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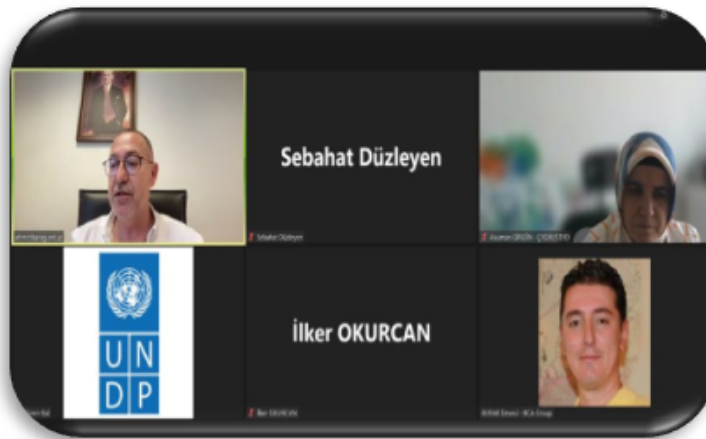
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46th Operation Coordination Unit (OCU) Meeting

We held the 46th OCU Meeting online on 26 June with the participation of representatives from the Ministry of Environment, Urbanization and Climate Change (MoEUCC), and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Türkiye Country Office project team.

During the meeting, we provided information on the reports and guidelines that were approved by the Ministry and finalized. In addition to that, we evaluated the visibility ideas for the closure event and presented them to the partners for approval.

Site-Specific Risk Assessment Meeting



We held the Site-Specific Risk Assessment Meeting online on 3 June with the participation of representatives from the MoEUCC, UNDP Türkiye Country Office project team, Soil Pollution Expert Ahmet Karagündüz and BCA Group.

Following the meeting, we organized a face-to-face meeting on 11 June at the Ministry premises with the participation of MoEUCC, UNDP Türkiye Country Office project team, Soil Pollution Expert Ahmet Karagündüz and BCA Group, and evaluated the different scenarios on Site-Specific Risk Assessment.

Progress of Project Activities

Throughout June, we continued to organize our weekly meetings with the technical departments of the MoEUCC to discuss the activity plans of the project.

On 14 June, we received approval from the Ministry on the Technical Guidance Document on Remediation and Monitoring of Contaminated Sites and finalized the document. On 25 June, we received approval from the Ministry on the Technical Guidance Document on Risk Assessment of Contaminated Sites and finalized the document.

We received approval from the Ministry regarding the report on Better Management of Persistent Organic Pollutants and Persistent Toxic Substances through an Integrated Chemicals Management Plan Strategy and Road Map and finalized the document.

We shared the first draft of the Technical Guide for Contaminated Sites with Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs), that was prepared by project expert Sinem Erdođdu with the Ministry.

We held weekly meetings with project experts and the Ministry within the scope of Integration of a New Module into the Contaminated Sites Information System (CSIS) Software. Following the meetings, we conducted 3 weeks of need analysis for the additional module with the project experts and the Ministry.

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