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**MEDITERRANEAN ACTION PLAN (MAP)  
REGIONAL MARINE POLLUTION EMERGENCY RESPONSE CENTRE FOR  
THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA (REMPEC)**

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## **REGIONAL WORKSHOP**

**ON THE PREPARATION OF NATIONAL ACTION PLANS FOR THE  
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MEDITERRANEAN STRATEGY FOR THE  
PREVENTION OF, PREPAREDNESS, AND RESPONSE TO MARINE  
POLLUTION FROM SHIPS (2022-2031)**

**Malta, 20 November 2024**

**FINAL PROGRAMME**

Time	20 November 2024	Speaker/Lecturer
<b>08:30-09:00</b>	<b>Arrival and registration of participants</b>	
09:00-09:30	<b>Opening session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opening remarks and overall goal of the Workshop</li> <li>• Introduction of participants and facilitators</li> </ul>	Mr. Ivan Sammut, Head of Office, REMPEC; Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant; Participants
09:30-10:00	<b>International Agreements</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• From Agreement to Action: successful tools and cases in International Law to achieve collective goals</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant
10:00-10:30	<b>The Mediterranean (Strategy 2022-2031)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of the Strategy (interactive participation)</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant
<b>10:30-11:00</b>	<b>Coffee break I</b>	
11:00-11:45	<b>Introduction to the Guidance Document: Preparation of National Action Plans for the Implementation of the Mediterranean Strategy (2022-2031)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction</li> <li>• Explanation of the Draft Guidance Document</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant; Participants
11:45-12:15	<b>Stakeholder Engagement in National Action Plans</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifying key players and their roles</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant
12:15-12:30	<b>Interactive Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Q&amp;A about the introductory part</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant Participants
<b>12:30-14:00</b>	<b>Lunch break</b>	
12:30-13:00	<b>Implementation process – Part I</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The National Assessment (NA)</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant
13:00-13:30	<b>Implementation process – Part II</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The National Action Plan (NAP)</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant
13:30-14:00	<b>National Assessment in practice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completion of the NA</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant
14:00-14:30	<b>National Action Plan in practice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preparing a NAP: <i>-Identification of actions needed for the development of NAPs;</i> <i>-Monitoring and Evaluation.</i></li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant
14:30-15:30	<b>Review of the Draft Guidance Document</b>	Mr. Ivan Sammut, Head of Office, REMPEC; Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant; Participants
<b>15:30-16:00</b>	<b>Coffee break II</b>	
16:00-16:45	<b>Group presentation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Groups outcome of their NA and NAP</li> </ul>	Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant Participants
16:45-17:15	<b>Conclusions and Recommendations</b>	Mr. Ivan Sammut, Head of Office, REMPEC; Ms. Eliana Barleta, REMPEC Consultant; Participants
17:15-17:30	<b>Workshop close-out session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closing remarks</li> <li>• Group photo</li> </ul>	Mr. Ivan Sammut, Head of Office, REMPEC Participants
<b>17:30</b>	<b>End of the Workshop</b>	