

EIB WORKSHOP WITH ENVIRONMENTAL AND DEVELOPMENT NGOS
Rosebank Hotel, Johannesburg (RSA) - April 21st, 2005

PROGRAMME

08:15 **Welcome Breakfast Buffet**

08:45 **General EIB briefing**

- *EIB Role and Activities - Project Appraisal Procedures*
by Adam McDonough, Head of Division Institutional & Product Marketing, Communication and Information Department, EIB
- Questions & Answers

09:15 **Coffee Break**

09:35 **Welcome** by EIB Vice-President Peter Sedgwick, Chairman of the Workshop

09:40 **Session 1 Economic development: the Millennium Development Goals; environmental justice; integrating social and environmental issues**

- *EIB contribution to economic development*
by Serge-Arno Klumper, Head of Unit South Africa, Southern Africa and Indian Ocean Division, EIB Lending Directorate outside the EU
- *Environmental justice, poverty and economic development – the lessons of the poor marginalized communities*
by Thabo Madhlaba, National Director, Environmental Justice Network Forum (RSA)
- Discussion

10:50 **Session 2 Safe water and sanitation: contribution of the EU Water Initiative; strengthened cooperation among stakeholders**

- *Strengthening the spirit of the EU Water Initiative – EIB cooperation with NGOs*
by José Tomás Frade, Head of Division, Water, Sewerage and Sewage Disposal, EIB Projects Directorate
- *Strengthening civil society participation in service provision to the poor: Stakeholder co-operation in South Africa*
by Vinothan Naidoo, Operations Director, The Mvula Trust (RSA)
- Discussion

12:00 **Coffee Break**

12:20 **Session 3 Renewable energies and climate change**

- *Renewable energies – a rational use of energy resources*
by Eugene Howard, Senior Economist, Oil & Gas Division, Energy, Telecommunications, Waste Management Department, EIB Projects Directorate
- *The promotion of sustainable energy to realise social benefits and mitigate climate change*
by Richard Worthington, Sustainable Energy and Climate Change Project-SECCP Co-ordinator, EarthLife Africa (RSA)
- Discussion

13:30 **Lunch**

14:50 **Session 4 Good governance practice**

- *Ensuring accountability and transparency*
by Peter Sedgwick, EIB Vice-President
- *Good governance from a civil society perspective*
by John Capel, Representative of Transparency South Africa and Bench Marks Foundation of Southern Africa for Corporate Social Responsibility (RSA)
- Discussion

16:00 **Closing and wrapping up** by Chairman Peter Sedgwick