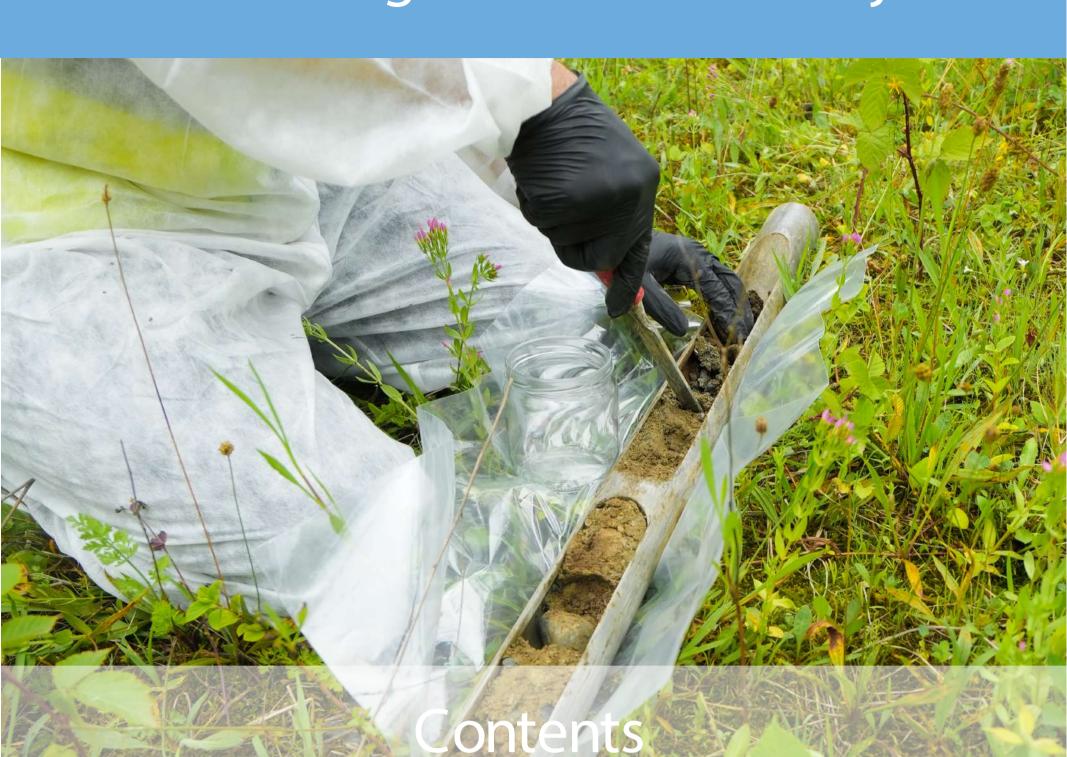


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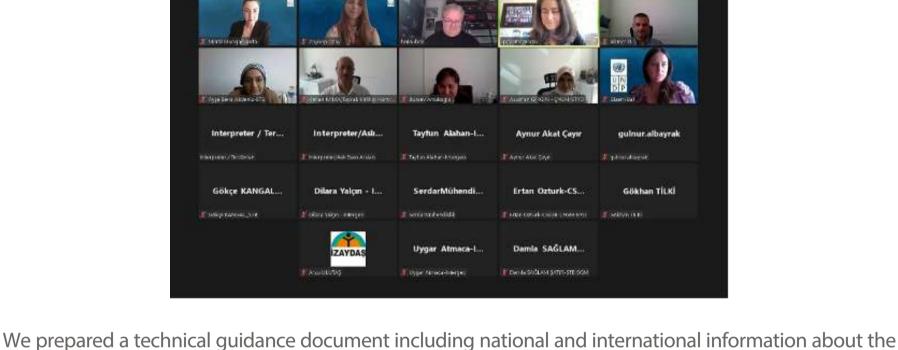
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Urbanisation and Climate Change, universities, and accredited companies during the consultation meeting held on 6 September 2022. The Technical Experts provided information on the latest updates to the staff who will be using the guideline during site detections and remediations. We discussed the updated assessment definitions of first and second steps as part of legislation revisions, assessment of pollution load on a reference basis, and new information about the POPs during the online consultation

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sites contaminated with Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) as a part of Soil Pollution Regulation. We presented the updates made in the technical guideline to the central staff of Ministry of Environment,

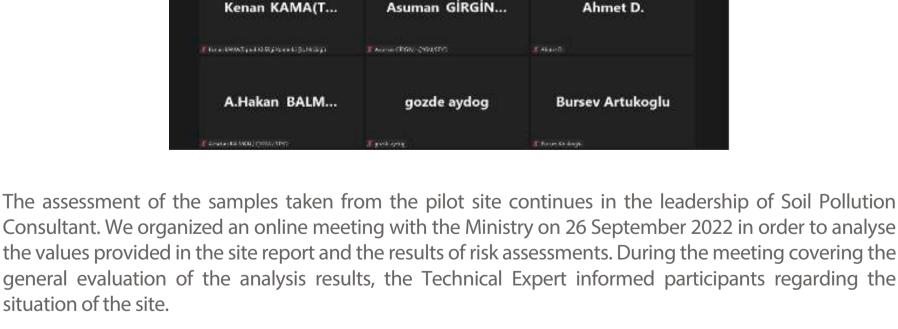


ongoing project activities. It is expected to revise the project workplan and to add new project activities depending on the approval of the project extension request. Testing process of Generic Health Risk Assessment Software which has been developed for the MoEUCC staff to use during the analysis of the samples taken from contaminated sites is ongoing. Risk Assessment Expert is working on the modules and user manual to be developed for the software. The draft regulation document was completed by the experts as per the revisions envisaged in the Soil Pollution Regulation. Technical guideline preparations based on the updated regulation is still ongoing. Technical Guidance Documents on Risk Assessment and Contaminated Site Assessment prepared based on the decisions taken by the management will be submitted for the Ministry's reviews.

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general evaluation of the analysis results, the Technical Expert informed participants regarding the situation of the site.

Study Visit

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Within the scope of the project, we will organize the second study visit in order to learn international practices and to ensure exchange of know-how between institutions in the field of soil pollution. We held an online meeting on 30 September 2022 to identify the EU country to be visited and to plan institutional meetings. We evaluated the first draft plan prepared by the Chief Technical Advisor during the meeting

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Assistance Team will meet with international institutions to develop an alternative programme.

Steering Committee Meeting

We will be organizing online 6th Steering Committee meeting on 7 October 2022 to evaluate developments in the last six months of the project. During the meeting, topics such as addendum approval

process, updated workplan and preparation of the technical specifications for contaminated pilot sites

with persistent organic pollutants will be discussed.

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