



Tentative Programme

Role and functioning of national and sub-national climate laws and climate committees to deliver to the Paris agreement: case studies, best practices

EEAC Working Group Energy Workshop

Brussels, 17th June 2016 10:00 – 13:30

Welcome by Permanent Mission of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Brussels

How could climate laws be assessed vis-à-vis other policy instruments and what characterizes the current debate?

by Mr. Boot, Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency

What is the potential of climate laws with regard to the implementation of the Paris agreement ? By Prof. Macrory, University College London

Refreshment

Case studies: four national or sub-national climate laws will be analysed, touching upon different parameters and their effects on the effectiveness of the laws and climate committees. The case studies will also be used to exemplify broader topics and discussions. After every session there is time for Q&A. Topics will also be collected on beforehand and prepared:

- The climate law in France
- The climate law in Finland
- The climate law in Catalonia
- Additional case upon request

Panel discussion with representatives from sub-national level, Legalists, Ngo's and Business representatives to further deepen issues raised during the morning session or on beforehand.

Closing Remarks / Lunch