

**21st Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol  
Port Ghalib, Egypt  
2 – 8 November 2009**

**REGIONAL GROUP MEETINGS AND SIDE EVENTS**

**Monday, 02 November 2009**

**Time:** 1300 – 1500hrs **Venue:** Meeting Room 104/105

**Title:** European Union Co-ordination

**Organizers:** European Union

**Description:** Regional Group Meeting

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**Monday, 02 November 2009**

**Time:** 1300 – 1500hrs **Venue:** Meeting Room 106/107

**Title:** Joint regional workshop on MDI's for African and West Asian countries

**Organizers:** UNEP DTIE/OzonAction

**Description:** Introducing opportunity to ODS Officers and MDI's experts in Africa and West Asia to exchange experience in development and implementation of MDI's Transitional Strategies, relevant MOP/ExCom decisions and challenges to phase-out ODS use in MDI's industry.

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**Tuesday, 03 November 2009**

**Time:** 1300 – 1500hrs **Venue:** Meeting Room 2

**Title:** JUSCANZ meeting

**Organizers:** Canada

**Description:** Regional Group Meeting

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**Tuesday, 03 November 2009**

**Time:** 1800 – 2000hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 2

**Title:** Like-Minded Group Meeting

**Organizers:** Australia

**Description:** Regional Group Meeting

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**Tuesday, 03 November 2009**

**Time:** 1800 – 2000hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 8

**Title:** HPMP Workshop for ECA network countries and implementation agencies

**Organizers:** UNEP DTIE/OzonAction

**Description:** ECA network countries requested UNEP to facilitate a question and answer session on related to HPMP preparation in order to harmonize approaches between lead agencies and to receive clarification on policy related questions from representatives of the Multilateral Fund. The request originated from the thematic meeting on certification and HPMP preparation in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan in August 2009.

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**Wednesday, 04 November 2009**

**Time:** 1300 – 1500hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 8

**Title:** Planning meeting for ECA Network and associated CEIT countries and Implementation Agencies

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**Organizers:** UNEP DTIE/OzonAction

**Description:** ECA network countries requested UNEP to facilitate ECA planning meetings in the margin of OEWG and MOP as a cost-efficient approach to share ideas, concerns and questions and to plan future activities of the network. This is in particular important in the context of the ECA network since it holds only 1 network meeting per year.

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**Wednesday, 04 November 2009**

**Time:** 1400 – 1500 hrs

**Venue:** Plenary Hall

**Title:** Highly energy-efficient and economical Non-Fluorocarbon Technologies

**Organizers:** Ministry of Economy Trade & Industry (METI), Japan

**Description:** In the exhibition booth, Japanese leading companies will display and demonstrate energy-saving and economical non-fluorocarbon equipment and a fluorocarbon recovery unit, which are used in a broad range of industries. In addition, we hold the session to introduce the displayed equipment and to provide professional knowledge and know-how of refrigerant recovery.

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**Wednesday, 04 November 2009**

**Time:** 1800 – 2000hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 106/107

**Title:** Availability and Use of CFC's beyond 2010

**Organizers:** UNEP DTIE & India

**Description:** To be announced

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**Thursday, 05 November 2009**

**Time:** 0800 – 1000hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 8

**Title:** THENATURALVOICE

**Organizers:** SHECCO

**Description:** Presentation of the campaign “THENATURALVOICE” aiming at informing the climate negotiators about an industry initiative promoting natural refrigerants as ideal replacements to chemical refrigerants.

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**Thursday, 05 November 2009**

**Time:** 1400 – 1500hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 106/107

**Title:** Progress of development for new cultivation systems without using MB as CUN for soil use

**Organizers:** Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry & Fisheries, Japan

**Description:** Japan has made a decision to completely abolish Methyl bromide for soils as critical uses after 2013 from a viewpoint of the protection of the Earth environment. Accordingly, new cultivation systems for crops have initially been developed from a last year, absolutely without Methyl bromide. In this workshop, the progress of development for new cultivation systems will be introduced by the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, Japan, and discuss future cooperation with A-5 countries, internationally.

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**Thursday, 05 November 2009**

**Time:** 1300 – 1500hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 7

**Title:** Findings of the study “Global emission projections of fluorinated greenhouse gases for 2050”

**Organizers:** GTZ-PROKLIMA

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**Description:** The study underlines the urgent need for mitigation measures of F-gas emissions, as global emissions of F-gases are projected to increase.

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**Thursday, 05 November 2009**

**Time:** 1300 – 1500hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 2

**Title:** The Montreal Protocol and Mechanisms to Access the Carbon Markets

**Organizers:** UNDP

**Description:** UNDP's Carbon Finance and Montreal Protocol Unit will lead an interactive presentation on accessing the carbon markets to finance climate benefits, including an overview of the architecture of a possible ODS Climate Facility.

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**Thursday, 05 November 2009**

**Time:** 1715 – 1930hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 106/107

**Title:** Ozone Protector Student/Youth competition

**Organizers:** Ministry of Environment of Egypt

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**Friday, 06 November 2009**

**Time:** 1330 – 1400hrs

**Venue:** Plenary Hall

**Title:** Contribution of Egypt Air in reducing flight emissions

**Organizers:** Egypt Air

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**Friday, 06 November 2009**

**Time:** 1330 – 1500hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 8

**Title:** Transforming Opportunities into Projects: News from Voluntary Carbon Market on ODS destruction

**Organizers:** World Bank

**Description:** Explore the rapid developments in the Voluntary Carbon Markets (VCM) towards wider adoption of ODS destruction credits as a product line and discuss the ensuing feasibility and opportunities for financing ODS destruction through the VCM. Also cast the issue of financing ODS disposal through the VCM in the broader context of medium and longer-term strategies for sustainable ODS management for Article 5 countries.

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**Friday, 06 November 2009**

**Time:** 1300 – 1500hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 106/107

**Title:** National workshop on Methyl Bromide

**Organizers:** Egypt NOU assisted by UNIDO

**Description:** To provide an overview of Methyl Bromide phase out projects across the world and an overview of Methyl Bromide alternatives for structures and commodities also to show the main project achievements during 1<sup>st</sup> phase

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**Saturday, 07 November 2009**

**Time:** 1330 – 1500hrs **Venue:** Plenary Hall

**Title:** Military contributions to ozone layer protection

**Organizers:** Government of Egypt and UNEP DTIE

**Description:** The workshop's objective is to share information on adoption of ODS alternative technologies, particularly implementation experiences in RAC applications and halons in the military, exchange information on halon banking operations and mechanisms for more effective use of halon banks, strengthen institutional cooperation between civilian NOUs and defense officials on halon phaseout and ODS phaseout at large. Establish linkages between the participating military organisations and their associated defense research institutions to foster cooperation on ODS phaseout in the region and develop a platform for sustained consultations between military on ODS phaseout and other responsible environment management initiatives

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**Saturday, 07 November 2009**

**Time:** 1900 - 1930hrs **Venue:** *To be decided*

**Title:** Cocktail reception and harp concert

**Organizers:** Ozone Secretariat

**Description:** Official cocktail reception in the honour of delegates to the 21st MOP

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**Saturday, 07 November 2009**

**Time:** 1930 - 2130hrs **Venue:** *To be decided*

**Title:** Government Reception

**Organizers:** Ministry of State for Environmental Affairs (MSEA)

**Description:** Official dinner and cultural show by Host Government

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**Sunday, 08 November 2009**

**Time:** 1330 – 1430hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 104/105

**Title:** Ministerial Side Event

**Organizers:** Ministry for Environment of Egypt & Ministry for Environment of Denmark

**Description:** Climate and Ozone issues

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**Sunday, 08 November 2009**

**Time:** 1330 – 1500hrs

**Venue:** Meeting Room 106/107

**Title:** Capitalizing on the MLF to leverage additional funds for HCFC Phaseout: Financial Engineering Ideas from the World Bank

**Organizers:** World Bank

**Description:** The World Bank is exploring strategies to capitalize on the predictability of Multilateral Fund financing through monetization of future commitments to support additional investment activities for HCFC phaseout. Representatives from the World Bank's Treasury Department will be present to provide ongoing examples of innovative fund-raising, including use of advanced commitments and 'sustainable investing' bonds, explain how a customized financial solution might be developed under the MLF to leverage additional project funding, present several scenarios based on a range of commitments over a 20yr horizon and illustrate the potential impact of advanced commitments on ozone and climate protection efforts.

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