

11th Session of JCEDAR/Arab RIM, Cairo, 4-6 October 2009

Agenda

Item # 1- Follow-up on the implementation of recommendations of CAMRE's 20th session and JECEDAR 10th session including the following: The theme of CAMRE's 11th session should be "Sustainable transport" in line with CSD-18.

Item # 2: Follow-up on the implementation of Arab Economic developmental and social Summit:

1. proposal for the implementation of the green new deal initiative
2. Activate the Arab ministerial declaration of CC
3. Capacity building in disaster risk reduction
4. Develop institutional framework & legislations for the protection of the environment in the Arab region
5. Application of integrated management for wastes
6. Develop the role of Arab institutions dealing with environment including the Arab Environment Facility
7. Encourage NGOs and media to raise awareness among civil societies and decision makers

Item # 3: Follow-up on the implementation of decisions of both WSSD and sustainable development initiative in the Arab region

1. Draft of the 2nd report on the progress made in the implementation of SD initiative in the Arab region
2. Guidelines for the preparation of progress report
3. Environment and SD indicators
4. Arab network for environmental information
5. Trade and environment
6. Final draft of the Arab Strategy on sustainable consumption and production
7. Arab preparation for CSD-18/19

Item # 4: Progress made in the implementation of the 2009 Arab work plan and proposals for the preparation for 2010 work plan

Item # 5: Follow-up on the international environmental conference and agreements

Item # 6: Follow-up on the recommendations of 25th session of UNEP ministerial session and Arab preparation of the 11th special session of UNEP's ministerial council

Item # 7: Follow-up on the implementation of international strategy for disaster risk reduction and development of proposals for an Arab strategy for disaster risk reduction

Item # 8: Progress made in the coordination mechanism between several Arab agencies concerned with natural disasters and emergency cases and follow-up on Huogo plan of action

Item # 9: 1st Report of the Environmental expectations in the Arab region

Item # 10: Project for the establishment of Arab satellite to monitor the earth

Item # 11: Education for SD

Item # 12: Environmental situation in Palestine, Iraq, Sudan, Somalia, Comoros and Djibouti

Item # 14: Project for the establishment of Arab Union for protected areas

Item # 15: Proposal for 1020 Arab Environment Day

Item # 16: Partnership and multilateral coordination:

1. Arab /Chinese coordination in the field of environment
2. Arab/ South America coordination in the field of environment
3. Arab / European Union coordination in the field of environment
4. Arab / Indian coordination in the field of environment
5. Arab / Turkish coordination in the field of environment

Item # 17: place and date of the forthcoming 12th session of JCEDAR