



Economic Instruments for Managing Environmentally Harmful Products

National stakeholder dialogue workshop¹

May 21, 2015

Draft Agenda

Meeting objective:

- Promote economic instruments such as taxes and extended producer responsibility for the management of environmentally harmful products in Azerbaijan.

Venue: Central Park Hotel (address: 165, S. Rahimov street, Baku, 1014 Azerbaijan), meeting room on the 2nd floor.

Interpretation: English - Azerbaijani

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| | <i>Welcoming remarks</i> |
| 14:00 – 14:10 | Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources of Azerbaijan EU Delegation to Azerbaijan (tbc) |
| 14:10 – 14:15 | <i>Overview of the workshop objectives and agenda – Eugene Mazur, OECD Environment Directorate</i> |
| 14:15 – 15:00 | <i>Presentation of the Policy Manual “Creating Market Incentives for Greener Products” – Eugene Mazur, OECD Environment Directorate</i> |
| 15:00 – 15:20 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 15:20 – 15:40 | <i>Environmentally related product taxes in Azerbaijan – Ministry of Taxes of Azerbaijan (tbc)</i> |
| 15:40 – 16:00 | <i>Azerbaijan’s planned use of extended producer responsibility for the management of waste products – Ministry of Ecology and Natural Resources of Azerbaijan</i> |
| 16:00 – 16:50 | <i>Discussion of the Policy Manual “Creating Market Incentives for Greener Products” and its relevance for Azerbaijan</i> |
| 16:50 - 17:00 | <i>Summary of the workshop results – Eugene Mazur, OECD Environment Directorate</i> |

1. This workshop will be held back-to-back to the national stakeholder dialogue workshop "Promoting better environmental performance of small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) in Azerbaijan" scheduled for 21 May 2015 starting at 9h30.