

## Final Wetlands Workshop of the UNDP/GEF Danube Regional Project

### 18-20 April 2007, Tulcea, Romania

### AGENDA

<b>17 April: Arrival of all participants at the Delta Hotel in the evening, dinner to be hosted by the Danube Regional Project</b>		
<b>18 April: REGISTRATION 08:30 – 08:45</b>		
<b>Day 1 of the Final Seminar: WEDNESDAY, 18 April 2007</b>		
<b>Chair: DRP/ICPDR</b>		
08:45	Welcome	ICPDR Presidency / DRP / Danube Delta Institute
	<b>DRP supported wetland activities</b>	
09:20	Wetlands and nutrient retention Technical Guidance Document -	Thomas Hein (BOKU)
09:50	Wetland and Land-Use Assessment – lessons learnt and applicability	Christine Bratrich (WWF-DCP)
10:20	Small grants programme - wetlands	DRP (Alexander Zinke)
10:35	Discussion	
<b>10:45</b>	<b>Coffee</b>	
11:15	Ramsar's work on the integration of Wetlands into RBM	Lucia Scodanibbio (Ramsar)
11:35	Transboundary Project on Nature Conservation, Restoration and Sustainable Socio-Economic Development	Erika Schneider (WWF Auen Institute Rastatt)
11:55	Ramsar sites in Serbia with special attention to "Labudovo okno" situated on the Danube in northeastern Serbia	Slobodan Puzovic (Provincial Secretariat for Env. Protection and Sustainable Development-Serbia)
12:15	Carpathian Wetlands Initiative and its plans for the near future	Jan Kadlecik (State Nature Conservancy of Slovakia)
12:35	Wetlands/Protected Areas and Danube River Basin Management Plan / Joint Programme of Measures	Birgit Vogel (ICPDR)
<b>13:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
14:00 – 15:30	Short presentations on wetland projects across the Danube River Basin	
	Flood protection and Wetland Restoration in the Ukrainian part of the Danube Delta	Tatyana Galyutkina & Oleg Dyakov (Odessa Regional Water Management Department)

	Danube Restoration project between Neuburg and Ignolstadt	Thomas Schneider (City of Ingolstadt)
	Wetland protected areas along the Danube River in Serbia	Biljana Panjkovic (Institute for Nature Conservation of Serbia)
	Pilot Project on Ecological Reconstruction – the Prut Basin	Dan Badarau (Romanian Water – Prut Directorate)
	Co-operation between Nature Protection and Water Management Sections in Slovakia	Ivan Koubek (State Nature Conservancy of Slovakia)
	Ramsar area in Republic of Moldova – perspectives	Artur Nebenu (ECO Consulting Centre – Cahul)
15:45	Meeting divides into small groups to discuss approaches in countries on wetland management and integration into RBM Plan (Workgroup A and B) and Creation of Network of Protected Areas (Workgroup C). <b>Coffee to be available at around 15:30</b>	Presentation by Carl Manzano to Workgroup C
<b>18:30</b>	<b>END OF DAY 1</b>	
<b>20:00</b>	<b>Dinner to be hosted by the UNDP/GEF Danube Regional Project</b>	
<b>Day 2 of the Final Seminar: THURSDAY, 19 April 2007</b>		
<b>Chair: ICPDR/DRP</b>		
09:00	Feedback from group discussions	Facilitators from working groups
09:45	Feedback on formation of a Network of PA managers in Danube River Basin	Carl Manzano
10:00	World Bank Supported Programmes	
	Wetland Restoration of Belene Island	Marietta Stoimenova and Stoyan Mihov (Wetlands Restoration and Pollution Reduction Project, Belene, Bulgaria)
	Wetland Restoration project at Gemenc	Istvan Zsuffa (VITUKI, Hungary)
10:30	The Danube Delta and Wetlands projects in Romania	Marian Tudor (Danube Delta Institute)
	Conclusion – end of 'formal' meeting	
<i>11:00</i>	<i>Coffee</i>	
12:00	Field trip – lunch on ship	
<b>19:00</b>	<b>Return from field trip</b>	
<b>20:00</b>	<b>Dinner to be hosted by the UNDP/GEF Danube Regional Project</b>	