

# Presentation

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EUREAU

# EUREAU

## European Federation of National Associations of water & waste water Services

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# 1. A word about EUREAU

- The only professional federation of European drinking water & waste water operators
- Umbrella of national water & waste water associations
- Founded in 1975
- Consensus based decision-making
- Representing the full range of water & waste water operators across Europe



# MEMBERS

31 full + 1 observer  
Member Associations

29 countries

> 400 million customers

- Full members
- Full members (EFTA countries)
- Observer members
- Non members (EU countries)



# EUREAU's missions

- To promote the common interests of water & waste water operators in Europe;
- To cooperate with EU decisions makers in terms of water & waste water legislation;
- To enable water & waste water operators to adequately deal with treats and opportunities;
- To be a platform to exchange information & experiences.

## 2. Upstream control & priority substances

- Water Framework Directive and priority substances;
- Need for involvement of all parties in River basins;
- Drinking water resources;
- Waste water treatment plants.

### 3. Objectives of workshop (1/2)

Identification of sources of relevant priority substances, like e.g.:

⇒ Storm water

⇒ Wide-spread urban activities

⇒ Service activities

⇒ Households and urban infrastructure

## Objectives of workshop (2/2)

**Four-five cases from four different RBMPs will be presented. The focus in the presentations will be on the following issues:**

- Identification of PS and PHS for which diffuse sources prevent reaching WFD-goals;
- Among these substances, identification of potential measures at national and/or EU level based on substance specific studies on existing legislation and gaps;
- Discussion of the effectiveness of measures and feasibility.

**Thanks a lot for your attention  
and  
wishing you an active  
participation to this workshop!**

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