

**The Water and Sanitation Group (WSG) Meeting Minute**  
**April 25, 2018**

**Venue:** *Main Conference Hall of MRRD*  
**Chaired by:** *Eng Mohammad Afzal Safi, NPA*  
**Minutes by:** *Naseer Ahmad Nazari, Reporting Officer*  
**Meeting started at:** *10: 45 a.m.*  
**Meeting Ended at:** *12:30 p.m.*

**Present Agencies:** *ACF, ACSFo, AKF, CAWC, CHA, CoAR, DACAAR, FHI360/IHSAN, IMC, Mission East, MoPH, MRRD, NCA, OHW, Relief International, SSDA, TKG/DHSK, UNICEF, WHO, World Vision, WSG Volunteer*

**Absent Agencies:** *H4AH, IRC, MUDH, NCA, SI, BORDA, ZOA, CAF, CSO, Medair, ACTED, GIZ, ICRC*

No.	Agenda Point	Discussion	Result/Decision	Action by:
1	Brief introduction/ chairing of the meeting and review of previous action points Eng. Safi	After the WSG meeting was officially kicked off with offering the welcoming remarks by the Chair, a round of introduction was held. The action points of the previous WSG meeting were reviewed.	Over 30 participants introduced themselves.  The pending points were reflected in the agenda to be discussed.	Chair & Participants
2	Reports from Technical Working Groups: (WTWG & HSTWG)	<p><b>Water Technical Working Group (WTWG)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The WTWG meeting had not been arranged for its chair, Rashid Yahya, and co-chair, Eng Azeem Barat, had been on leave.</li> </ul> <p><b>Hygiene and Sanitation TWG:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The HSTWG meeting had been organized on 23rd of April.</li> <li>- Updates were provided on Mass Public Awareness campaign.</li> <li>- The participants were briefed about the SACOSAN VII event in Pakistan.</li> </ul>	<p>The WTWG meeting was promised to be arranged in mid May 2018.</p> <p>WHO had agreed to think about the likeliness of conducting post-campaign assessment to know the impacts of the campaign.</p>	<p>DACAAR/ Eng Azeem Barat</p> <p>MoPH/ Dr Raz</p>

3	A brief of SACOSAN VII _ Dr Raz	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Afghan delegate actively attended the 7th South Asian Conference on Sanitation (SACOSAN VII) which took place from 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> April this year in Islamabad.</li> <li>- In this conference, the Afghan delegate had a video presentation, focusing the current status of WASH in Afghanistan and the achievements made in the sector as well as it had led a thematic session.</li> </ul>	MRRD awarded a number of appreciation certificates to those individuals who actively participated in the preparation phase for SACOSAN VII and made presentations in that regional gathering on sanitation.	
4	IMC's Achievements in 2017	As an action point from the previous WSG meeting, IMC was assigned to make a presentation on its achievements in 2017; however, the presentation was not prepared this time.	The presentation was delayed to the upcoming WSG meeting.	IMC/ Eng. Yousaf
5	Any Other Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Updates on WASH Cluster</li> </ul>	The participants were briefed about the achievements of WASH Cluster.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The guideline of WASH services in emergency was reported as finalized, and would be shared with partners soon.</li> </ul>	WASH Cluster/Ramesh and Eng. Malik

**List of Attendees in WSG Monthly Meeting**

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