

**9<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL HCH AND PESTICIDES FORUM FOR CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPEAN,  
CAUCASUS AND CENTRAL ASIA COUNTRIES,  
20–22 September 2007, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova**

**DRAFT FORUM PROGRAM**

*Arrival Day – Wednesday, 19 September 2007*

14.00–21.00	Arrival and registration of the participants: – <i>LeoGrand Hotel &amp; Convention Center, 77 Metropolit Varlaam str., Chisinau;</i> – <i>Hotel “Turist”, 13 bd. Renasterii, Chisinau</i>
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*1<sup>st</sup> Day – Thursday, 20 September 2007*

8.00 – 9.00	Registration of the participants: – <i>LeoGrand Hotel &amp; Convention Center, 77 Metropolit Varlaam str., Chisinau</i>	
9.00–10.00	<p align="center"><b>Opening session</b></p> <p align="center"><i>Venue - LeoGrand Hotel &amp; Convention Center, Conference room “Raut”</i></p> <p><i>Opening statement:</i>  <b>Mr. Constantin Mihailescu</b>, Minister of Ecology and Natural Resources</p> <p><i>Welcome addresses:</i>  <b>Mr. Vladimir Ciobanu</b>, Chairman of Parliamentary Commission for Public Administration, Ecology and Territorial Development, Republic of Moldova  <b>Mr. Wieslaw Stefan Kuc</b>, Member of European Parliament  <b>Mr. John Vijgen</b>, Director, International HCH and Pesticides Association (The Netherlands)  <b>Mr. Konstantin Tertytze</b>, Environment Protection Agency (Germany)</p>	1 h

10.00–10.30	Opening of Exhibition “Danger obsolete pesticides”			0,5 h
10.30–11.00	Press Conference ( <i>Conference room “Raut”</i> )			0,5 h
<i>10.30–11.00</i>	<i>Coffee Break</i>			
	<b><i>Plenary Session</i></b>			2,5 h
11.00–13.30	<b><u>Section I. Practical experiences in POPs management and destruction in Moldova</u></b> <i>Venue - Conference room “Raut”</i>			
<i>13.30–14.30</i>	<i>Lunch</i>			
	<b><i>Parallel sessions</i></b>			1,5 h
14.30–16.00	<b><u>Section II. NIP’s for the Stockholm Convention state and implementation: barriers and opportunities</u></b> <i>Venue – Conference room “Jasmine”</i>	<b><u>Section III. Part 1. Pesticides waste management: practical experiences and destruction technologies</u></b> <i>Venue - Conference room “Raut”</i>	<b><u>Section V. Part 1. Remediation of pesticides contaminated sites</u></b> <i>Venue – Conference room “Begonia”</i>	
<i>16.00–16.30</i>	<i>Coffee Break</i>			
	<b><i>Parallel sessions</i></b>			1,5 h
16.30–18.00	<b><u>Section IV. Part 1. Monitoring and risk assessment of pesticides in environmental components and human bodies</u></b> <i>Venue – Conference room “Jasmine”</i>	<b><u>Section III. Part 2. Pesticides waste management: practical experiences and destruction technologies</u></b> <i>Venue - Conference room “Raut”</i>	<b><u>Section V. Part 2. Remediation of pesticides contaminated sites</u></b> <i>Venue – Conference room “Begonia”</i>	
<i>19.00–21.00</i>	<i>Reception offered by TREDI S.A. France</i>			

*2<sup>nd</sup> Day – Friday, 21 September 2007*

	<b><i>Parallel sessions</i></b>			2 h
9.00–11.00	<u><b>Section IV. Part 2. Monitoring and risk assessment of pesticides in environmental components and human bodies</b></u> <i>Venue – Conference room “Jasmine”</i>	<u><b>Section III. Part 3. Pesticides waste management: practical experiences and destruction technologies</b></u> <i>Venue - Conference room “Raut”</i>	<u><b>Section VI. Part 1. Public participation in Moldova and EECCA countries related to pesticides stockpiles issue</b></u> <i>Venue – Conference room “Begonia”</i>	
<i>11.00–11.30</i>	<i>Coffee Break</i>			
	<b><i>Parallel sessions</i></b>			2 h
11.30–13.30	<u><b>Section IV. Part 3. Monitoring and risk assessment of pesticides in environmental components and human bodies</b></u> <i>Venue – Conference room “Jasmine”</i>	<u><b>Section III. Part 4. Pesticides waste management: practical experiences and destruction technologies</b></u> <i>Venue - Conference room “Raut”</i>	<u><b>Section VI. Part 2. Public participation in Moldova and EECCA countries related to pesticides stockpiles issue</b></u> <i>Venue – Conference room “Begonia”</i>	
<i>13.30–14.30</i>	<i>Lunch</i>			
14.30–16.00	<u><b>Section VII. Poster session</b></u> <i>Venue – Conference room “Raut”</i>			1,5 h
14.30–16.00	<u><b>Side event</b></u> organized by_RECETOX and the Central and Eastern European POPs Centre: “Project MONET CEECs - POPs concentrations in the ambient air of the Central and Eastern Europe (CEE): Application of the passive air sampling technique as a tool for trend determination, and effectiveness evaluation of international conventions” <i>Venue – Conference room “Jasmine”</i>			1,5 h
<i>16.00–16.30</i>	<i>Coffee Break</i>			

16.00–17.45	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Closing Session</b> <i>Venue - Conference room "Raut"</i></p> <p><b>Closure</b> The Forum Resolution European Parliament Official message Welcome to 10<sup>th</sup> Forum in 2009</p>	1h 45m
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***3<sup>rd</sup> Day – Saturday, 22 September 2007***

8.00–18 00	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Field Trip:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstration of the Moldovan activities in the field of removal, packing and evacuation of the OP from Cimisia district centralized warehouse</li> <li>• Demonstration of the Milieukontakt phyto-remediation pilot project activities in Balceana, Hincesti district.</li> </ul>	
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***Departure Day – Sunday, 23 September 2007***