



Stockholms miljörettscentrum
Stockholm Environmental Law and Policy Centre

AVOSETTA MEETING

STOCKHOLM 2-3 OCTOBER 2009

**ENFORCEMENT OF EC ENVIRONMENTAL LAW: IPPC, EIA,
NATURA 2000, ET ALLOWANCES, AND WATER AND AIR PLANS**

PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 2 OCTOBER

12.00-13.30 **Lunch**

13.30-13.45 **Welcome and Introduction to the Seminar.**

Jonas Ebbesson

13.45-15.30 **Session I: Enforcing European Environmental Law at the
Member State Level: Tools of Administrative Authorities**

Chair: Gerd Winter

Questionnaire Ch. 3 (2) (I)

- Prevention, remediation and sanctions: comparing administrative, criminal and civil law schemes
- New means of administrative enforcement in the UK (Richard Macrory, 20 min)
- Compensation of environmental damage

15.30-16.00 Coffee

16.00-18.00 **Session II: Enforcing European Environmental Law at the
Member State Level: Remedies of third parties and NGOs**

Chair: Alexandra Aragão

Questionnaire Ch. 3 (2) (II-IV), (3) – (7)

- Action against administrative agencies with regard to permits (unlawful permits and non-enforcement of (lawful) permits)

- Action against administrative authorities with regard to other acts and omissions (e.g. Natura 2000 sites, water and air plans, and emission trading allowances)
- Direct action against offenders

18.00-18.30 **Priorities in the Aarhus Convention Task Force on Access to Justice**

- Presentation by Jan Darpö, Chair of Task Force (20 min)
- Discussion

19.00 **Drink and Dinner**

SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER

9.00-11.00 **Session III: Enforcement of European Environmental Law at the Community Level: Commission Supervision of MS**

Chair: Jonas Ebbesson

Questionnaire Ch. 2(1)

- EC tools for enforcement (Ludwig Krämer, 30 min)
- EC funding as a means of enforcement (Jerzy Jendroska, 15 min)

11.00-11.15 **Coffee**

11.15-13.00 **Session IV: Remaining Issues of Enforcement, and General Developments of MS Environmental Laws**

Chair: Peter Pagh

13.00-14.00 **Lunch**

14.00-16.00 **Session V: Conclusions and Any Other Business, Including Next Meeting**

16.00 **End of Meeting**