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TO THE CONVENTION ON THE TRANSBOUNDARY  
EFFECTS OF INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS**

**DETAILED PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME**

**ON THE SECOND CONSULTATION  
FOR POINTS OF CONTACT FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACCIDENT  
NOTIFICATION AND MUTUAL ASSISTANCE DESIGNATED WITHIN  
THE UNECE INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM**

**AND**

**ON THE FIRST MEETING OF THE TASK FORCE TO REVIEW THE  
COMMUNICATION PROCEDURES**

(Rome, 19-21 October 2005)

## DETAILED PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME<sup>1</sup>

<b>Consultation for the points of contact (19-20 October 2005)</b>		
<b>Wednesday, 19 October</b>		
<b>Morning</b>	Arrival of participants	
	Registration of participants	
<b>13.00-14.30</b>	Lunch at I.S.A	
<b>14.30-15.15</b>	<b>Opening and welcome statements</b>	<p><i>Mr. Michele Di Grezia, Director of the Istituto Superiore Antincendi, Italy</i>  <i>Mr. Fabrizio Colcerasa, Director of Central Directorate for Emergency and Technical Rescue, Ministry of the Interior, Italy</i>  <i>Mr. Ryszard Grosset, Chairperson of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents; Rector of the Main School of the Fire Services, Poland</i></p>
	<b>Election of the Chairman</b>	
<b>15.15-15.30</b>	<b>Introduction to the meeting</b>	<i>Mr. Sergiusz Ludwiczak, Secretary of the Conference of the Parties, UNECE</i>
<b>15.30-18.00</b>	<b>Session I: Effectiveness of the UNECE IAN System</b>	
<b>15.30-16.00</b>	<b>Results of the test of the UNECE IAN System performed by Italy</b>	<i>Mr. Giorgio Alocci, Deputy Director of Central Directorate for Emergency and Technical Rescue, Ministry of the Interior, Italy</i>
<b>16.00-16.30</b>	<b>Results of the test of the UNECE IAN System performed by the Russian Federation</b>	<i>Mr. Mikhail Razanov, Chief of the Crisis Management Center, Ministry for Civil Defense, Emergencies and Elimination of Consequences of Natural Disasters, Russian Federation</i>
<b>16.30-17.00</b>	Coffee break	
<b>17.00-18.00</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	
<b>20.30</b>	Official dinner at the invitation of the Italian Ministry of Interior	
<b>Thursday, 20 October</b>		
<b>10.00-13.00</b>	<b>Session II: Notification and management of response to chemical accidents – early-warning systems, emergency preparedness, accident simulation, mitigation of consequences</b>	
	1.	Organization of the Austrian Federal Alarm Centre and the Federal Crisis and Disaster Protection Management; <i>Mr. Johannes Stippel, Officer, Federal Alarm Centre and Alarm Precautions, Federal Ministry of Interior, Austria</i>
	2.	Objectives and tasks of the Armenian Emergency Management Administration; <i>Mr. Arman Avagyan, Advisor, Ministry of Territorial Administration, Armenia</i>

<sup>1</sup> All presentations will be followed by questions and answers

	3.	Early warning procedures and response mechanisms in case of industrial accidents in Bulgaria; <i>Ms. Conka Dryankova, Expert, Department of Operative Control and Management of Dangerous Substances, Ministry of Environment and Water, Bulgaria</i>
	4.	The function of the Czech National Operational Centre in case of emergencies; <i>Ms. Irena Jansova, Officer of the Fire Service, Ministry of Interior, Czech Republic</i>
	5.	Emergency response in Slovenia; <i>Ms. Danica Babic, Operator, Notification Center, Administration for Civil Protection and Disaster Relief, Ministry of Defence, Slovenia</i>
	6.	Actions of the IAEA to improve the international communication during incidents and emergencies; <i>Mr. Dominique Rauber, Head of International Affairs, National Emergency Operations Centre, Switzerland</i>
	7.	Results of an Italian-sponsored project “Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents Management Model” carried out in Romania; <i>Mr. Francisc Senzaconi, Deputy Head, Department for Prevention of Disasters, General Inspectorate for Emergency Situations, Ministry of Administration and Interior, Romania</i>
<b>13.00-14.30</b>	Lunch	
<b>14.30-16.00</b>	<b>Session III – Sharing of experience and lessons learnt from past accidents</b>	
	1.	Oil spills; response of the Russian System for Disaster Management (RSDM) and inter-agency cooperation in case of large-scale disasters; <i>Mr. Mikhail Razanov, Chief of the Crisis Management Center, Ministry for Civil Defense, Emergencies and Elimination of Consequences of Natural Disasters, Russian Federation</i>
	2.	Response to an accident in the Gdansk Refinery; <i>Mr. Ryszard Grosset, Chairperson of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents; Rector of the Main School of the Fire Services, Poland</i>
	3.	Response to a harbour accident in Sardinia; <i>Mr. Ennio Aquilino, Head of Division for Emergency Planning, Central Directorate for Emergency and Technical Rescue, Ministry of the Interior, Italy</i>
<b>16.00-16.30</b>	Coffee break	
<b>16.30-17.30</b>	<b>Final discussion with the participation of representatives of all points of contact</b>	
<b>17.30-18.00</b>	<b>Conclusions and closing of the consultation</b>	<i>Chairman of the consultation</i>
<b>20.00</b>	<b>Evening event with dinner</b>	

<b>First meeting of the task force to review the communication procedures (21 October 2005)</b>		
<b>10.00-10.30</b>	<b>Opening and introduction to the meeting</b>	<i>Mr. Sergiusz Ludwiczak, Secretary of the Conference of the Parties, UNECE</i>
	<b>Election of the Chairman of the task force</b>	
	<b>Natural and Environmental Disasters Information Exchange System</b>	<i>Written communication will be provided by the European Commission</i>
<b>10.30-11.00</b>	<b>Infra-web Operational Incident Management and Communication System</b>	<i>Mr. Wilfried van Gogh, Crisis Manager, ICT Programme Manager, Institute of Inland Water Management and Waste Water Treatment (RIZA), Netherlands</i>
<b>11.00-11.30</b>	<b>Prototype of a web-based communication application developed by UNECE and the Joint UNEP/OCHA Environment Unit</b>	<i>Mr. Lukasz Wyrowski, Programme Support Officer, UNECE</i>
<b>11.30-12.00</b>	Coffee break	
<b>12.00-13.00</b>	<b>Visit of the promotional stands of the Safety and Civil Protection at the I.S.A.</b>	
<b>13.00-14.30</b>	Lunch	
<b>14.30-15.00</b>	<b>Which system best meets the requirements of the UNECE IAN System – an independent analysis</b>	<i>Mr. Marco Carcassi, Professor, University of Pisa, Italy</i>
<b>15.00-15.45</b>	Open-ended discussion	
<b>15.45-16.15</b>	Coffee break	
<b>16.15-17.00</b>	<b>Conclusions/recommendation</b>	<i>Chairman of the task force</i>
<b>17.00-17.15</b>	<b>Closing of the meeting</b>	
<b>20.00-</b>	<b>Dinner</b>	
<b>Saturday, 22 October 2005</b>		
<b>Morning</b>	Departure of participants	