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INAUGURAL SESSION

General introductions:

"UNEP's Role in Strengthening the Capacity of Judges and other Legal Stakeholders in the Field of Environmental Law"

Lal Kurukulasuriya, Chief, Environmental Law Branch, UNEP, Nairobi, Kenya

"Environmental Law and the OECD"

Kenneth Ruffing, Acting Director, Environment Directorate, OECD, Paris, France

I SESSION

"The Juridical Principles Grounding the Preservation of the Environment from Rio de Janeiro to Johannesburg: a Comparative Study"

Giovanni Cordini, University of Pavia, Italy

"Environmental Rights as Part of Fundamental Rights: the Leadership of the Judiciary in Pakistan"

Parvez Hassan, Senior Partner, Hassan & Hassan (Advocates), Lahore, Pakistan; President, Pakistan Environmental Lawyers Association

"The Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision-making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters"

Giorgio Recchia, University of Rome, Italy

"Les études d'impact transfrontières: essai d'étude comparée"

Michel Prieur, University of Limoges, France

"Water as Human Right?"

John Scanlon, Head, IUCN Environmental Law Programme; Director, IUCN Environmental Law Centre, Bonn, Germany

"Access to Justice in International Environmental Law for Individuals and NGOs: Efficacious Enforcement by the Permanent Court of Arbitration"

Alfred Rest, University of Cologne, Germany

"International Responsibility/Liability for Environmental Damage"

Sergio Marchisio, Director, Institute of International Juridical Studies, Italian National Research Council, Rome, Italy

"Bios Rights – The Needed Dimension for the Protection of Human Rights and the Environment."

Agni Vlavianos-Arvanitis, President and Founder, Biopolitics International Organisation, Greece

"The Right to an Adequate Environment and the Right to its Protection: towards sustainable development"

- Demetrio Loperena, Secretary General Assistant, International Court of Environmental Arbitration and Conciliation, San Sebastian, Spain

- Javier Ezeizabarrena Saenz, Legal Adviser, International Court of Environmental Arbitration and Conciliation, San Sebastian, Spain

II SESSION

“The Centre for Prevention and Management of Environmental Conflicts - The Ecological Protection Zone in the Mediterranean Sea: Two Italian Initiatives”
Umberto Leanza, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Rome, Italy

“The Implementation of the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer and the Montreal Protocol”
Corrado Clini, General Director, Ministry of Environment, Rome, Italy

“The Legal Meaning of Sustainability”
Michael Decleris, Council of State, Greece

“The Protection of the Mediterranean and Black Sea ”

- Mario Pavan, University of Pavia, Former Minister of Environment, Italy
- Jean Jaubert, University of Nice, France

“Protection of the Baltic Sea by Finnish Law and International Agreement”
Hon. Justice Jan Eklund, Judge, Administrative Court, Finland

“The Implementation of the Convention for the Protection of Alps”
Andreas Gotz, Director, Cipra International, Liechtenstein

“Principles of Environmental Policy as a Legal Basis for Judicial Decisions: the example of the precautionary principle”
Stefano Grassi, University of Florence, Italy

“Developing National Enforcement Programs for Pesticide Regulatory Requirements and Pesticide-related International Agreements”
Marcia E. Mulkey, INECE, West Chester, PA, USA

III SESSION

“La Cour Internationale de Justice et le Droit International de l’Environnement”
Hon. Justice Gilbert Guillaume, President, International Court of Justice, The Hague, The Netherlands

“Environmental law in the UK Courts”
Lord Justice of Appeal Robert Carnwath, RCJ, London, United Kingdom

“Environmental Jurisprudence in the United States: Some reflections”
Hon. Justice Scott C. Fulton, Environmental Appeals Board, US EPA, Washington, D.C., USA

“The Right to a Safe Environment in the Case-law of the European Court of Human Rights”
Hon. Justice Antonella Mularoni, European Court of Human Rights, Strasbourg, France

“Le Droit Communautaire de l’Environnement et en Particulier les Directives “Oiseaux” et “Habitats” dans la Jurisprudence de la Cour”

Hon. Justice Claus Gulmann, Court of Justice of the European Communities, Luxembourg

“The Implementation of the European Landscape Convention”

Maguelonne Dejeant-Pons, Council of Europe, Strasbourg, France

“The Judiciary Power and the Environmental Law in Brazil”

Hon. Justice Vladimir Passos de Freitas, Federal Judge, Court of Appeal, 4th region, Bahia, Brazil

“Is there a Need for a Judicial Forum on Environmental Law?”

Andrew Waite, President, European Environmental Law Association, London, United Kingdom

“Legal Reforms Necessary for the Good Governance of Natural Resources and Sustainable Development”

Graciela, Dolores and Eduardo Pigretti, University of Buenos Aires, Argentina

“L’expérience par la création au sein du Conseil d’Etat Hellénique d’une formation spécialisée sur le droit de l’environnement”

Hon. Justice Constantinos Menoudakos, Vice President, Council of State, Athens, Greece

“Environmental Law and Administrative Courts in Finland”

Hon. Justice Kari Kuusiniemi, The Supreme Administrative Court of Finland, Helsinki, Finland

“Creating networks of inquiry into sustainable development law?”

Marie-Claire Cordonier Segger, Director, Centre for International Sustainable Development Law