

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY IN THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA

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The main priorities of environmental protection and sustainable management of natural resources in the republic of Moldova are the following:

1. Improvement and insurance of the conditions of good governance in the area of environmental protection and sustainable use of natural resources

This objective will be achieved by:

Consolidation of the institutional and managerial potential in the area of environmental protection and sustainable use of natural resources;

Defining the Action Plan for approximation of the National environmental legislation and initiation of transposition of the European Union Directives.

2. Maintaining the quality of environment as a factor which insures health and life quality

This objective will be achieved by:

Consolidating the measures on preventing the pollution of the environment through increased awareness and integration of the requirements for environmental protection in the National, territorial and sectoral economic policies;

Prevention and reduction of the degradation of the natural resources and their efficient usage;

Extension and protection of the nature territories protected by the State;

Improvement of the policy of the waste management;

Modernising and making more efficient the National monitoring system of the status and evolution of the hydrometeorological conditions and the environmental quality;

Improvement of the State control on insuring the execution of the legislation in environmental protection and sustainable use of natural resources.

3. Transboundary cooperation on the environmental protection and sustainable use of natural resources

This objective will be achieved by:

Strengthening the efforts in the framework of bilateral agreements

Strengthening the administrative capacities for the implementation of the stipulations of the International treaties that Moldova is party to

Attracting investments for environmental protection

Capacity development on project drawing

4. Increase the public's awareness, including information and education

This objective will be achieved by:

Development of a National Strategy on „Education for sustainable development”

Organising radio and TV ecological programmes.

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