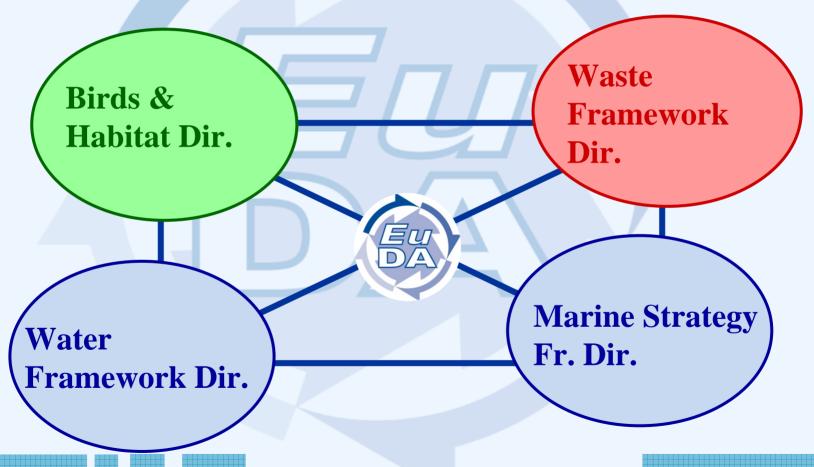


Workshop on "Green Innovations keep the European Dredgers at Global Leading Edge"

Wednesday 3rd November 2010
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Background





Objectives of the Workshop

Provide useful insight to the following questions:

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EuDA Environment Committee Chairman



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Setting the Scene

Marine Ecosystems

Prof. Dr Patrick Meire,

University of Antwerp, Department of Biology head of the ecosystem management research group (ECOBE)



Setting the Scene

European Legislation

Birgit Shoeren,

DG Environment, Unit D2 for 'Marine'



Integrated Coastal Zone Management Building with Nature in

The Netherlands

LStefan Aarminkhof, ECOSHAPE



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Example Cases in Dredging Operations

Monitoring Programme for Maasvlakte 2

Tiedo Vellinga,

Port of Rotterdam



Example Cases in Dredging Operations

UK Marine Aggregate Levy Sustainability Fund

Mark Russell,

BMAPA

Dr Richard Newell,

DEFRA (MALSF)



Open Discussion

Marine & Aquatic environment
 Valuable ecosystems
 Resilient
 Dynamic characteristics
 Support Building with Nature
 Coastal & Marine Works
 Knowledge of Environment
 Respect
 Responsibility

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Conclusions

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Thank you!

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