



MISSION REPORT

OUTLINE (TITLE)	Support for the preparation of guidelines for best practice for glass recycling schemes: Assessment of technical and economic aspects of glass waste sorting and recycling
Mission Purpose (Project Activity #)	Expert Facility Activity No: EFH-IL-4
Number of days worked:	4 days per expert (2 travel days, 2 days meetings)
Period:	From 17.07.2017 to 18.07.2017
Organisations visited:	Israel Ministry of Environmental Protection (MoEP) Also met at the MoEP facilities with <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Israel Paths – Transport Infrastructure National Company Ltd – Chief Scientist • Phenicia Glass Works Ltd • Ekoglass Glass Recycling Industries • Gadi Rozenthal – Glass expert • Asofta Recycling Corporation • Tamir

Meetings/Activities	Date	Participants (name), (title), (institution)
Meeting 1 / Activity 1 : Meeting with MoEP and key stakeholders	17.07.17	Guy Samet, Deputy General, MoEP Tahel Yashte, H2020 Focal Point, MoEP Tamar Raviv, Head of Recycling, MoEP Noa Shpitzer, Head of EPR, MoEP Merav Dafni, Waste Recycler Supervisor, MoEP Nitzan Esra, Waste Recycler Supervisor, MoEP Yair Mashmoor, C.P.A., MoEP Ronit Avrahami, C.P.A., MoEP Joshua Peterson, Legal Advisor, MoEP Christian Deltenre, General Manager, SUEZ Belgium & Glass expert Raf Vanswartenbrouck, International Development Manager, Rhenus Recycling & Glass expert Lisa Labriga, Project Manager, ACR+ & External Expert Gadi Rozenthal, Economic Consultant, Zenovar Shimon Nesichi, Chief Scientist, Netivei Israel (Israel Paths – Transport Infrastructure National Company Ltd) Michel Ben Simon, Operations Manager, Phenicia Glass Erez Fridman, Ecoglass Eran Haimovich, CEO, Clean Glass Solutions & Ecoglass
Meeting 2 / Activity 2: Meeting with key stakeholders	18.07.17	Tamar Raviv, Head of Recycling, MoEP Noa Shpitzer, Head of EPR, MoEP Merav Dafni, Waste Recycler Supervisor, MoEP Nitzan Esra, Waste Recycler Supervisor, MoEP Yair Mashmoor, C.P.A., MoEP Joshua Peterson, Legal Advisor, MoEP Christian Deltenre, General Manager, SUEZ Belgium & Glass expert Raf Vanswartenbrouck, International Development Manager, Rhenus Recycling & Glass expert



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		<p>Lisa Labriga, Project Manager, ACR+ & External Expert Eitan Brettler, Operations Manager, Tamir Ronnie Aidler, COO, Tamir Haim Yashar, Partner, RGR Kobi Dar, CEO, Tamir Carmit Berdugo Maimon, Adv, ASOFTA Recycling Corporation Ltd. Yaron Bardugo, CEO, ASOFTA Recycling Corporation Ltd.</p>
Key Issues Discussed		<p>Glass Recycling and Glass Waste Management System in Israel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Legislation and enforcement • EPR systems in Israel for glass packaging (deposit & packaging law) • Share of responsibilities • Monitoring and control • Data availability • Economic incentives including lack of these and potential • Collection system • Glass recycling market in Israel • Main issues and problems encountered by the industry • Potential for glass recycling, closed-loop systems • Education and communication
Outputs		<p>The experts witnessed very honest and open discussions with the stakeholders met and with the staff of the Ministry of the Environment. The key issues and problems in the Israeli glass recycling were raised and discussed which will feed well into the report that will be produced as a deliverable.</p> <p>One clear output of the mission is that it was just enough to open up the topic but that there is a lot of potential for further cooperation and work together on the topic of glass recycling.</p>
Difficulties Encountered or Other Comments		<p>Some last minute changes in the agenda due to cancellations could not be avoided due to different reasons. However, the experts got a good overview of the current situation, issues, and potential, these changes were therefore not a risk to the success of the mission.</p>

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