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## Final Conference of the CH<sub>2</sub>OICE project

February 25, 2011

MAXXI - Museum of XXI century Arts via Guido Reni, 4 A, Rome

## **Programme (draft)**

**MORNING (9.30 – 13.00)** 

From renewable sources to sustainable production of electric energy

Chairperson: Maria Berrini, Ambiente Italia

9.30-9.40

#### **Greetings from the authorities**

Representative of the Italian Ministry of the Environment

9.40-10.00

Sustainable use of renewable energy resources

Carlos Gasco, IEA Renewable Energy Division

10.00-10.20

Hydropower and attainment of good status of European Water Bodies

Ursula Schmedtje, WFD Team Coordinator - DG Environment, European Commission

10.20-10.40

Contribution of hydropower to European renewables: environmental compatible potential

David Owain Clubb, European Environmental Agency

10.40 - 11.00

CH<sub>2</sub>OICE: how can a voluntary certification help both RE production and rivers?

Giulio Conte, Ambiente Italia.































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#### 11.00, 11.30 Coffee break

11.40. 12.00

How the CH2OICE methodology works in practice: experimental certification in Italy and Slovenia

Andrea Goltara, Italian Centre for River Restoration Natasa Smolar, Institute for Water of the Republic of Slovenia

12.00. 12.20

Certified hydropower: the Swiss experience

Ursula Stocker, Naturemade

12.20 - 12.40 Certified electricity and liberalized European energy market

Riku Eskelinen, EKO Energy

12.40-13.00

The advantages of voluntary certification for public bodies in planning and regulatory processes Francesco Tornatore, River Po Basin Authority

**AFTERNOON (14.30 – 17.30)** 

Round table and discussion: the point of view of stakeholders

Chairman and round table moderator:

Franco Becchis, Head of Fondazione per l'Ambiente (Environment Foundation) "Teobaldo Fenoglio" (Torino)

#### Round table participants:

Ursula Schmedtje, European Commission, DG Environment

Karin Helene Seelos, Statkraft

Marko Gospodijnacki, European Small Hydropower Association (ESHA)

Sergio Savoia, WWF European Alpine Program

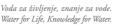
Italian Ministry of the Environment (to be confirmed)

Other stakeholders expected to be in the audience will be encouraged by the chairman to take part in the discussion; among them the following already confirmed their presence:

































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Sara Gollessi, Italian Association of Renewable Energy Producers Bogdan Popa, Romanian Association of Small Hydro Producers Vincenzo Scotti, 100% Energia Verde Fernando Torrent, Universidad Politecnica de Madrid Vladimir Hudek, Regional Environmental Centre, Slovakia Joel Vormuss, Comité de Liaison Énergies Renouvelables (CLER) Edoardo Zanchini, Legambiente

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