



**Environment Quality Authority** 

## **Program and Schedule**

Workshop on Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) for the Palestinian Environment Technical Staff (16 - 18 July 2019)

Date/ Timing	Tuesday 16/07	Wednesday 17/07	Thursday 18/07
Venue	Caesar Hotel/ Ramallah	Caesar Hotel/ Ramallah	Caesar Hotel/ Ramallah
8:15	Introduction to workshop and learning objectives  Presentation of participants and their SEA knowledge or experience (if any)  Module 1: Introduction & Background to SEA (theory, individual and group exercises, Q&A)  • SEA definitions and terminology  • SEA vs. EIA  • SEA purpose & objectives	<ul> <li>Module 2: Applied SEA - Screening &amp; Scoping (Cont') (group exercises)</li> <li>Group exercise on internal consistency (35 minutes)</li> <li>Group exercise on compatibility test (35minutes)</li> <li>Group exercise on setting SEA objectives, criteria, indicators and targets (20 minutes)</li> </ul>	Module 4: Applied SEA- Assessment (Tools and Methods) (theory, Q&A, and quiz)   Collection of baseline data Impacts identification, prediction, and evaluation Evaluating and comparing alternatives
10:00	Coffee/Tea Break	Coffee/Tea Break	Coffee/Tea Break

10:15	<ul> <li>Module 1: Introduction &amp; Background to SEA (Cont') (theory, group exercises, Q&amp;A, quiz)</li> <li>Role of SEA in the decision-making process</li> <li>Benefits and principles of SEA (performance criteria)</li> <li>Drivers of SEA</li> <li>SEA approaches</li> <li>SEA Models</li> <li>SEA applications</li> <li>SEA legal contexts and frameworks</li> <li>Limitations of SEA</li> </ul>	Module 2: Applied SEA - Screening & Scoping (Cont') (theory, group exercises)  • Discussion of findings of group exercise on setting SEA objectives, criteria, indicators and targets • Scoping: SEA TOR and alternatives • Scoping report  Module 3: Stakeholders' Involvement and Public Participation (theory) • Who are the stakeholders? • Purpose and objectives of stakeholders' involvement	Module 4: Applied SEA- Assessment (Tools and Methods) (theory, Q&A, and quiz)  • Analytic tools and methods used in SEA  • Consistency and compatibility analyses  • Mitigation and enhancement measures  • Group discussion
11:45	Coffee/Tea Break	Coffee/Tea Break	Coffee/Tea Break
12:00	Module 2: Applied SEA - Screening & Scoping (theory, Q&A, and group exercises)  Overview of applied SEA SEA screening Group exercise on screening (30 minutes)	Module 3: Stakeholders' Involvement and Public Participation (Cont') (theory, Q& A, quiz, and group exercise)  Benefits of public involvement Principles of involvement Level of public involvement When to involve stakeholders in SEA? Involvement methods	Module 5: SEA report, Quality Assurance, & Monitoring (theory)  SEA Report  SEA Review (Quality Assurance)  Informing and influencing decision-making  Monitoring
13:30	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch

14:30 – 16:00	Module 2: Applied SEA - Screening & Scoping (Cont') (theory, Q&A, and group exercises)	Module 3: Stakeholders' Involvement and Public Participation (Cont') (group exercise)	Practical session on applying SEA on a selected case study
	<ul> <li>SEA scoping</li> <li>Scoping: preparatory tasks</li> <li>Scoping: SEA objectives, criteria, indicators &amp; targets.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Group exercise on developing stakeholders' involvement and public participation plan</li> </ul>	Evaluation of the workshop -End of the workshop-