

ROADMAP FOR AN ACTION

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Milestone n°1: Implementation of Regulation (EU) 259/2012

Work: Update of the current status of countries preparation of the P-free detergent ban and investigate options for extending the P and its compounds limitation as well to dishwasher detergents, based on Regulation (EU) 259/2012.

Output: Overview report

Responsible: ICPDR, PA4

Deadline: End of 2012

Milestone n°2: Scenarios calculation for P reduction in laundry and dishwasher detergents

Work: Update of the scenarios calculation with MONERIS

Output 1: Results of anticipated nutrients reduction effects and presentation of management options

Responsible: ICPDR PM EG

Deadline: End of 2013

Output 2: New model calculations of the anticipated P and its compounds reduction due to P - free detergent ban on providing evidence for the phosphates and its compounds limitation in dishwashers detergents

Responsible: ICPDR

Deadline: End of 2013

Milestone n°3: Facilitate implementation of JPM trough enhanced stakeholders' dialogue

Work: Dialogue with AISE and representatives of detergent industry and relevant stakeholders (such as WWF and others) establish future needed steps

Output: Clarity on the needed steps and intervention for DRB countries and the ICPDR

Responsible: ICPDR

Deadline: ongoing