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Regional Consultation Workshop on District Cooling		
10:00-10:30	Opening Remarks Round of introduction of participants Zoom link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83730644666?pwd=V05ycWZRdHpqN1N4djl mZVVGV3prdz09	Roberta Boniotti – MEDENER Maged Mahmoud – RCREEE
10:30-11:00	A brief presentation on the Work Package, the activity goals and expected outputs	Agathe Lacombe/ Thierry Méraud / Alicia Tsitsikalis – ADEME
11:00-11:30	Introduction to the District Energy in Cities Initiative and how district energy can help achieve a country's environmental goals	Celia Martinez Juez - UNEP
Coffee Break		
11:45-12:30	Basics of district cooling and project development Basic concepts of district cooling, DC vs standalone cooling systems How to develop and implement district cooling projects in the MENA region? Technologies: free cooling, Building Management System, Thermal Energy Storage Incentive policies Business models: city climate funds/seed funding concept Challenges for district cooling development Presentation of the feasibility study of a deep-sea district cooling project in Egypt	Zhuolun Chen – UNEP Copenhagen Climate Centre
12:30-13:00	Q & A – Open Discussion	All participants
	Lunch Break	
14:00-14:45	Overview of the Initiative's work in Tunisia Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82845582338?pwd=ajdERE5MYWpZQ0NZY25 weUVJSnE0QT09	Celia Martinez Juez – UNEP
14:45-15:30	Business models and how to finance a district cooling project, including case study in Jordan	Greg Gabriel – EBRD
15:30-16:00	Q & A – Open Discussion	All participants
16:00-16:45	 DC Questionnaire: general results and the outlines of the study on the potential of DC in the south Mediterranean countries (A317) Country presentation 	All participants
Wrap up and conclusions		

