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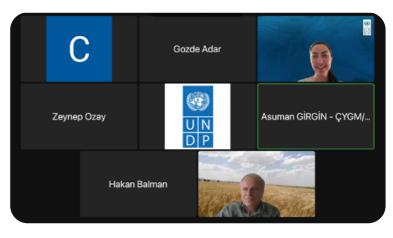
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## 34th Operation Coordination Unit (OCU) Meeting

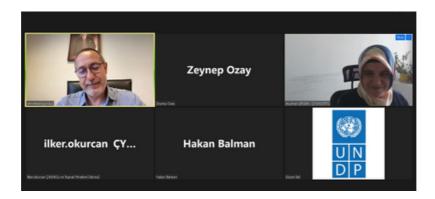
We held the 34th OCU meeting online on 21 June with the participation of representative from the Ministry of Environment, Urbanization and Climate Change (MoEUCC) central staff, and the United **Nations** Development Programme (UNDP) Türkiye Country Office project team. During the meeting, we discussed the



details of the ongoing and completed project activities.

As of June, we have shared a total of 490 digital training certificates with the training participants since the beginning of the project. We continue to work on updating the regulation and its annexes. We shared the time planning of the activities planned for the coming period, and we are carrying out the necessary work and planning in accordance with the feedbacks.

### **Regulation Meeting**



We held an online technical meeting on 22 June with the participation of the Soil Pollution Consultant and representatives of the Water and Soil Management Department to discuss the working on the "Regulation on Control of Soil Pollution and Sites Contaminated by Point Sources".

During the meeting, the representatives of the MoEUCC evaluated the revisions reflected in the document by the project consultant. As a result of the consultations, additional revision suggestions made at the meeting will be reflected in the document and shared with the Ministry again.

### **Progress of the Project Activities**

Throughout June, we continued to organize our weekly project meetings to discuss the progress of project activities with the technical departments of the MoEUCC. Based on these meetings, we continue to work on the activities planned for the upcoming period.

Within the scope of the activity "A Study Visit to the Soil Unit of the European Environment Agency or to the Joint Research Center in ISPRA (Institute for Environment and Sustainability)" planned to be carried out in September, we are making technical and logistical arrangements with the contribution of our Senior Consultant for Study Visit Coordination. We are continuing our work on Notification No.12 and will submit it for the Contracting Authority's consideration in the following period

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