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DRAFT AGENDA

**8th meeting for developing a Blue Growth Initiative for Research and Innovation in the Black Sea**

*Monday, 18 March 2019*

*Time: 10.00 – 16.30*

*Venue: BSEC Headquarters*

*Address Darüşşafaka Cad. Seba Center İş Merkezi, No:45 Kat 3, Istinye*

*34460 Sarıyer-Istanbul / Turkey*

1. Welcome and tour de table (ALL)
2. SRIA and the Common Maritime Agenda
3. Update on the Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (METU)
4. Finalization of the Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (ALL)
5. Timeline towards May 2019 and the SRIA
	1. SUST-BLACK Conference 8-9 May, Bucharest (ROMANIA)
	2. Ministerial Conference 22-23 May, Bucharest (DG MARE)
6. AOB

*Timeline*

*9:30 - Registration of the participants and welcome coffee*

*10:00 – Opening*

*13:00 -14:00 – Lunch*

*15:00 -15:15 – Coffee Break*

*16:30 - Closing*