

# The Maryland-Asia Environmental Partnership



## *A Public-Private Dialogue: Galvanizing Maryland Resources to Meet Water Management and Technology Needs in Asia*

**Thursday, October 23, 2008,  
The Center Club: Baltimore, Maryland**

The world's water crisis is at a tipping point in Asia as countries like China and India are grappling with massive water problems impacted by water scarcity, drought, polluted rivers, floods and global warming. Foreign investment, food production, and public health are at stake as municipal water, industry, and agriculture needs compete for dwindling resources. The Maryland-Asia Environmental Partnership has assembled a diverse group of public and private sector experts to discuss their unique perspectives on applicable lessons-learned, new technologies and sustainability efforts which could be mobilized to help address Asia's water needs. Don't miss this timely event! Register today at [www.regonline.com/63352\\_643023](http://www.regonline.com/63352_643023) or contact the MD-AEP for more information about potential sponsorship opportunities at [peter.gourlay@mdaep.com](mailto:peter.gourlay@mdaep.com) or call us at 301-305-3700.

- **Luncheon Keynote:** Khoo Teng Chye, Chief Executive of Singapore's National Water Agency
- **Views from State, National and Multilateral Agencies:** The World Bank, Maryland Departments of Environment and Agriculture and the U.S. Trade Development Agency
- **Views from the Technology Experts and Investors:** Singapore Public Utilities Board, Northrop Grumman, Bay Bio, Watervap, LLC. and XPV Capital
- **Views from Research & Academic Experts:** The University of Maryland's Center for Integrative Environmental Research and the Center of Marine Biotechnology
- **Views Corporate Sustainability Leaders:** Coca Cola Enterprises and Phillips Foods, Inc.

