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**Second Technical Meeting for the Co-operative Study Cruises
In the Yellow Sea Marine Basin
For the UNDP/GEF Yellow Sea Project
Qingdao, China, 26 - 27 April 2006**

Provisional Agenda

- 1. OPENING OF THE MEETING**
- 2. ORGANISATION OF THE MEETING**
 - 2.1 Election of Officers
 - 2.2 Documentation Available to the Meeting
 - 2.3 Organisation of Work
- 3. ADOPTION OF THE MEETING AGENDA**
- 4. REPORT OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE PSC**
- 5. VISIT TO RESEARCH VESSEL**
- 6. INTRODUCTION OF THE PLAN FOR SPRING CO-OPERATIVE STUDY CRUISE**
 - 6.1 Expected Outputs and Outcomes of the Meeting and the Spring Cruise
 - 6.2 Proposed Workplan Leading up to the Spring Cruise
- 7. CONSIDERATION OF TECHNICAL ISSUES FOR THE SPRING CO-OPERATIVE STUDY CRUISE**
 - 7.1 Observation Area/Route, Transect and Sampling Stations
 - 7.2 Observation and Sampling Requirements for the Components to be Included in the Co-operative Cruise
 - 7.3 Data Analysis: Methods, Quality and Comparison of Final Results
 - 7.4 Other Technical Issues

- 8. LOGISTICAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SPRING CO-OPERATIVE STUDY CRUISE – WORKING SESSION**
 - 8.1 Preparation of Research Vessel
 - 8.2 Preparation of Necessary Equipment
 - 8.3 Consideration of Scientists On-board and Their Responsibilities
 - 8.4 Transportation of Equipment and Personnel
 - 8.5 Budget and Contracts
 - 8.6 Other Arrangements
- 9. WORKPLAN FOR PREPARING THE SPRING CO-OPERATIVE STUDY CRUISE**
- 10. OTHER BUSINESS**
- 11. ADOPTION OF THE MEETING REPORT**
- 12. CLOSURE OF THE MEETING**