

NATIONAL PROGRAMME OF ACTION FOR POLLUTION OF MARINE ENVIRONMENT FROM LAND-BASED ACTIVITIES FACILITATION OF ENVIRONMENT CANADA ACTIONS WORKSHOP



The National Programme has gone through an intensive period of public consultation and review leading to the “white book”, published in June 2000. The “green book” was derived from the white book, as part of the Government of Canada’s participation in the Montreal 2001 meeting of the Global Programme of Action (GPA) Intergovernmental Review.

Land & Sea Environmental Consultants Ltd./OCL Group was retained by Environment Canada to facilitate a workshop with the goal of providing a mechanism for Environment Canada staff from NCR and the five regional offices to discuss how to best move forward, shifting from strategic planning to implementation. To assist in the discussions, NCR requested participation by and short presentations from several staff working on policy supporting documentation within Environment Canada for the three NPA priority issues of nutrients, sewage and habitat management. In addition, Land & Sea participated in numerous teleconferences and prepared summary documentation of the workshop.

Client: Environment Canada.