

## **EFFACE** Public Workshop hosted by Europol

The Hague Wednesday, 9 September 2015 09:30 – 17:00 hour

## "Environmental crime in the EU: Is there a need for further harmonisation?"

## PROGRAMME

9.30 - 10.00	Word of welcome by Europol and short guided tour
	Werner Gowitzke (Europol)
10.00 - 10.15	Word of welcome by IES and short introduction to EFFACE
	Wouter Veening (IES) and Christiane Gerstetter (Ecologic)
10.15 – 10.45	Formal competencies and desirability of further harmonisation of penalties at EU level
	Vanessa Franssen (KU Leuven and University of Luxembourg)
10.45 - 11.00	General discussion
11.00 - 11.15	Coffee break
11.15 – 11.45	Harmonisation of environmental crime in the EU: a law and economics perspective
	Niels Philipsen (Maastricht University, METRO)
11.45 - 12.15	Criminalisation at EU level and centralisation of norms setting: the example of insider trading
	Claire Leger (Université Paris Ouest Nanterre la Défense, EconomiX)
12.15 - 13.00	<b>Comments</b> by Rob White (University of Tasmania)
	+ general discussion
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch + break
14.00 - 14.45	Environmental compliance assurance and criminal enforcement
	Jeroen Blomsma (DG Justice) and Miroslav Angelov (DG ENV)
14.45 - 15.00	Comments by Roel Willekens (Europol – EnviCrimeNet)
15.00 - 15.30	Data for effective enforcement: harmonisation and flexibility
	Andrew Farmer (IEEP)
15.30 - 16.00	<b>Comments</b> by Bob Elliot (The Royal Society for the Protection of Birds)
	+ general discussion
16.00 - 16.15	Coffee break
16.15 – 17.00	Final discussion, with focus on policy recommendations