

## PRESS RELEASE

## Veolia Environnement signs a EUR 2.5bn multicurrency RCF and a EUR 500m dedicated RCF for Veolia's operations in Eastern Europe

Paris, April, 7, 2011 – Veolia Environnement SA ("Veolia") signed on 7 April 2011 with a group of 31 banks a new EUR 2.5 billion multi-currency revolving credit facility, and with a group of 23 banks a new EUR 500 million revolving credit facility available for drawings in PLN, CZK and HUF. The facilities will be used for general corporate purposes and they will substitute to Veolia's existing EUR 4 billion multicurrency revolving facility dated 20 April 2005.

This transaction extends the maturity of Veolia's main syndicated back-up facility from April 2012 to April 2016 and provides specific flexibility for Veolia's operations in Eastern Europe with a dedicated syndicated facility. The first facility is structured with a five-year tenor and incorporates two 1-year extension options at each lender's option. The second Facility is structured with a three-year tenor and also incorporates two 1-year extension options at each lender's option.

The syndication was launched on 4 March 2011 and closed largely oversubscribed with more than EUR 5.2 billion raised across the facilities from 31 banks. The success of this syndication underlines the confidence in the credit quality of the company and the great support that Veolia benefits from in the market. However, consistent with its very strong cash position and the expected free cash to be generated in the coming years, Veolia elected to cap the aggregate amount of the new Facilities at EUR 3 billion.

Veolia enjoys competitive conditions for both facilities, including an initial margin of 0.50% per year.

BNP Paribas, HSBC France and Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking acted as coordinators on behalf of Veolia.

Final syndicates for the facilities include:

Facility A - EUR 2,500m 5+1+1 RCF

Facility B - EUR 500m 3+1+1 RCF

	Bank		Bank
	Bookrunners-Coordinators		Bookrunners-Coordinators
1	BNP Paribas	1	BNP Paribas
2	HSBC	2	HSBC
3	Societe Generale	3	Societe Generale
	Bookrunners		Bookrunners
4	Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFJ	4	Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFJ
5	BBVA	5	BBVA
6	Credit Agricole CIB	6	Credit Agricole CIB
7	Credit Mutuel - CIC	7	Credit Mutuel - CIC
8	Deutsche Bank	8	Deutsche Bank
9	ING	9	ING
10	Mizuho Corporate Bank	10	Mizuho Corporate Bank
11	Natixis	11	Natixis
12	The Royal Bank of Scotland	12	The Royal Bank of Scotland
	Senior Mandated Lead Arrangers		Senior Mandated Lead Arranger
13	Banco Santander	13	Morgan Stanley
14	Bank of America Merrill Lynch		Mandated Lead Arrangers
	Mandated Lead Arrangers	14	Barclays
15	Bank of China	15	Citi
16	Barclays	16	Commerzbank
17	Citi	17	Credit Suisse
18	Commerzbank	18	DnB NOR
19	Credit Suisse	19	JP Morgan
20	DnB NOR	20	Unicredit
21	Intesa San Paolo	21	Nomura
22	JP Morgan	22	Nordea
23	Royal Bank of Canada	23	SEB
24	SMBC		
25	Unicredit		
	Arrangers		
26	ANZ		
27	Morgan Stanley		
28	Nomura		
29	Nordea		
30	SEB		
31	Standard Chatered		

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