

Expert Group on Techno- economic Issues: Expectations from WGSR

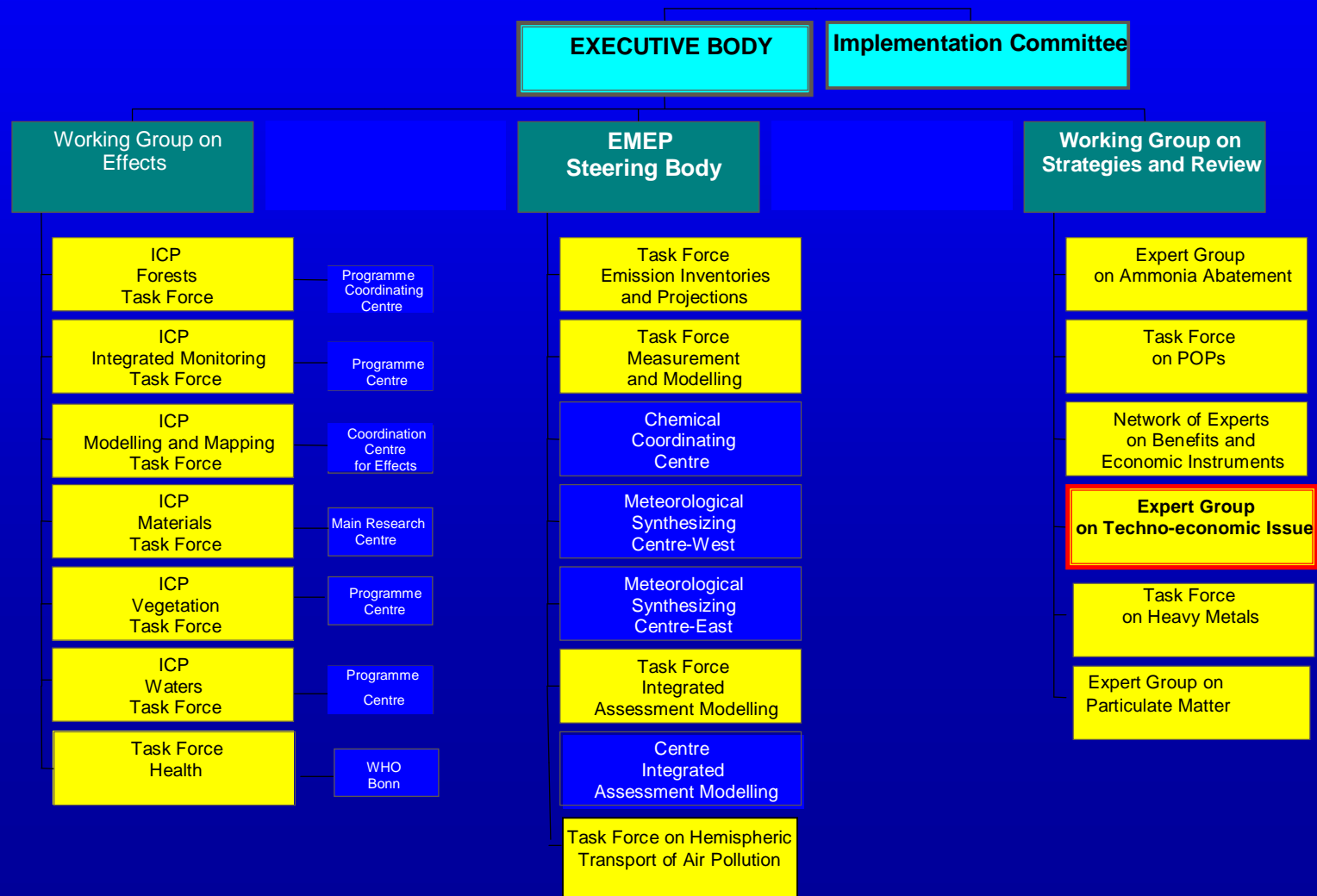
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Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution

CONVENTION ON LONG-RANGE TRANSBOUNDARY AIR POLLUTION



Review of Gothenburg Protocol (1)

- Entered into force in May 2005
- First meeting of Parties in Dec. 2005
- Review launched according to Art. 10
- To be finalised within 2 years (Dec 07)

Review of Gothenburg Protocol (2)

In general according to Art. 10, should consider best scientific information on:

- Health effects, CLs, IA Models
- Technological developments and abatement techniques
- Changing economic conditions

Review of Gothenburg Protocol (3)

Specifically from Art. 3 para. 4:

Scheduled evaluation of limit values

- for new and existing boilers and process heaters > 50 MWth
- new heavy-duty vehicles

Review of Gothenburg Protocol (4)

- Annexes review with ELVs
- Review of annex II on national emission ceilings
- Development of baseline scenario beyond 2010
- Report to Parties who would decide on a possible revision of the Protocol

Review of the technical documents

- Make data available for future consideration of revision of technical annexes, in particular annexes IV, V and VIII
- Other guidance docs on control techniques for stationary and mobile sources
- Explore techniques to handle PM

Further work:

- Encourage other Parties to nominate experts, stimulate interest
- Finalize the work on Large and Small combustion plants, including wood heating system, as well as the rest of on-going documentation
- Organize a seminar in Central Asia to disseminate the knowledge on state-of-the-art technologies

Further information on

Convention WEB SITE:

<http://www.unece.org/env/lrtap>

