

27 June 2011

**Meeting of the Committee on Energy, Environment and Water  
of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Union for the Mediterranean  
Salzburg, 1 and 2 July 2011**

**Draft programme**

**Thursday, 30 June 2011**

Arrival of delegations in Salzburg

17.00-19.00 Registration at hotels

**Sheraton Hotel Salzburg**, 5020 Salzburg, Auerspergstraße 4  
**Austria Trend Hotel Europa**, 5020 Salzburg, Rainerstraße 31

**Friday, 1 July 2011**

8.30 Departure from hotels

***Meeting of the Committee in the Länder Parliament of Salzburg***  
5010 Salzburg, Chiemseehof

9.00 Opening of the meeting by the Committee Chair,  
Stefan SCHENNACH

Welcome address by Simon ILLMER,  
President of the Länder Parliament of Salzburg

Adoption of minutes of previous meeting in Rome held on 3 March 2011

9.45 **The potential of the Arab world in the production of renewable energy**

Keynote Speech:

- Abderrahim EL HAFIDI, Director at the Ministry of Energy, Mines, Water and Environment of the Kingdom of Morocco

Discussion

11.00 Coffee break

11.15 **Environment and Sustainability in the Mediterranean including the impacts of climate change**

Keynote Speeches:

- Helga KROMP-KOLB, Head of the Institute for Meteorology , University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna
- Iyad Usama George ABU RUDAINEH, Friends of the Earth Middle East

Discussion

12.15 Group photograph

12.20 Walk to restaurant

12.30 Lunch hosted by the Committee Chair, Stefan SCHENNACH, at K + K Restaurant, Freysaukkeller 5020 Salzburg, Waagplatz 2

13.50 Walk to the Länder Parliament of Salzburg

14.00 **Waste management - Municipal and industrial waste water, solid waste, waste recovery (recycling)**

Keynote Speeches:

- Paul SCHAUSBERGER, VA TECH WABAG GmbH, on successful municipal wastewater treatment in Algiers and Tunis
- Wolf Dieter KNOPPEK, Boxmark Leather GmbH & Co KG
- Rainer NÖLVAK, "Let's do it 2008" in Estonia/"Let's do it World"

Discussion

16.00 **Selection of reports and rapporteurs**

**Any other business**

approx. 17.00 End of session

Return to hotels

19.30 Departure for Dinner

20.00 Dinner hosted by the Governor of the Land Salzburg, Gabi BURGSTALLER and the Mayor of the City of Salzburg Heinz SCHADEN at the Throne Hall of the Salzburg Residenz 5020 Salzburg, Residenzplatz 1

approx. 22.00 Return to hotels

Saturday, 2 July 2011

***Tour of the City of Salzburg***

- 9.00 Departure from hotels  
Sightseeing
- 13.00 Lunch hosted by the President of the Federal Council, Susanne NEUWIRTH, at Stiftskeller St. Peter 5010 Salzburg, St. Peter Bezirk 1/4
- 15.00 Return to hotels  
End of programme