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Aim of the Workshop:

The main objective of the workshop is to focus on latest developments in adaptation Monitoring, Reporting and Evaluation (MRE) at national level mostly in Europe. It looks into countries that have gained practical experience in monitoring and evaluating their national adaptation strategies and plans to share their lessons learnt and discuss their approaches to commonly faced challenges with Albanian colleagues.

Specific topics to be addressed include stakeholder engagement, the role of adaptation indicators in monitoring, reporting and evaluation, and the use of knowledge generated by MRE efforts to improve and further promote policy and practice.

In addition, the workshop reflects on the links of national MRE activities to knowledge needs at different levels of governance (local and international) and provides an interactive space where experiences and lessons learned from the speakers and participants can feed into MRE practice in Albania.

The domestic workshop aims at raising the awareness for the need for adaptation indicators and monitoring and provide a platform for exchanging experience and taking stock of recent developments on, and potential for future deployment of indicators and monitoring for climate change adaptation.

EU MS Speakers:

- Mr. Achim **Daschkeit**, German Environment Agency
- Ms. Åsa **Sjöström**, Swedish Hydrometeorology Institute
- Ms. Sonja **Völler**, Environment Agency Austria

Other Speakers:

- Mr. Markus **Leitner**, TRATOLOW Expert
- Ms. Klodiana **Marika**, Ministry of Tourism and Environment, Albania

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DAY 1: Tue 29th March 2022

Chairs: Mr. Markus **Leitner**, TRATOLOW expert

09:00 – 09:30	Arrival of Participants
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	Short technical introduction to the webinar platform
09:30 – 09:45	Welcome, opening remarks and workshop objectives Mr. Markus Leitner
09:45 – 10:00	Welcome on behalf of DG CLIMA and TRATOLOW project Ms. Stine Rasmussen / Ms. Violeta Philippitsch
10:00– 10:30	<i>European overview</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of Adaptation Monitoring and Indicators – lessons from emerging practice in Europe Mr. Markus Leitner
10:30-10:45	<i>Comfort Break</i>
10:45 – 12:00	Experience from EU Member States in Monitoring and Indicators for NAS/NAP/SAP including relevant framing conditions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience in Monitoring and Indicators of the NAS/NAP/SAP including relevant framing conditions from Sweden Ms. Åsa Sjöström <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience in Monitoring and Indicators of the NAS/NAP including relevant framing conditions from Austria Ms. Sonja Völler Q&A
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch Break</i>
13:00 – 13:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience in Monitoring and Evaluation of the NAS/NAP including relevant framing conditions from Germany Mr. Achim Daschkeit <i>Activities in Albania regarding Monitoring and Indicators in the NAP revision</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of the national adaptation policies Ms. Klodiana Marika , Ministry of Tourism and Environment Q&A
13:45 – 15:15	Interactive group discussion The project team together with the previous speakers will collect and compile experiences from the use of indicators in monitoring and evaluation of National Adaptation Plans (NAPs). This might create a positive environment to strengthen efforts towards progressing the NAP and strengthen adaptation efforts based on the following guiding questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •What are the approaches used and what is the role of indicators developed and identified? • Possible approaches for Albania and existing data and information for selected sectors • What is still missing in order to fully monitor NAP activities and assess relevant information? • Way of monitoring and reporting on progress and its uptake in the revision of NAP?
15:15 – 15:30	Summary and closing of the Workshop <i>Feedback from Participants and Closing remarks</i> Mr. Markus Leitner

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