

DRAFT - PROGRAMME

**FOR FIRST WATER CITIZENS NATIONAL FORUM
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE HUMAN RIGHT TO WATER IN GHANA**

Date: 24th June 2015

Venue: Teachers' Hall, Accra

DATE/TIME	ACTIVITIES
08:30am	Registration
09:00-9:30am	<p>Introductions</p> <p>Welcome message – ISODEC</p> <p>Message from EU Programme Officer - <i>Herve DeSol</i></p> <p>Message from rep of COSPE</p>
9:30am -10:45am	SESSION ONE: Panel Discussion – Achieving implementation of the Human Right to Water in Ghana; threats, opportunities and recommendations
	<p>Human right to water, obligations of the states, gaps and possibilities - <i>Mrs. Chris Dadzie</i>, ISODEC (15mins)</p> <p>Making public delivery efficient through decentralized water supply structures and community management – where are we? – <i>MWRWH</i> (15mins)</p> <p>Dealing with the conflicting interest of human rights and right of private capital way forward – <i>Dr. David Percy</i> (15mins)</p> <p>Discussions (30mins)</p>
10:45am-11:00am	Health Break
11:00am-12:30pm	SESSION TWO: Higher Priority for Human Right to Water in Post 2015 Agenda and Support for International Optional Protocol on the human right to water
	<p>Updates on the human right to water in Ghana's engagement with the Post-2015 Sustainable Development Agenda – <i>Ministry of Foreign Affairs</i> (15mins)</p> <p>Towards an international protocol for the human right to water and sanitation : sharing objectives, strategies and challenges – <i>Rosario Lembo</i> (CICMA, Italy) (15mins)</p> <p>How can we make international standards count beginning with the WHO standard of water per person per day? – <i>Water Citizens Network</i></p> <p>Discussions</p>
12:30pm – 1:30pm	Lunch Break
1:30pm – 2:50pm	SESSION THREE - Local Experiences (2:30 – 4:00pm)
	<p>Water Services Delivery in Nzema East Mnicipal Assembly – <i>NEWSaP</i> (10 mins)</p> <p>Water Services Delivery in Jomoro District – <i>JWSP</i> (10 mins)</p> <p>Presentations of local experiences by <i>CSOs/CBOs</i></p> <p>Discussion</p>
2:50pm – 4:00pm	Elaboration and presentation of common agenda of intents
4:00pm	Closing