

Draft Agenda
Workshop Bulgaria, Cornwall and the South West of England: Exploring Opportunities for
Green Regional Partnerships
2-3 June, 2008

	2nd June, 2008, Monday	SPEAKER
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome, Mrs. Iskra Mihaylova, Deputy Minister of Regional Development and Public Works	
9:15 – 10:00	1. Introduction to Cornwall: from failing region to fastest growing – Cornwall and its EU funding story	BS
10:00 – 10:30	2. The Cornwall Context: how Structural Funds are delivered – from Programme to Project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ European, national and South West Regional drivers. ▪ Local delivery structures and partnerships. 	PM
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00 – 11:45	3. A project example – the process from concept to realisation and results	PM/BS
11:45 – 12:30	4. Q&A Session – including reflection back from hosts	All
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch	
14:00 – 15:30	1. Environmental Integration; practical and procedural issues, and working examples	BS
	2. Adding Value to local programmes through transnational cooperation	BS
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break	
16:00 – 17:00	3. The Czech Republic – reflections on the Accession experience	PM
	4. Capacity Building – a local 'skills' and assessment	PM
17:00-18:00	Individual presentations from representatives of Bulgarian municipalities and DAs and discussion of opportunities for joint initiatives with Cornwall and South West of England (upon preliminary registration)	
18:00	Round – up and future actions	
	3rd June, Tuesday, Gorski Kut Hotel, Rila Monastery	
8:00	Departure from Sofia	
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14:30	Departure to Sofia	