

**Workshop on Case Studies in the Sound Management of Chemicals**  
**International Environment House**  
**Geneva, Switzerland**  
**3-4 December 2009**

United Nations Division for Sustainable Development  
United Nations Environment Programme, Division of Industry, Technology and  
Development, Chemicals Branch, and  
Secretariat of the Stockholm Convention

**Proposed Agenda**

**Purpose**

To discuss the draft document on Practices in the Sound Management of Chemicals and obtain a consensus on its message.

**Expected outputs**

- Agreement on final text of document
- Meeting report to highlight main issues presented / discussed and to serve as a summary for presentation at CSD 18.

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8:30	Registration	
9:30	Opening and Introduction	DSD SSC UNEP Chemicals
10:00	The Context – Overview Trends ICCA Contribution to the sound management of chemicals	SSC UNEP Chemicals Melanie Bausen
10:30	Break	
11:00	Case studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The UNDP-UNEP Partnership Initiative for the Integration of Sound Management of Chemicals into Development Planning Processes</li> <li>• Efforts to Manage Perfluorinated Chemicals in the United States</li> <li>• National Programme on the Elimination of Mercury and its compounds in Qatar</li> <li>• Assessment of Lindane in Mexico</li> <li>• PCB Management and Disposal Demonstration Project in China</li> </ul>	Armand Racine (UNEP)  Laura Nazef  Nouf Al-Sulaiti  Mario Yarto  Ziying Zhao
12:30	Lunch break	

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14:00	Case studies (cont'd)	
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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Improving the management of POPs in Moldova</li><li>• The Africa Stockpiles Programme</li><li>• Awareness Creation on the Effects of Persistent Organic Pollutants Amongst Vegetable Farmers in the Accra Metropolis</li><li>• Non Pesticidal Management – An alternative to endosulfan in a large scale success story from Enabavi, Andhrapradesh (India)</li></ul> | Valentin Plesca<br>Angela Mwandia<br>Emmanuel Odjam-Akumatey<br>Shibu K. Nair |
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