# **Information Note for Participants**

# United Nations workshop Capacity Development in Advancing Water and Sustainable Development

24-25 February 2015, New York

#### Venue

This workshop will be held at UN Headquarters in New York in Conference Room 11 in the Conference Building.

#### Passes

A staff member holding a sign that reads "Water Workshop" will provide *all registered participants* with an entry pass at the **visitor's entrance on 1st avenue and 46th street at 8:30-8:45am on Tuesday, 24 February**.

Please bring with you valid form of identification. Only participants with UN passes will be allowed entry to the building.

#### **Coffee Breaks**

We will serve one coffee break in the morning and one in the afternoon on each day of this workshop.

# <u>Lunch</u>

The UN Cafeteria is located on the first floor of the UN Secretariat building. It is open Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 4 PM.

# <u>Website</u>

All relevant documents for this workshop including the agenda, concept note, reports, and background documents can be found on our website here:

https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/index.php?page=view&type=13&nr=1157&m enu=1066

# <u>Visas</u>

Please find information regarding US visas here: http://travel.state.gov/visa/temp/types/types\_1262.html

# <u>Climate</u>

The average temperature in New York City in February is 25 - 37 degrees Fahrenheit (-3 - 2 degrees Celsius).

#### **Hotel Accommodations**

*Please book your own hotel accommodations prior to your arrival in New York.* We have attached a list of hotels near the UN for your ease of reference.

| UNITED NATIONS HOTEL LIST           |  |              |
|-------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Hotel Name                          | Hotel Address                            | Telephone#   |
| Affinia                             | 155 East 50th St                         | 212-751-5710 |
| Affinia Dumont                      | 150 West 34th St                         | 212-481-7600 |
| Algonquin                           | 59 West 44th St                          | 212-840-6800 |
| Ambassador                          | 140 East 63rd St                         | 212-838-5700 |
| Benjamin                            | 125 East 50th St                         | 212-753-2700 |
| Bentley                             | 500 East 62nd St                         | 212-644-6000 |
| The Court – St Giles Premier Hotel  | 130 East 39 <sup>th</sup> St             | 212-6851100  |
| The Tuscany – St Giles Luxury hotel | 120 East 39 <sup>th</sup> St             | 212-686-1600 |
| Hilton Manhattan East(formerly      |  |              |
| Tudor Hotel)                        | 304 East 42nd St                         | 212-986-8800 |
| Club Quarters Grand Central         | 128 East 45th St                         | 212-986-6400 |
| D/Tree Metropolitan                 | 569 Lexington Ave 53rd                   | 212-752-7000 |
| Eastgate Tower Hotel                | 222 East 39th St                         | 212-687-8000 |
| Envoy Club                          | 377 East 33rd St                         | 212-481-4600 |
| Fitzpatrick                         | 141 East 44th St                         | 212-784-2520 |
| Grand Hyatt New York                | 42nd - Park Avenue                       | 212-883-1234 |
| Hampton Inn Manhattan UN            | 231 E 43rd St Between 2nd<br>and 3rd Ave | 212-897-5702 |
| Helmsley Middle Town                | 148 East 48th St                         | 212-755-3000 |
| The Westin at Grand Central         |  | 212 100 0000 |
| formerly Hemsley New York           | 212 East 42nd St                         | 212-490-8900 |
| Hemsley Park Lane                   | 36 Central                               | 212-521-6239 |
| Hilton Manhattan East               | 304 East 42nd Street                     | 212-986-8800 |
| The Marcel at Gramercy              | 201 East 24th St 3rd Av.                 | 212-696-3800 |
| One UN New York Hotel               | 1 United Nations Plaza                   | 212-758-1234 |
| New York Marriott East Side         | 525 Lexington Avenue at 49th<br>Street   | 212-755-4000 |
| 70 Park Avenue -Kempton Htl         | 70 Park Avenue NY                        | 212-973-2400 |
| Pod Hotel                           | 230 E 51ST STREET                        | 212-755-5029 |
|                                     | 45 EAST 45TH ST AT                       |              |
| Roosevelt Hotel                     | MADISON AVE                              | 212-661-9600 |
| Radisson Lexington                  | 511 Lexington Avenue                     | 212-755-4400 |
| Roger Smith                         | 501 Lexington Avenue                     | 212-755-1400 |
| Shelburne Murray Hill               | 303 Lexington Avenue                     | 212-689-5200 |
| Warwick                             | 65 West 54th St                          | 212-247-2700 |
| Dylan Hotel                         | 52 East 44th St                          | 212-338-0500 |
| The Alex                            | 205 East 45th st,NY                      | 212-867-5100 |