
Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
Committee on Environment and Development

Fourth session

Bangkok, 11-13 November 2015

Tentative programme

Wednesday, 11 November 2015

0730-0830 hours		Registration
0830-0930 hours	Item 1	Opening of the session Opening statement/remarks by the Executive Secretary of ESCAP Keynote address by a representative of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment of Thailand
	Item 2	Election of officers
	Item 3	Adoption of the agenda
0930-1030 hours		Break Pavilion of Partnerships for Capacity Development (in front of Conference Room 4)
1030-1230 hours	Item 4	Transformation for sustainable development in Asia and the Pacific: review of emerging regional trends and agenda-setting Introductory statement by the secretariat Panel discussion on the global Sustainable Development Goals process Discussion — statements by delegations
1230-1400 hours		Lunch Side event: “Valuing waste, transforming cities”
1400-1430 hours	Item 4 (continued)	Statements by delegations

- 1430-1600 hours **Item 5** Outcomes of key regional dialogues on sustainable development
- (a) First session of the Asia-Pacific Forum on Sustainable Development
 - (b) Second session of the Asia-Pacific Forum on Sustainable Development
 - (c) Sixth Asia-Pacific Urban Forum
 - (d) High-level Regional Preparatory Meeting to Habitat III for Asia-Pacific
 - (e) 2014 policy dialogue on energy for sustainable development for Asia and the Pacific
 - (f) Fifth International Forum on Energy for Sustainable Development
 - (g) Workshop on water and green growth in Asia and the Pacific to prepare regional inputs for the Seventh World Water Forum

1600-1630 hours **Break**
Pavilion of Partnerships for Capacity Development: networking session (in front of Conference Room 4)

1630-1730 hours **Item 5** Discussion — statements by delegations
(continued)

1730-1930 hours Reception in the Conference Centre Dining Room

Thursday, 12 November 2015

0900-1030 hours **Item 6** Preparations for the seventh Ministerial Conference on Environment and Development in Asia and the Pacific
Introductory statements by the secretariat
Discussion — statements by delegations

1030-1100 hours **Break**
Pavilion of Partnerships for Capacity Development: networking session (in front of Conference Room 4)

1100-1200 hours **Item 7** Consideration of draft resolutions, recommendations and decisions for submission to the Commission at its seventy-second session
Introductory statement by the secretariat
Discussion — statements by delegations

1200-1400 hours **Lunch**
Side event: “The roles of ESCAP and the United Nations Environment Assembly in the review and follow-up of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”

1400-1530 hours	Item 8	Consideration of the future focus of the subprogramme Introductory statement by the secretariat Discussion — statements by delegations
1530-1600 hours	Break	Pavilion of Partnerships for Capacity Development: networking opportunities (in front of Conference Room 4)
1600-1630 hours	Item 9	Other matters

Friday, 13 November 2015

0900-1200 hours		Pavilion of Partnerships for Capacity Development (in front of Conference Room 4)
0900-1100 hours		Side event: “Capacity-building training on the ESCAP e-learning platform”
1430-1530 hours	Item 10	Adoption of the report
1530-1540 hours		Closing
