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GE-free zones in Europe NGO-Strategy meeting

Vienna, Nov 15, 2003

09:00 **Opening**

09:10 **Lessons from the GE-free zone seminar**

- national strategies
- common experiences
- differences
- other initiatives

09:40 **What worked out well, what went wrong?**

- Examples from countries

11:00 Break

11:30 **Reinforcing the GE-free zone work**

Can we combine the experiences in following fields with the work on GE free zones?

- Organic farming
- Conventional farmers
- Insurance companies
- New scientific evidence
- Market campaigns
- GE seed legislation
- Liability/redress, court cases
- other ideas?

With possibilities to form working groups after plenary to develop the ideas

13:00 Lunch

14:30 **Reinforcing the GE-free zone work – Reports**

reports of working groups to plenary

15:15 **Developing Action Plans**

facilitated working groups

- Accession States Working Group
- European Union Working Group
- South-East Europe Working Group

Break included

17:30 **Developing Action Plans – Reports**

reports of working groups to plenary

18:30 **closure**

Venue:

Hotel Springer-Schlößl

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