



# Using SDG 6 Policy Support System (SDG-PSS) to facilitate countries in Asia for water-related sustainable development

23-24 November 2022, Daegu, Republic of Korea

## Agenda

### Day 1: 23 November 2022

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09:00 – 09:30 *Registration*

09:30 – 10:00 **Opening Session**

*Moderator:* Ms. Yujeong Kim, United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD)

- Mr. Chun Kyoo Park, Head of Office, United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD)
- Mr. Bong Woo Shin, Director, International Center for Water Security and Sustainable Management (UNESCO i-WSSM)
- Mr. Manzoor Qadir, United Nations University Institute for Water, Environment and Health (UNU-INWEH)

### **Introduction of Participants and Group Photo**

10:00 – 10:30 *Coffee/Tea Break*

10:30 – 11:30 **Session I: Using SDG-PSS to support evidence-based policymaking around SDG 6<sup>1</sup>**

*Moderator:* Ms. Yujeong Kim, United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD)

- Ms. Zeineb Bouhlel, United Nations University Institute for Water, Environment and Health (UNU-INWEH)

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<sup>1</sup> This session presents SDG-PSS in detail with a focus on its key features and design, user options, requirements for its use, and outputs. The workshop participants will learn how evidence for water-related policymaking can be supported through the SDG-PSS critical components. The presentation will be for 25 minutes followed by 35 minutes of discussion based on questions and comments from the workshop participants.

11:30 – 12:30 **Session II: Status of SDG 6 and use of SDG-PSS in regional hub countries<sup>2</sup>**

*Moderator:* Ms. Dahae Park, Senior Programme Specialist, UNESCO i-WSSM  
**Briefing | Introduction to SDG 6 implementation status in Asia region**

**Republic of Korea**

- Mr. Changsam Jeong, Professor, Induk University

**Pakistan**

- Mr. Faizan ul Hasan, Pakistan Council of Research in Water Resources (PCRWR)

12:30 – 14:00 *Lunch (Cafeteria lunch hour – 11:30~13:30)*

14:00 – 15:30 **Session III: Feedback on SDG-PSS from countries participated in previous workshop<sup>3</sup>**

*Moderator:* Ms. Zeineb Bouhlel, United Nations University Institute for Water, Environment and Health (UNU-INWEH)

- Bangladesh • Cambodia • Mongolia • Saudi Arabia • Tajikistan • Turkey

15:30 – 15:50 *Coffee/Tea Break*

15:50 – 17:10 **Session IV: Feedback on SDG-PSS from countries participating the first time<sup>4</sup>**

*Moderator:* Mr. Manzoor Qadir, United Nations University Institute for Water, Environment and Health (UNU-INWEH)

- Lao People's Democratic Republic • Lebanon • State of Palestine • Uzbekistan • Yemen

17:10 – 17:30 **Day 1 Wrap-up & Day 2 Notice**

*Moderator:* Ms. Chaela Shin, United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD)

17:30 – Dinner Reception

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<sup>2</sup> The session presents the status of SDG 6 in SDG project's regional hub countries in Asia (Pakistan and Republic of Korea). The key aspect of these presentations will be showcasing the implementation and use of SDG-PSS to produce evidence for achieving SDG 6. Each country will have 40 minutes with presentation of 30 minutes followed by 10 minutes of discussion based on questions and comments from the workshop participants.

<sup>3</sup> Participants are invited to share their experience of using SDG-PSS since the 2019 regional workshop along with the feedback on how SDG-PSS can be improved to better fit their needs. Each country will have 6 minutes, followed by a discussion and exchange among participants.

<sup>4</sup> Participants from the countries participating first time are invited to share their initial experience of using SDG-PSS. Each country will have 6 minutes, followed by a discussion and exchange among participants.

## Day 2: 24 November 2022

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09:15 – 09:35 **Recap of Day 1 with focus on SDG-PSS<sup>5</sup>**

- Ms. Chaela Shin, United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD)

09:35 – 10:35 **Session V: Building regional cooperation around SDG 6 and SDG-PSS<sup>6</sup>**

*Moderator:* Mr. Manzoor Qadir, United Nations University Institute for Water, Environment and Health (UNU-INWEH)

10:35 – 11:00 *Coffee/Tea Break* (Cafeteria lunch hour – 11:30~13:30)

11:00 – 11:20 **Wrap-up and closing session**

*Moderator:* Dr. Kiyoung Park, Director, Korea Water Resources Corporation (K-water)

- Mr. Chun Kyoo Park, United Nations Office for Sustainable Development (UNOSD)
- Dr. Yong Deok Cho, Deputy Director, Korea Water Resources Corporation (K-water)
- Mr. Bong Woo Shin, Director, International Center for Water Security and Sustainable Management (UNESCO i-WSSM)
- Mr. Manzoor Qadir, United Nations University Institute for Water, Environment and Health (UNU-INWEH)

11:20 – 11:30 Logistics for the field trip  
(Location) Daegu Gangjeong Goryeongbo, The Ark

11:30 – 13:30 *Lunch*

13:30 – 15:30 Field trip

*A visit to 'The Ark: Four Rivers Culture Pavilion' and 'Gangjeong Goryeongbo' along Nakdonggang (River) is scheduled. The Ark is a representative water cultural center of four major rivers in Korea. Gangjeong Goryeongbo is the largest weir (length 953.5m) on Nakdonggang.*

15:30 – 16:00 Transportation to EXCO or hotel

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<sup>5</sup> This session consists of recap of Day 1 with a focus on SDG-PSS. This session also provides the opportunity to the participants to share their feedback on different aspects of the tool.

<sup>6</sup> Participants are invited to discuss the possibility of establishing regional cooperation around SDG 6 and water-related policymaking while using SDG-PSS. The key output of this session is to have enhanced regional cooperation among UN organizations, institutions in Pakistan and Republic of Korea and countries in the region.