



## The meeting of the National Dialogue on Water Policy Working Group in the Republic of Kazakhstan

14 June 2019, «Park Inn» hotel, Nur-Sultan

### AGENDA

<b>8:45 – 09:30</b>	<b>Welcoming coffee</b>
<b>09:00 – 09:30</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>Opening</b>	
<b>09:30 – 09:45</b>	<b>Welcome speeches:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Yerlan Nyssanbayev, Vice-Minister of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan</i></li> <li>• <i>Johannes Stenbaek Madsen, Head of Cooperation EU Delegation to Kazakhstan</i></li> <li>• <i>Talaibek Makeev, Economic Affairs Officer, Environment Division, UNECE</i></li> </ul>
<b>Session 1. Development of cooperation of Kazakhstan with neighboring states on transboundary waters</b> <i>Moderator: Nurlan Atshabarov, President of Association of Water Enterprises and Organizations of Kazakhstan</i>	
<b>09:45 – 11:00</b>	<b>Experience of joint transboundary groundwater management,</b> <i>Representative of UNESCO</i> <p><b>About the cooperation of Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan in the development of a model for joint management of transboundary groundwater reservoirs,</b>  <i>Aitmurat Issayev, Head of Department of Hydrogeology and Engineering Geology, Committee of Geology and Subsoil Use, Ministry of Industry and Infrastructure Development of the Republic of Kazakhstan</i></p> <p><b>About the activities of the International Water Assessment Centre on the issues of the Dam Safety in Central Asia,</b>  <i>Serik Akhmetov Director of IWAC</i></p> <p><b>About ensuring the safety of hydraulic structures of Kazakhstan,</b>  <i>Marat Imanaliev, Head of Department of State Control in the Use and Protection of Water Fund, CWR Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan</i></p> <p><b>Questions and answers, discussion of issues of cooperation of Kazakhstan with neighboring states on transboundary waters</b></p>
<b>11:00 – 11:30</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>
<b>Session 2. Water management and safety of tailings in Kazakhstan</b> <i>Moderator: Marat Narbayev, Deputy Director of ID IFAS in Kazakhstan</i>	
<b>11:30 – 12:15</b>	<b>About the activities of the regional project to improve the safety of mines and tailings in Kazakhstan, Tajikistan and outside Central Asia</b> <i>Claudia Kamke, Environment Officer UNECE Industrial Accidents Convention</i> <p><b>About the ensuring the safety of tailings and the prevention of accidental water pollution,</b>  <i>Farhat Seyfullov, Chief Specialist, Department of State Supervision over Nuclear Facilities, Committee for Industrial Development and Industrial Safety, Ministry of Industry and Infrastructure Development of the Republic of Kazakhstan.</i></p>

	<b>Questions and answers, discussion of interaction on issues of industrial security and water resources in Kazakhstan</b>
<i>Session 3. Water as a factor of economic growth and security in Kazakhstan</i> <i>Moderator: Tulegen Sarsembekov, national expert of Kazakhstan</i>	
<b>12:15 – 12:45</b>	<b>About possible ways to ensure effective interaction of the countries of Central Asia on the integrated use of water and energy resources,</b> <i>Muslim Zhienbayev, Head of the transboundary rivers section, Department for Transboundary Rivers, Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan, National Coordinator for the Republic of Kazakhstan in the Water Convention</i>  <b>Questions and answers, discussion of the national vision of Kazakhstan on the integrated management of water and energy resources of Kazakhstan</b>
<i>Final session</i> <i>Moderator: Mukhtar Zhakenov, Deputy Director of Department for Transboundary Rivers, Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan, National Coordinator for the Republic of Kazakhstan in the Water Convention</i>	
<b>12:45 – 13:00</b>	<b>Discussion of proposals for the agenda of the ICC NDWP meeting</b> <i>Meiram Arystanov, national expert of Kazakhstan</i>  <b>Summing up and closing</b>
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>