

# COOPERATING BEYOND BORDERS



## SUCCESSFUL EXAMPLES OF TRANSBOUNDARY WATER MANAGEMENT

11 DECEMBER 2013 - COUNCIL OF EUROPE, STRASBOURG, FRANCE



CERCLE FRANÇAIS DE L'EAU



## DRAFT PROGRAM

09:15: Welcome coffee and registration

10:15 – 10:30: Welcoming remarks

**10:30 – 11:30: Plenary Session 1**

THE ITAIPU DAM – SHARING THE FLOWS FOR ENERGY

**11:30 – 12:30: Plenary Session 2**

THE MEKONG RIVER – FROM A PEACE PROCESS  
TO A NEXUS APPROACH

**14:00 – 15:00: Plenary Session 3**

ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE EUROPEAN WATER  
FRAMEWORK DIRECTIVE

**15:00 – 16:00: Plenary Session 4**

TRANSBOUNDARY GROUNDWATER COOPERATION

**16:30 – 17:30: Plenary session 5**

WHAT OUTCOMES FOR  
TRANSBOUNDARY WATER COOPERATION?

17:30 – 17:50: Closing remarks

### HIGH-LEVEL SPEAKERS INCLUDE

**Mr. Janez Potocnik**, European Commissioner for the Environment (tbc)

**Dr. Richard Seeber**, President of the European Parliament Water Group

**Pr. Benedito Braga**, President of the World Water Council

**H.E. Vichet Kasemthongsri**, Minister of Natural Resources and Environment of Thailand

**H.E. Mohamed Ben Salem**, Minister of Agriculture of Tunisia

*All sessions will take place in Room 1, Palace of Europe, Strasbourg*