

Climate Change Related Requirements for Major Projects in the 2014 – 2020 Programming Period

Brussels 29th September 2015

Agenda

9:30 – 10:00 Registration and coffee

Introductory Session

10:00 – 10:15 Opening and Welcoming Speech (*DG Regio and JASPERS*)

10:15 – 10:45 Introduction to Climate Change (*Claus Kondrup – DG Climate Action*)

10:45 – 11:00 Coffee break

Major projects and Climate Change in the 2014-2020 programming period

11:00 – 11:45 Overview of the requirements and the legal basis; Reflection in the Major Projects Application Form (*George Paunescu – DG Clima, Camelia Kovács – DG Regio*)

11:45 – 12:00 Planned Future Capacity Building Activities (*Sarah Duff – JASPERS*)

12:00 – 12:15 Questions and Answers

12:15 – 13:15 Lunch break

Climate Change Adaptation

13:15 – 14:00 Vulnerability and Risk Assessment (*Dina Silina – DG Clima, Sarah Duff – JASPERS*)

14:00 – 14:45 Practical Examples from the Water and Transport Sectors

Road Project in Poland –

Waste Water Treatment Works Project in Croatia (*Albert Dekker, Consultant to Croatian Waters*)

Rail Corridor Project in Slovakia (*Denisa Žiláková, Head of Managing Authority Transport*)

14:45 – 15:00 Questions and Answers

15:00 – 15:15 Coffee break

Climate Change Mitigation

15:15 – 15:45 Overview of the EIB Project Carbon Footprint Methodologies (*Nancy Saich – EIB Environmental, Climate and Social Office (ECSO)*)

15:45 – 16:15 Practical Examples of Methodologies as Applied in Various Sectors (*Neri di Volo and Elisabet Vila Jorda – JASPERS, Nancy Saich – EIB ECSO*)

16:15 – 16:30 Questions and Answers

16:30 – 16:45 Conclusions and Closing Discussion