

## **PA1 Kick off meeting, 8<sup>th</sup> June 2010, Warsaw**

### **European Union Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region (EUSBSR)**

#### **Priority area 1 (PA1): "To reduce nutrient inputs to the sea to acceptable levels"**

#### **AGENDA OF THE MEETING**

10.00-11.00 Registration and coffee

11.00-11.30 Welcome & Opening

- 11.00 – 11.10 Opening statement / Chief Inspector of Environmental Protection of Poland
- 11.10 – 11.20 Implementation of EUSBSR / DG Regio
- 11.20 – 11.30 The role and tasks of the PA1 coordination / Poland and Finland

11.30-12.45 Flagship Projects – state of implementation

- 11.30 – 11.45 FP 1.1 Remove phosphates in detergents / Swedish Chemicals Agency
- 11.45 – 12.00 FP 1.2 Cleaner waste water / Swedish EPA
- 12.00 – 12.30 FP 1.4 Putting best practices in agriculture into work (Baltic Deal) as an example of advanced stage project / Federation of Swedish Farmers
- 12.30 – 12.45 FP 1.5 Cooperate with Russia and Belarus on a comprehensive regional pollution risk assessment / Ministry of the Environment of Finland

12.45 – 13.00 HOLCOM Projects – state of implementation

- HELCOM PURE project as an example of project combating eutrophication

13.00-14.00 Lunch

14.00-15.20 Financing options

- 14.00 – 14.25 Overview of financing possibilities / INTERACT
- 14.25 – 14.40 Technical assistance / INTERACT
- 14.40 – 14.55 Labelling projects / INTERACT

- 14.55 – 15.05 Bankable projects – financing from NEFCO and NIB / NEFCO, NIB Representatives
- 15.05 – 15.20 Questions & discussion

15.20-15.45 Coffee break

15.45-16.15 Reporting to EU Commission

- 15.45 – 15.55 Reporting obligations / DG Regio
- 15.55 – 16.05 Issues considered in the report / Ministry of the Environment of Finland
- 16.05 – 16.15 Questions & discussion

16.15-17.05 Expectations, comments and plans of stakeholders regarding PA1 - tour de table & discussion

17.05-17.30 Summary and next steps / Coordinators

17.30 Closure of the meeting / Coordinators