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LIFE IP BE REEL!
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LIFE Platform Meeting on **Climate Action and the Building Sector**

Brussels, 17-18 June 2019

Venue: HERMAN TEIRLINCKGEBOUW, Havenlaan / Avenue du Port 88, 1000 Brussels, Belgium

Preliminary Agenda

(as of 14 April 2019-ED)

MONDAY, 17 JUNE 2019	
10:30 - 11:00	Registration of participants
11:00 - 11:30	Welcome statements & brief host project presentation
11:30 - 13:00	Session 1. EU, national and regional policies on GHG emission reduction, energy efficiency and climate resilience in the building sector <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Climate change mitigation and adaptation in the building sector – the EU policy context• A national perspective on the implementation of the Energy Performance of Buildings Directive (EPBD)• Energy performance and other climate-related building standards• Interactive session involving LIFE projects and other stakeholders
13:00 - 13:15	Lunch box and departure for field visits
13:15 - 18:00	Field Visits
19:00 – 21:00	Networking reception

TUESDAY, 18 JUNE 2019	
9:00 – 10:45	Session 2. Focus on the technologies for achieving nearly zero energy and climate resilient buildings <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Repertory of climate actions in buildings and relevant good practices• Cost-optimal NZEB design methodologies, workflows and case studies• Passive energy efficiency solutions for new and retrofitted buildings (building envelope)• Active energy efficiency solutions and technologies (HVAC, lighting, smart building controls)• Renewable energy systems, energy storage and (decentralised) smart grids for Nearly Zero Energy Building (NZEB)• Interactive session involving LIFE projects and other stakeholders



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10:45 - 11:15	Coffee-Break
11:15 - 13:00	<p>Session 3. Strategies and mechanisms, including funding, to enable climate action in the building sector</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public and private financial instruments to support EPBD implementation and a climate resilient building sector in the EU – an overview • Empowering of public authorities and raising citizen awareness of the Nearly Zero Energy Building target and climate resilience in buildings • The role of professional associations, industry, energy service companies and other stakeholders • The role of sustainable building certification schemes, energy labelling and the International Performance Measurement and Verification Protocol in the transition towards low carbon footprint building stock • Interactive session involving LIFE projects and other stakeholders
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch Break
14:00 - 15:30	<p>Session 4. Thematic Working Groups</p> <p><i>A number of Working Groups will be organised and take place in parallel.</i></p> <p><i>The topics will be defined based on the preferences to be indicated by participants when they register on-line (upon invitation).</i></p>
15:30 - 16:00	Closing session
16:00 - 17:30	Goodbye coffee and informal networking