

Presentation of the European Regional Process

towards the 7th World Water Forum

Discussion of Transboundary Water Management in a European context

Side-Event- 3rd Istanbul International Water Forum

Haliç Congress Center - Room: Tophane

29th May 2014 - 9.00 am



Part I : Transboundary Water Management

□ Opening remarks :

Chair: Mr Torkil Jønch Clausen, Chief Policy Adviser, DHI

□ Transboundary Water Management in the European context :

Mr Jean-François Donzier, Managing Director of the International Office for Water

*Mr Nicolas Karnolski, Chairman of the Europe International Network of Basin Organization (Euro-INBO),
Chairman of the Central and Eastern European Network of Basin Organization (CEE-INBO)
Director of the East Aegean River Basin*

Ms Galia Balusheva, Expert at Ministry of Environment and Water, Bulgaria

*Mr Jean Schepman, Chairman of the Committee on International Affairs and Sustainability "Agence de l'Eau
Artois Picardie"*

Mr Arnaud Courtecuisse. Head of International Affairs. « Aence de l'Eau Artois Picardie »

Part II : The Europe Regional Process

Chair: Mr Bjørn Kaare Jensen, Chairman of the Danish Water Forum

□ Objectives and outcomes of the Europe Regional Process

Mr Henri Begorre, Chairman of the French Water Partnership

Mr Jean-François Donzier, Managing Director of the International Office for Water

Ms Miriam Feilberg, Project Director at the Danish Water Forum

□ Discussion on key challenges of other water topics

-EU directives implementation

-Water efficiency

-Climate change

-Urbanization

-Issues related to Sciences & Technology: Data and knowledge and gap skills

□ Way forward – how and when to contribute



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