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**Written Statement by Environmental Ambassadors for Sustainable Development**

*Agenda item 3: Ensuring effective implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals through leadership, action and means, (c) Institutional arrangements for the Sustainable Development Goals*

Question and possible initial answers for institutional arrangements for the Sustainable Development Goals under the scope: Cross-sector nature of SDGs vs Programme Based Approach (as the basis for financing, i.e. sectoral approach and the programming of assistance to countries with economies in transition). Discussion cases are from the region of South East Europe countries, but applicable as general issue of concern when transferring SDGs to practice.