

The Thirteenth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee  
on the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia  
25-27 September 2013, Xiamen, China

### **Annotated Agenda**

1. Opening of the Session

The Session will be opened by the Secretariat. The Network Center (NC) will make an Introductory Remarks followed by Welcome Remarks by the Director General, Department of International Cooperation, MEP and Opening Remarks by the Deputy Director General, Environmental Protection Department of Fujian Province.

2. Election of Officers

The Session will be invited to elect a Chairperson, two Vice-chairpersons and a Rapporteur of the Session

3. Adoption of the Agenda

The Session will be invited to consider and adopt the Agenda of the Session.

4. Review on the Report on the Progress of the EANET since the Twelfth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC12) and the Financial Report in 2012

The Secretariat and the NC will present the Draft Report on the Progress of the EANET since the Twelfth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC12) held on 22-24 November 2012 in Yangon, Myanmar including the Secretariat and the NC's Draft Financial Report for 2012. The presentation will also include the outcomes of the Fourteenth Session of Intergovernmental Meeting (IG14) held in Yangon, Myanmar on 26-27 November 2012. The Session will be invited to make comments on the reports from the scientific and technical viewpoints.

5. Review on the Preliminary Final Draft of the Mid-Term Report on the Implementation of the Medium Term Plan (MTP) for the EANET (2011-2015) from January 2011 to June 2013

The Secretariat and the NC will present the Preliminary Final Draft of the Mid-Term Report on the Implementation of the Medium Term Plan (MTP) for the EANET (2011-2015) from January 2011 to June 2013 drafted by the consultant in collaboration with the Secretariat and the NC. The Session will be invited to discuss, make comments and provide guidance from scientific and technical viewpoints for consideration and adoption at the Fifteenth Session of the Intergovernmental Meeting (IG15) on the EANET to be held on 16-17 December 2013 in Chonburi, Thailand.

6. Adoption of the EANET Data Report 2012

The NC will make a presentation on the Draft EANET Data Report 2012. The Session will be invited to review the monitoring data of participating countries in 2012 for consideration and adoption at the Session. Issues on data disclosure and handling of meteorological data will be also discussed.

7. Adoption of the Report on the Inter-laboratory Comparison Projects 2012

The NC will present the Draft Report on the Inter-laboratory Comparison Projects 2012 which includes the results of the wet deposition, dry deposition (filter pack method), soil and vegetation, and inland aquatic environment Inter-laboratory Comparison Projects carried out in 2012 including a comparison of the results from 1998-2012. The Session will be invited to review, make comments and provide guidance for consideration and adoption at the Session.

8. Overview of the Updated National Monitoring Plans of the Participating Countries

The NC will present an Overview of the National Monitoring Plans of the Participating Countries based on the latest information submitted from the participating countries. The Session will be invited to discuss the National Monitoring Plans of the Participating Countries and provide necessary comments and guidance as appropriate.

9. Consideration of the Reports from the Chairpersons of the Task Force and Expert Group of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC)

The Chairperson of the Task Force on Research Coordination will make presentations on their activities. The presentation will include brief summary of the progress of the Reviewing Committee on the State of Air Pollution in East Asia established under the Task Force. The Session will be invited to make comments on the presentation and provide guidance to the Task Force. The Chairperson of the Expert Group on Preparation of the Technical Manual for Air Concentration Monitoring will also make presentation on their activities including final draft of the Technical Manual for Air Concentration Monitoring. The Session will be invited to review the final draft of the Technical Manual for consideration and adoption at the Session.

10. Consideration of the Dissolution of the Expert Groups of the SAC

The Chairperson of the SAC will propose the dissolution of Expert Group on Dry Deposition Flux Estimation, Expert Group on Revision of Technical Manual on Wet Deposition Monitoring and Expert Group on Revision of Technical Manual on Inland Aquatic Environment Monitoring. The Session will be invited to review the proposal for consideration and adoption at the IG15.

11. Consideration on the Preliminary Draft Report of the Review on the State of Air Pollution in East Asia

The Co-Chairpersons of the Reviewing Committee on the Status of Air Pollution in East Asia will present the Preliminary Draft Report of the Review on the State of Air Pollution in East Asia. The Session will be invited to make comments on the report from the scientific and technical viewpoints for review at the Twelfth Session of the Working Group on Future Development of the EANET (WGFD12) to be held on 14-15 October 2013 in Chonburi, Thailand and the IG15.

12. Consideration on Future Development of the EANET

The NC will make a presentation on Future Development of the EANET. The presentation will include Review on the State of Air Pollution in East Asia, Scientific Reconsideration of EANET Monitoring Structure and Proposal of Action Plan within the Present Scope. The Session will be invited to discuss, make comments and provide guidance from scientific and technical viewpoints for review at the WGFD12, and for review, provision of guidance and making decisions at the IG15 as appropriate.

13. Review on the Preliminary Final Draft of the Third Report for Policy Makers (RPM3)

The consultant will present the Preliminary Final Draft of the Third Report for Policy Makers (RPM3) which was developed by the consultant in collaboration with the Secretariat and the NC, and in consultation with the participating countries. The Session will be invited to make comments, suggestions and /or recommendations from scientific and technical viewpoints for consideration and approval at the IG15.

14. Consideration of the EANET Science Bulletin (Vol. 3)

The NC will present the Draft EANET Science Bulletin (Vol. 3). The Session will be invited to make comments, suggestions/recommendations from scientific and technical viewpoints and endorsement at the Session.

15. Consideration of the Relevant Scientific Activities

*i.* Progress of the Joint Research Activities on Model Inter-comparison Study in Asia (MICS-Asia)

Research Activities on Model Inter-comparison Study in Asia (MICS-Asia) including the activities of MICS-Asia Phase III will be presented by a resource person. The Session will be invited to discuss and provide guidance on this topic as appropriate.

*ii.* Joint Research Project on Sulfur Dynamics in Forest Ecosystems in Thailand, Malaysia and Japan

The NC will make presentations on the joint research project on sulfur dynamics in forest ecosystems in Thailand, Malaysia and Japan, which is supported by the Asia Pacific Network for Global Change Research (APN). The Session will be invited to discuss and provide guidance on this topic as appropriate.

16. Consideration of the Draft Proposal on the Presentation of the EANET Plaques of Recognition to the Experts, Scientists, and Resource Persons for Their Contribution to the EANET

The Secretariat will present the Draft Proposal on the Presentation of the EANET Plaques of Recognition to the Experts, Scientists, and Resource Persons for their Contribution to the EANET developed in consultation with the participating countries. The Session will be invited to make comments, suggestions and /or recommendations from scientific and technical viewpoints, for consideration and approval at the IG15.

17. Consideration of the Draft Work Program and Budget of the EANET in 2014 from Scientific and Technical Viewpoints

The Secretariat and the NC will make presentations on the Draft Work Program and Budget of the EANET in 2014. The Session will be invited to make comments, suggestions/recommendations from scientific and technical viewpoints for consideration and approval at the IG15.

18. Updates on the Activities of Other Regional and International Initiatives related to Acid Deposition and Transboundary Air Pollution

- i. Scientific understanding and gaps of acid deposition under air complex pollution by Prof. Hu Min, Peking University*

Scientific understanding and gaps of acid deposition under air complex pollution will be presented *by Prof. Hu Min, Peking University.*

- ii. Information on Activities under “Climate and Clean Air Coalition (CCAC)” by Dr. Supat Wangwongwatana, the Regional Resource Centre for Asia and the Pacific (RRC.AP)*

The Progress and status of the CCAC will be presented *by Dr. Supat Wangwongwatana, RRC.AP.*

- iii. Asia Science Panel for Air and Climate (ASPAC) by Dr. Hajime Akimoto, Director General, Asia Center for Air Pollution Research (ACAP)*

Asia Science Panel for Air Quality and Climate (ASPAC) will be presented *by Dr. Hajime Akimoto, Director General, ACAP.*

- iv. Others as appropriate*

19. Other Issues

- i. Progress on Air Pollution Prevention and Control in China by Prof. Meng Fan, Director of Atmospheric Environment Institute, Chinese Research Academy of Environmental Sciences (CRAES)*

Progress on Air Pollution Prevention and Control in China will be presented *by Prof. Meng Fan, Director of Atmospheric Environment Institute, Chinese Research Academy of Environmental Sciences (CRAES).*

- ii. The Session will discuss and consider other issues to be raised by the participants, the Secretariat and /or the NC, if any.*

20. Consideration and Adoption of the Report of the Session

The Session will be invited to consider and adopt the Report of the Session.

21. Closing of the Session

The Chairperson will close the Session.

The Thirteenth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee  
on the Acid Deposition Monitoring Network in East Asia  
25-27 September 2013, Xiamen, China

## **Program**

### **Wednesday, 25 September 2013 (First Day)**

- |             |  |
|-------------|--|
| 08:30-09:00 | Registration   |
| 09:00-09:30 | Opening of the Session [Agenda Item 1] <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Opening Remarks by the Secretariat</li><li>- Introductory Remarks by the Director General, Asia Center for Air Pollution Research (ACAP)</li><li>- Welcome Remarks by the Director General, Department of International Cooperation, MEP</li><li>- Opening Remarks by the Deputy Director General, Environmental Protection Department of Fujian Province</li></ul> |
|             | Election of Officers [Agenda Item 2]   |
|             | Adoption of the Agenda [Agenda Item 3]   |
| 09:30-10:40 | Review on the Report on the Progress of the EANET since the Twelfth Session of the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC12) and the Financial Report in 2012 [Agenda Item 4]  |
| 10:40-11:00 | Coffee Break   |
| 11:00-12:00 | Review on the Preliminary Final Draft of the Mid-Term Report on the Implementation of the Medium Term Plan (MTP) for the EANET (2011-2015) from January 2011 to June 2013 [Agenda Item 5]  |
| 12:00-13:15 | Lunch Break  |
| 13:15-14:25 | Adoption of the EANET Data Report 2012 [Agenda Item 6]   |
| 14:25-15:30 | Adoption of the Report on the Inter-laboratory Comparison Projects 2012 [Agenda Item 7]  |
| 15:30-15:50 | Coffee Break   |
| 15:50-16:30 | Overview of the Updated National Monitoring Plans of the Participating Countries [Agenda Item 8]   |
| 16:30-17:50 | Consideration of the Reports from the Chairpersons of the Task Force and Expert Group of   |