









GENERAL WATER AUTHORITY AFRICAN WATER FACILITY UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK GROUP GLOBAL WATER PARTNERSHIP -MEDITERRANEAN

Workshop on

Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM)

in Libya

Current Status and the Way Forward Demonstrated by National and International Experiences

> 11-12 April 2007 Tripoli, Libya

Draft AGENDA (Some speakers to be confirmed)

DAY 1.	Wednesday,	11	April	2007
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8.30 – 09.00 Registration

Opening Session 09.00 - 10.00**Opening Panel** General Water Authority Ministry for Agriculture UNEP Collaborating Centre on Water and Environment African Development Bank African Water Facility Global Water Partnership - Mediterranean 10.00 - 10.30Key Note on Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM) Mohamed Ait Kadi, Senior Advisor Global Water Partnership (GWP) 10.30 - 11.00Key Note on Water Resources Management in Libya Omar Salem, Chairman, General Water Authority (GWA) 11.00 - 11.15 Coffee Break Session 1 Theme 1 – Effective Water Governance Chair Rapporteur 11.15 - 11.30 Water Governance in the Mediterranean Vangelis Constantianos, Executive Secretary Global Water Partnership –Mediterranean (GWP-Med) 11.30 - 11.50 Water Governance in Egypt: Challenges and Responses Bayoumi Attia, Advisor to the Minister Ministry for Water Resources and Irrigation, Egypt





11.50 – 12.30 Water Governance in Libya: Challenges and Responses General Water Authority (GWA), Libya

Session 2 Chair: Rapporteur	Theme 2 – Water Efficiency (Demand Management)
12.30 - 12.50	Water Efficiency in the Mediterranean Blue Plan / Mediterranean Action Plan UNEP
12.50 – 13.10	Water Efficiency in Tunisia: Challenges and Responses Abdlekader Hamdane, Director General Ministry of Agriculture & Water Resource, Tunisia
13.10 – 13.40	Water Development and Demand Management in Libya Great Man Made River Authority, Libya
13.40 – 14.30	Lunch
Special Session Chair: Rapporteur	Regional Initiatives contributing to Achieving Water Targets
14.30 – 14.50	African Water Facility
14.50 – 15.10	Mediterranean Component of the EU Water Initiative Maria Peppa, Head, International Affairs, Ministry for Environment, Physical Planning and Public Works, Greece
15.10 – 15.30	GEF Strategic Partnership for the Mediterranean Large Marine Ecosystems Alex Lascaratos, Manager PDF-B, GEF SPM
15.30 – 15.50	Sahara and Sahel Observatory Ahmed Mamou, Technical Advisor, OSS
15.50 – 16.10	Arab Water Council
16.10 -16.15	Remarks of Day 1

20.30 Reception hosted by the General Water Authority

DAY 2, Thursday, 12 April 2007

Session 3 Chair Rapporteur	Theme 3 – Water Assessment and Monitoring
09.00 - 09.30	Country Water Information Systems in the Mediterranean Eric Mino, Coordinator, EMWIS
09.30 – 10.00	Water Assessment and Monitoring in Morocco: Challenges and Responses Mohamed Ameur, Director General Ministry for Land Management, Water and the Environment, Morocco
10.00 – 10.45	Water Assessment and Monitoring in Libya General Water Authority (GWA) and Environmental General Authority (EGA), Libya
10.45 – 11.00	Coffee Break
Session 4 Chair Rapporteur	Theme 4 – Non Conventional Water Resources
11.00 – 11.25	Wastewater reuse in the Mediterranean Khaled Abu Zeid, Senior Water Specialist Centre for Environment and Development in the Arab Region and Europe (CEDARE)
11.25 - 11.50	Desalination in Mediterranean International Desalination Association
11.50 – 12.15	Desalination in Algeria: Challenges and Responses Speaker to be defined Ministry of Water Resources
12.15 – 13.00	Desalination in Libya Sultan Kershman Ministry for Electricity, Gas and Water, Libya
13.00 – 13.30	Coffee Break (Recommendations will be distributed before the break)
Session 5 Chair: Rapporteur	Recommendations Omar Salem, Chairman, General Water Authority
13.30 – 14.00	Presentation of Recommendations
14.00 – 15.00	Discussion and adoption of the Recommendations
15.00	Lunch
	End of the Workshop