



Conférence ministérielle sur l'**EAU**  
Ministerial Conference on

**WATER**

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## DRAFT AGENDA

Sunday 21 December 2008

King Hussein Bin Talal Convention Center

8:30 – 16:15	<b>Civil Society Session</b>	Dead Sea Hall
15:30 – 16:30	<b>EU Coordination Meeting</b>	Wadi Ram Hall
16:30 – 17:30	<b>Water Senior Officials Meeting</b>	Wadi Ram Hall
	<b>Side-events</b>	
17:45 – 18:55	Red Sea – Dead Sea transfer: Technical presentation	Dead Sea Hall
18:55 – 19:45	Rehabilitation of the lower Jordan River System	Dead Sea Hall
21:00 – 23:00	Diner offered by Jordan	Hotel Mövenpick



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Monday 22 December 2008

King Hussein Bin Talal Convention Center (Dead Sea Hall)

- 9:00**                    **Welcome of delegations**
- 9:30**                    **Opening Session co-chaired by Jordan, Egypt and France**  
Under the patronage of His Majesty, King Abdallah II, a representative will attend
- National Anthem
- Speech of Mr. Raed Abu Soud, Minister of Water and Irrigation of Jordan
- Speech of Mr. Mahmoud Abou Zeid, Minister of Water Resources and Irrigation of Egypt
- Speech of Mr. Jean-Louis Borloo, Minister of Ecology, Energy, Sustainable Development, and Town and Country Planning of France
- Speech of Mr. Stavros Dimas, Commissioner for the Environment, European Community
- 10:30**                    **Coffee Break and ministerial photo session**
- His Majesty's representative leaves
- 11:00**                    **Morning Session: Water in the Mediterranean: A Strategy for water in the Mediterranean**
- Remarks by:
- Mme Helena Espinosa, Spanish Minister of Environment and Maritime and Rural Affairs
- Mrs. Jane Macpherson, Head of the European Investment Bank's Regional Office for the Near East, European Investment Bank (TBC)
- Ministerial comments
- Eng Khaldon Khashman, General Secretary of Water of Jordan



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Eman Nimri, Coordinator Civil Society, JOHUD

**12:30**

**Lunch (Mount Nebo Hall)**

**14:00**

**Afternoon session : Water in the Mediterranean : Concrete projects**

Ministerial comments

**15:30**

**Adoption of Ministerial Declaration**

**15:45**

**Closing Session by:**

M. Mahmoud Abou Zeid, Minister of Water Resources and Irrigation of Egypt

M. Jean-Louis Borloo, Minister of Ecology, Energy, Sustainable Development and Town and Country Planning of France

Mr. Raed Abu Soud, Minister of Water and Irrigation of Jordan

**16:15 – 16:45**

**Press Conference (Wadi Ramm Hall)**

**16:15 – 17:30**

**Reception**