration</b>	
10:00 - 10:30	<b>1. Opening and welcome remarks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alexandra Vakrou (EC DG ENV)</li> <li>• Hans Lopatta (EC DG ENV)</li> </ul>
10:30 – 11:00	<b>2. Introduction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation of findings</li> <li>• Objectives of the workshop</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tanja Munchmeyer (BIO Intelligence Service)</li> </ul>
11:00 - 11:45	<b>3. Main stakeholders I: Insurers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recent and future developments in the ELD-related insurance market</li> <li>• Identification of persisting barriers to wider insurance coverage</li> <li>• Impacts of the current economic crisis on this market</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Phil Bell (CEA)</li> <li>• Tony Lennon (Chubb)</li> </ul>
11:45 - 12:30	<b>4. Main stakeholders II - Operators</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ELD awareness among operators</li> <li>• Impact of the ELD implementation on operators, what are the reactions?</li> <li>• Seeking cover for ELD-related environmental liabilities: First experiences</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Barbara Goldsmith (Ad-Hoc Industry Natural Resource Damage Group)</li> </ul>
12:30 - 13:00	<b>5. Case study</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation of an ELD case</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Valerie Fogleman (Stevens &amp; Bolton LLP)</li> </ul>
13:00 - 13:45	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>	

## Afternoon session

Time	Topic	Speaker / Moderator
13:45 - 14:30	<p><b>6. Main stakeholders III – Member State ELD Implementation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Experiences with the implementation of the ELD</li> <li>Cooperation with insurers and operators</li> <li>What are the main difficulties in implementing national ELD-transpositions efficiently</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>María Jesús Rodríguez de Sancho (Spanish Ministry of the Environment)</li> <li>Edward Lockhart-Mummery (Defra, UK)</li> </ul>
14:30 - 15:15	<p><b>7. Main stakeholders IV: Provider of alternative financial security instruments</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation of the most relevant products</li> <li>Recent and anticipated future developments in this market</li> <li>Q&amp;A</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dr. Botond Varkuti (UniCredit Bank Hungary Zrt.)</li> </ul>
15:15 - 16:45	<p><b>8. Panel Discussion: Mandatory Financial Security</b></p> <p>The participants to the Panel are expected to address / answer with short statements to the extend possible the following questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Does the ELD provide for effectiveness in terms of actual remediation of environmental damages?</li> <li>Is there enough progress in the EU market on insurance solutions for ELD or on other alternative instruments?</li> <li>Will mandatory financial security increase the efficiency of the implementation of ELD as in national transpositions?</li> <li>Are there any negative issues associated with mandatory financial security and how could they be overcome?</li> <li>What has it been the impact of the current economic crisis on the introduction of mandatory financial security</li> <li>Q&amp;A time</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bell, Phil (CEA)</li> <li>Goldsmith, Barbara (Ad-Hoc Industry Natural Resource Damage Group)</li> <li>Grislain-Letrémy, Céline (French Ministry of Ecology, Energy, Sustainable Development, and Spatial Planning)</li> <li>Lennon, Tony (Chubb)</li> <li>Lockhart-Mummery, Edward (Defra, UK)</li> <li>Sparrman, Karin (Swedish Environment Ministry)</li> <li>Rodríguez de Sancho, María Jesús (Spanish Ministry of the Environment)</li> <li>Vakrou, Alexandra (EC DG ENV)</li> </ul>
16:45 – 17:00	<p><b>9. The way forward</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alexandra Vakrou (EC DG ENV)</li> <li>Hans Lopatta (EC DG ENV)</li> </ul>