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REPORT OF THE EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE BSEC WORKING GROUP ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

16 December 2022, online

1. The Extraordinary Meeting of the BSEC Working Group on Environmental Protection was held online, on 16 December 2022.

2. The Meeting was chaired by Mr. Gheorghe CONSTANTIN, Deputy General Director of General Directorate of Water, Ministry of Environment, Waters and Forests, Bucharest, Romania.

3. The Meeting was attended by the representatives of the following BSEC Member States:

Republic of Armenia
Republic of Azerbaijan
Republic of Bulgaria
Georgia
Republic of Moldova
Romania
Russian Federation
Republic of Türkiye
Ukraine

4. The List of Participants is attached as **Annex I**.

AGENDA ITEM 1: ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

5. The Draft Agenda of the Meeting was discussed and adopted. The Agenda, as adopted, is attached as **Annex II**.

AGENDA ITEM 2: PRESENTATION OF THE REVISED DRAFT PLAN OF ACTION OF THE WORKING GROUP FOR 2023 BY THE COUNTRY-COORDINATOR. DISCUSSIONS FOLLOWED BY ITS ADOPTION

6. The Draft Plan of Action for 2023, prepared by the Country-Coordinator, was discussed and adopted. The Plan of Action as adopted is attached as **Annex III**.

AGENDA ITEM 3: ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE MEETING

7. The Working Group adopted the present Report for its submission to the Committee of Senior Officials and the Council of Ministers of Foreign Affairs for their consideration.