

## Kigali Amendment - Vienna Talks

Opportunities, challenges and key actions for the phase-down of HFCs,  
with special chapter on Africa

Vienna International Centre – Building C, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Room C1

### Tuesday, 13 June

<b>Tuesday, 13 June</b>	
<b>8:00 - 8:30</b>	<b>Registration and welcome coffee</b>
<b>8:30 - 9:30</b>	<p><b>Opening Session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Welcome</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Philippe SCHOLTÈS , Managing Director, Programme Development and Technical Cooperation, UNIDO</li> <li>– Stephan SICARS, Director of the Department of Environment, UNIDO</li> <li>– Juliet KABERA, NOU Rwanda.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Results from the participant survey on the Kigali Amendment.</i> Franziska MENTEN, UNIDO</li> <li>• <i>Group photo session</i></li> </ul>
<b>9:30 - 10:30</b>	<p><b>Kigali Amendment: new scenario, new opportunities</b></p> <p>Chairperson: Paul KRAJNIK, Austrian Ministry for Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Analysis of Kigali Amendment.</i> Ole NIELSEN, UNIDO</li> <li>• <i>Regulatory framework, benefits and policies for the ratification.</i> Rodica IVAN, UNIDO</li> </ul>
<b>10:30 - 11:00</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>
<b>11:00 - 12:30</b>	<p><b>Outcomes from ODS alternatives surveys: gaps, challenges and best practices</b></p> <p>Moderator: Andrés CELAVE, UNIDO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Summary and general analysis on UNIDO conducted surveys on ODS alternatives.</i> Ester MONROY, UNIDO</li> <li>• <i>Presentation from countries</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– <i>Chile.</i> Claudia Paratori, NOU</li> <li>– <i>Cameroon.</i> Peter Ayuk ENOH, NOU</li> <li>– <i>Bosnia and Herzegovina.</i> Azra ROGOVIC-GRUBIC, NOU</li> <li>– <i>Mexico.</i> Alan BASTIDA MORALES, NOU</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <i>Discussion and conclusions</i></li> </ul>
<b>12:30 - 13:45</b>	<b>Lunch</b>



<b>13:45 - 14:30</b>	<b>Strengthening industry from a gender perspective</b> Chairperson: Gratiela TARLEA, Romanian General Association of Refrigeration <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Women in Refrigeration</i>. Ina COLOMBO, International Institute of Refrigeration</li><li>• <i>UNIDO's approach on gender mainstreaming</i>. Akos KOESZEGVARY, UNIDO</li></ul>
<b>14:30 - 16:00</b>	<b>Country experiences on HFCs regulation &amp; policies</b> Moderator: Katinka VIGH, UNIDO <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Europe: F-Gas regulation</i>. Paul KRAJNIK, Austrian Ministry for Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management</li><li>• <i>Enforcing ODS &amp; F-Gas Regulation: the experiences of Croatia and EUROPOL</i>. Igor JAKUPIC, EUROPOL / Customs Directorate of Croatia</li><li>• <i>Replacement of old and inefficient appliances in the residential sector in Mexico</i>. Agustín SÁNCHEZ, NOU Mexico</li><li>• <i>Ratification of the Kigali Amendment: the experience of Mali</i>. Modibo SACKO, NOU Mali</li></ul>
<b>16:00 - 16:30</b>	<b>Coffee break</b>
<b>16:30 - 17:30</b>	<b>Opportunities for enabling activities for ratification and reporting</b> Moderator: Franziska MENTEN, UNIDO <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>OzonAction support for Article 5 countries in the new HCFC/HFC era</i>. Jim CURLIN, UN Environment</li><li>• <i>UNIDO's vision</i>. Riccardo SAVIGLIANO, UNIDO</li></ul>
<b>18:00 - 20:30</b>	<b>Cocktail Reception at Vienna International Centre, sponsored by the Government of Austria</b>



**Wednesday, 14 June**

<b>9:00 - 10:30</b>	<p><b>Back to the future I. Alternative solutions for the phase-down of HFCs: available options to promote non HFCs-based technologies</b></p> <p>Moderator: Fukuya IINO, UNIDO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Overview of alternatives in different applications.</i> Armin HAFNER, Norwegian University of Science and Technology.</li><li>• <i>Highlights of UNIDO Initiatives</i><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– <i>The Gambia: Innovative partnerships.</i> Bafoday SANYANG, NOU Gambia &amp; Katinka VIGH, UNIDO</li><li>– <i>Egypt: Promotion of low-GWP technologies.</i> Ezzat LEWIS, NOU Egypt &amp; Lamia BENABBAS, UNIDO</li><li>– <i>Tanzania: Refrigerant quality.</i> Magdalena JOHN, NOU Tanzania &amp; Rodrigo SERPA, UNIDO</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>10:30 - 11:00</b>	<p><b>Coffee break</b></p>
<b>11:00 - 12:45</b>	<p><b>Back to the future II. Alternative solutions for the phase-down of HFCs: market barriers and options to overcome them</b></p> <p>Moderator: Milan DEMKO, UNIDO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Market barriers (based on the Chinese case) and options to avoid them, including South-South Cooperation.</i> Dou YANWEI, China Household Electrical Appliance Association</li><li>• <i>Training &amp; Certification, tool to mitigate barriers</i><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– <i>UNIDO approach in the Caribbean.</i> Ozunimi ITI, UNIDO</li><li>– <i>Certification schemes and standards.</i> Marco BUONI, Centro Studi Galileo</li></ul></li><li>• <i>Partnerships with the private sector to mitigate barriers.</i> Ganna ONYSKO, UNIDO</li><li>• <i>Sustainable procurement to mitigate barriers.</i> Michael DETHLEFSEN, UNIDO</li><li>• <i>Summary by UNIDO.</i> Ole NIELSEN, UNIDO</li></ul>
<b>12:45 - 14:00</b>	<p><b>Lunch</b></p>
<b>14:00 - 15:30</b>	<p><b>Energy efficiency: the key element</b></p> <p>Moderator: Yuri SOROKIN, UNIDO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>UNIDO initiatives and programmes on energy efficient appliances.</i> Rana GHONEIM, UNIDO</li><li>• <i>New business models for resource efficiency.</i> Petra SCHWAGER, UNIDO</li><li>• <i>Energy savings in refrigeration.</i> Tamás GRÓF, International Expert</li><li>• <i>District cooling.</i> Dalibor KYSELA, UNIDO</li></ul>
<b>15:30 - 16:00</b>	<p><b>Coffee break</b></p>



<b>16:00 - 17:15</b>	<b>Wrap-up and closure</b> Moderator: Riccardo SAVIGLIANO, UNIDO <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Video: a call for action from industries.</i></li><li>• <i>Our strategy and results concerning energy efficiency and GHG reduction on supermarket level.</i> Franz HÖLZL, SPAR</li><li>• <i>Interactive session / discussion.</i> Nina MASSON, International Expert</li><li>• <i>Closing remarks.</i> Stephan SICARS, UNIDO</li></ul>
<b>18:00 - 21:00</b>	<b>Evening Reception at Arcotel Kaiserwasser Wien, sponsored by the Government of Italy</b>

**Thursday, 15 June**

**SPECIAL SESSION FOR AFRICAN COUNTRIES**

<b>9:00 - 9:30</b>	<p><b>Opening Session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Welcome</i></li> <li>– Amita MISRA, Director of Department of Regional Programmes and Field Representation, UNIDO</li> <li>– H.E. Maria Assunta ACCILI SABBATINI, Italian Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Italy to the International Organizations, TBC</li> <li>– Stephan SICARS, Director of the Department of Environment, UNIDO</li> </ul>
<b>9:30 – 10:30</b>	<p><b>Special session for African countries</b></p> <p>Moderator: Ozunimi ITI, UNIDO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Italian bilateral cooperation in Africa on environmental issues.</i> Bruna KOHAN, Environmental Cooperation Program of the Italian Ministry for Environment in Africa</li> <li>• <i>Third Industrial Development Decade for Africa (IDDA III).</i> Edme KOFFI, UNIDO</li> <li>• <i>Technology options for air conditioning in buildings and in the cold chain.</i> Gabriella RAGO and Barbara GONELLA, ISPRA – Italy</li> <li>• <i>Refrigeration in cold chain in Africa.</i> Yvonne LOKKO, UNIDO</li> </ul>
<b>10:30 - 11:00</b>	<p><b>Coffee break</b></p>
<b>11:00 - 12:30</b>	<p><b>Special session for African countries</b></p> <p>Moderator: Franziska MENTEN, UNIDO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Training and provision of equipment: keys for the refrigeration servicing sector in Africa.</i> Marco BUONI, AREA</li> <li>• <i>Elaboration of a study to identify African needs vis-a-vis Kigali Amendment.</i> Nina MASSON, International Expert &amp; Fabio POLONARA, TEAP</li> </ul>
<b>12:30 - 13:45</b>	<p><b>Lunch</b></p>
<b>PRACTICAL SESSION ON REFRIGERANT IDENTIFIERS</b>	
<b>13:45 – 17:30</b>	<p>Facilitator: Ole NIELSEN, UNIDO</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Use and best practices in the use of refrigerant identifiers</i></li> </ul> <p><b>Bilateral meetings on ongoing HPMPs and projects</b></p>