







UNDP-GEF Project: "Integrated Natural Resources Management in the Baikal Basin Transboundary Ecosystem"

The Russian Federation and Mongolia

Third Regional Steering Committee Meeting

Gremyachinsk, Russia

24– 25 July, 2014

Location:

Baikalskaya Riviera Hotel, Gremyachinsk, Russia <u>http://www.putnik-baikal.ru/objects/hotel-baikalskaya-riviera.html</u> <u>http://www.booking.com/hotel/ru/baikalskaya-riviera.en-us.html</u> <u>http://www.booking.com/hotel/ru/baikalskaya-riviera.html</u>

The purpose of the second Steering Committee meeting:

Presentation of the Baikal Project 2013 results and 2014 workplan and budget to the Steering Committee members and observers including an overview of the draft Strategic Action Programme and a discussion of an enhancement of the Russian-Mongolian Transboundary Cooperation in Environment Conservation and Water Management.

Draft Agenda of the Meeting

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Thursday, 24 July 2014 - Third Regional Steering Committee Meeting

09:00 - 09:30 Opening of the meeting

Welcome addresses

- Government of the Russian Federation: Representative of Russian National project coordinator (Mr. Alexander A. Shekhovtsov, National project technical director in Russia).
- Government of Mongolia: Representative of Mongolian National project coordinator (Mr. Davaa Gombo, Head of the Hydrology department at Institute of meteorology and hydrology, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia).
- UNDP-GEF Regional Technical Advisor, UNDP Bratislava Regional Centre (Mr. Vladimir O. Mamaev).

Appointment of the Chairman and Rapporteur of the meeting

Approval of the meeting agenda

Logistical information

09:30 - 11:00 The Baikal Project 2013 results

- Mr. Sergey V. Kudelya. The general presentation of the Baikal Project 2013 results.
- Mr. Vladimir O. Mamaev. Mid-term evaluation review.
- Mr. Alexander A. Shekhovtsov. The detail presentation of the Baikal Project 2013 results in Russia.
- Ms. Tumurchudur Sodnom. The detail presentation of the Baikal Project 2013 results in Mongolia.

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 12:45 The Strategic Action Programme development

• **Mr. Paul T. Gremillion**: Development progress of the Strategic action programme (SAP) for the Lake Baikal basin. Structure, goals, tasks, actions.

12:45 - 14:00 Lunch Break

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14:00 - 15:30 Enhancement of the Russian-Mongolian Transboundary Cooperation in Environment Conservation and Water Management

- Mr. Sergey V. Vinogradov: Presentation of the draft revised transboundary water agreement between Mongolia and the Russian Federation, developed in fulfillment of decisions of the Second regional Steering committee meeting.
- Roundtable discussion to enhancing the legal and institutional framework of bilateral transboundary water cooperation. **Rapporteur:** countries representatives. **Facilitator:** Mr. Sergey V. Vinogradov.

15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break

16:00 – 17:30 The Baikal Project 2014 work plan and budget

- Mr. Sergey V. Kudelya. The presentation of the Baikal Project 2014 work plan, budget and changes in The Project Document. Mid-term evaluation management response. The discussion of the Baikal Project 2015 plans.
- Roundtable discussion to the Baikal Project 2014 work plan, budget and changes in the Project Document. **Rapporteur:** countries representatives. **Facilitator:** Mr. Vladimir O. Mamaev.

Friday, 25 July 2014 - Field trip

9:00 – 17:00 Field trip: Visit of Zabaikalsky protected area, Ushkan Islands