



Assembly Hall of the Ministry of the Environment and Rural and Marine Affairs, (Salón de Actos del Ministerio de Medio Ambiente y Medio Rural y Marino), Plaza de San Juan de la Cruz, s/n 28071, Madrid.

Thursday, 16th April 2009

PROGRAMME

09: 30 Welcoming reception

10:00 Opening of the Conference

Welcome from Ms María Jesús Rodríguez de Sancho, General Director of Environmental Quality and Assessment. Ministry of the Environment and Rural and Marine Affairs

10:15 The PRTR Protocol within the framework of the Aarhus Convention

Mr. Michel Amand. Chairman of the WG for the implementation of the PRTR Protocol. (UNECE)

10:40 The European Regulations E-PRTR.

Ms. Dania Cristofaro. D.G. Environment, European Commission, and responsible for the implementation of the E-PRTR Register.

11:05 PRTR experiences in OECD countries.

Mr. Henrik Harjula. Principal Administrator OECD Environment Directorate, and responsible of the TF on PRTR

11:30 Discussion, First comments

11: 45 PAUSE

12:00 Presentation of the Public Information on PRTR-España: Publication of 2007 data, first PRTR reference year.

Ms. Carmen Canales Canales. Head of Industrial Environment. General Sub-directorate of Air Quality and Industrial Environment. General Directorate for Environmental Quality and Evaluation.

12:45 The PRTR Register in the Autonomous Regions.

Representative of Autonomous Communities with their own system for notification (to be confirmed).

13:00 The Public Information in the Register: The point of View of the Public.

Representative of an NGO (to be confirmed)

13: 15 Discussion

13:30 Closing of the Conference

Ms Teresa Ribera, Secretary of State of Climate Change, Ministry of the Environment and Rural and Marine Affairs.

13:45 Spanish wine