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MOP-28 Side-Event

Safety and International Standards in Refrigeration and Air conditioning: Transitioning to safe and efficient alternatives



Date: Wednesday 12 October 2016

Time: 13:15-14:45

Room: MH1

Venue: Radisson Blu Hotel & Convention Centre, Kigali

Time	Topic	Presenter	Organization
13:15	Welcome address	Mr. Tim Kasten and Dr. Shamila Nair-Bedouelle	Deputy Director, UN Environment, Economy Division and Head, OzonAction
13:20	Safety issues associated with low GWP alternative refrigerants and overview of international and regional standards in the RAC sector	Mr. Didier Coulomb	International Institute of Refrigeration (IIR)
13:35	Qualification standard for service technicians	Ms. Hilde Dhont	European Partnership for Energy and Environment (EPEE)
13:45	The current situation and future direction of standards in China in the RAC sector	Mr. Zhong Zhifeng	Ministry for Environmental Protection (MEP), China
14:00	Standards and their role in HCFC phase-out: country perspective	Ms. Krysten Harris	Trinidad and Tobago
14:10	Importance of standards for Africa	Mr. Samuel Pare	Burkina Faso
14:20	Questions and Answers		
14:40	Launch of International Special Issue 2016-17: The road to competence in future green technology	Didier Coulomb and Shamila Nair-Bedouelle	Centro Studi Galileo, IIR and UN Environment

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A light lunch will be provided before this side-event. Welcome!