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**UNDP/GEF PROJECT ENTITLED “REDUCING ENVIRONMENTAL STRESS IN THE  
YELLOW SEA LARGE MARINE ECOSYSTEM”**

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**Fifth Meeting of the Regional Working Group  
for the Biodiversity Component**

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**Biodiversity Component’s Workplan for 2008**

The attached draft workplan was produced based on Documents UNDP/GEF/YS/RWG-B.5/6 and UNDP/GEF/YS/RWG-B.5/7. The workplan will be revised during the meeting, according to the discussions from Agendas 5 through 7. Additional actives are added at the bottom of the table. An brief overview is provided below (Annex 1).

*Members are invited to review and agree on the new workplan for 2009, which will be submitted to the Project Steering Committee in November for approval.*

## Annex 1: Condensed workplan for 2008-2009

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Action</u>	<u>Timeline / Deadline</u>
<b><u>Shrimp Diversity and Restocking</u></b>		
	Final report	30 <sup>th</sup> Nov 2008
<b><u>Selection of Demonstration Sites</u></b>		
	Final report	1 <sup>st</sup> Nov 2008
<b><u>Implementation of Demonstration activities</u></b>		
	Selection of Demo Acts.	Sept 2008
	Contract or to start	early Dec. 2008
	Mid term report	
	Final report	Nov 2009
<b><u>Training of managers at Demonstration sites</u></b>		
	Activity	June 2009
	final report	August 2009
<b><u>Public Awareness at Demonstration sites</u></b>		
	Activities	2009
	Report	Nov 2009
<b><u>Ramsar COP 10 and the Conservation of Wetlands Meeting</u></b>		
	Meeting	Oct-Nov 2008
	Booth	Oct-Nov 2009
<b><u>NYSAP</u></b>		
drafting NYSAP	NPC and national members	2008
govt approval of NYSAP	govt	
<b><u>Project Phase 2 preparations</u></b>		
Working Session #2		Oct. 2008
Supporting services inputs to PIF		Oct/Nov. 22008
<i>others actions to be added</i>		
<b><u>6th RWG-E Meeting/2nd RSC</u></b>		
	PMO will arrange	autumn 2009