

RESEAU INTERNATIONAL DES ORGANISMES DE BASSIN
INTERNATIONAL NETWORK OF BASIN ORGANIZATIONS
RED INTERNACIONAL DE ORGANISMOS DE CUENCA

7th WORLD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF THE INTERNATIONAL NETWORK OF BASIN ORGANIZATIONS
FROM 7 TO 9 JUNE 2007 - DEBRECEN (HUNGARY)

PROGRAM

☐ WEDNESDAY 6 JUNE 2007

- THE WHOLE DAY : ARRIVAL OF THE PARTICIPANTS AT BUDAPEST AIRPORT
 - Welcoming at the international terminal,
 - Transfer by bus to DEBRECEN,
 - Installation in the hotels in DEBRECEN.

- 09 : 30 : ● STEERING COMMITTEE OF THE TWIN BASIN PROJECT:
 - Coordinator: Mr. Alain BERNARD, IOWater / INBO PTS.

- 13 : 00

- 14 : 00 : ● CEENBO LIAISON BUREAU:
16 : 00 Regional Central and Eastern European Network
at the of Basin Organizations,
same time ▪ Coordinator: Mrs. Daniela RADULESCU

- 14 : 00 : ● MENBO MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE:
16 : 00 Mediterranean Network of Basin Organizations,
at the ▪ Coordinator: Mr. TEODORO ESTRELA MONREAL
same time

- 16 : 30 : ● INBO INTERNATIONAL LIAISON BUREAU:
 - Chaired by Mrs. Madeleine JOUYE de GRANDMAISON,
INBO President,
 - Rapporteur : Mr. J.F. DONZIER,
INBO Permanent Technical Secretary.

- 19 : 00

- 20 : 00 : BUFFET DINNER – EVENING FREE

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☐ THURSDAY 7 JUNE 2007 – FIRST OFFICIAL DAY
KOLCSEY International Conference Center
MORNING

- **09 : 00 : OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY:**
 - **Mr. LASZLO KOTHAY, Regional Director**
TIKOVIZIG – Tisza River Basin – Hungary
 - **Mr. Gyula GYORI – on behalf of Mayor of Debrecen,**
 - **Mr. Laszlo HARASZTHY, State Secretary,**
Hungarian Ministry of the Environment and Water
 - **Mr. Petr KUBALA,**
Director of Povodi Vltavy – Czech Republic,
President of the Central and Eastern European Network of Basin Organizations,
 - **Mr. Jacky COTTET,**
President of the Rhone-Mediterranean and Corsica Water Agency –
France, President of « EUROPE-INBO »,
 - **Mr. Tamsir NDIAYE,**
OMVS High Commissioner,
Presidence of the Network of Transboundary Basin Organizations
 - **Mr. Jabulani SINDANE**
Director General of DWAF – South Africa,
President of the African Network of Basin Organizations,
 - **Mr. José MACHADO**
President of the National Water Agency of Brazil
Brazilian Network of Basin Organizations,
Latin American Network of Basin Organizations,
 - **Mr Juan José MORAGUES**
President of the Hydrographic Confederation of JUCAR
Vice President of Mediteranean Network of Basin Organizations
 - **Mrs. Madeleine JOUYE de GRANDMAISON,**
INBO President,
President of the Martinique Basin Committee,
- 10 : 30 : COFFEE BREAK**
- 10 : 45 : PRESENTATION OF THE WATER PROBLEMS**
AND INSTITUTIONS IN HUNGARY
 - **Mr. Sandor TOTH,**
VKKI – Central Department for Water and Environment
 - **Mr. LASZLO KOTHAY, Regional Director**
TIKOVIZIG – Tisza River Basin – Hungary.

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MORNING (CONTINUATION)

- **11 : 30 : FIRST STATUTORY SESSION**
OF INBO GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 - **Chairmanship: Mrs. M. JOUYE DE GRANDMAISON,**
Mr. LASZLO KOTHAY
 - **Rapporteur : Mr. J.F. DONZIER,**
INBO Permanent Technical Secretary
 - **INBO progress report**
since January 2004 – General Assembly in the Martinique,
 - **Main ongoing projects:**
(TWIN BASIN, IWRM-NET, WFD-LEARN, AWIS...)
 - **INBO accounts 2004, 2005 and 2006,**
PTS budget estimate for 2007.
 - **Mr. Jean-François DONZIER – INBO PTS**
 - **Mr. Henri LIMOUZINEAU - KPMG**
Statutory Auditor of the Network,
 - **INBO communication strategy,**
 - **Mrs. Christiane RUNEL**
Director of the publication « INBO Newsletter »
 - **INBO Regional Networks and their projects:**
 - **Mr. Oscar de Moraes Cordeiro Netto**
LANBO PTS - Latin America,
 - **Mr. Oumar Ould ALY**
Previous President of ANBO,
 - **Mrs. Daniela RADULESCU**
CEENBO PTS - Central and Eastern Europe,
 - **Mr. Teodoro ESTRELA**
STP REMOB - Méditerranée
 - **Mr. Luiz Firmino PEREIRA,**
LANBO PTS
 - **Mr. Hubert CHAMBERLAND,**
Project for North America Network of Basin Organizations,
 - **Mr. Victor DUKHOVNY,**
Project for a Russian-Speaking Network of Basin
Organizations.
- **13 : 00 : LUNCH-BUFFET**

□ **THURSDAY 7 JUNE 2007 – FIRST OFFICIAL DAY**
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AFTERNOON

• **14 : 30 : FIRST TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:**

Key topic: **Prevention and management
of extreme climate phenomena
of floods and droughts,**

▪ **Co-presidence :** **Mr. Songchang REN (CHINA),
Mr. Ovidiu GABOR (ROMANIA).**

Rapporteur : **Mr. Sergio CHAN (MEXICO)**

- **Mr. Oscar DE MORALES CORDEIRO NETTO**, National Water Agency (BRAZIL),
- **Mrs. Caroline WITWER**, French Ministry of Ecology, Sustainable Development and Regional Planning (MEDAD),
- **Mr. Alain BAUDA and Mr. Jean Marc FRAGNOUD**, Water Agency R. M. & C (FRANCE)
- **Mr. Pierre HUBERT**, Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Mines (FRANCE),
- **Mr. Branislav LIPTAK**, Slovak water management enterprise (SLOVAKIA),
- **Mr. Teodoro ESTRELA**, MMA and **Mario URREA**, Hydrographic Confederation for Segura (SPAIN),
- **Mr. Justo MORA and Marta SORIANO**, Hydrographic Confederation forTajo (SPAIN),
- **Mr. Binta MOUSSA**, International Commission of the basin Congo-Ouganbgui-Sangha (CICOS) (CONGO R.D.),
- **Mr. Tahani SILEET MOUSTAFA**, Nile water sector, Ministry of water resources and irrigation (EGYPT),
- **Mr. Bart SWANENVLEUGEL**, Play Time (THE NETHERLANDS),

➔ **CASE STUDIES,**

➔ **QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,**

➔ **GENERAL DISCUSSION,**

➔ **CONCLUSIONS.**

• **16 : 30 : REFRESHMENTS BREAK**

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AFTERNOON (CONTINUATION)

• **16 : 45 : SECOND TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:**

Key topic: Transboundary basin management,

▪ **Co-presidence : Mr. Jabulani SINDANE (SOUTH AFRICA),
Mr. Jao SENRA (BRAZIL)**

Rapporteur : Mr. Arnould LEFEBURE (I.C for the Escault)

- **Mr. Mario CERUTTI**, International Commission for the Meuse
- **Mr. Dejan KOMATINA**, International Sava river basin commission (ISRBC) (CROATIA),
- **Mr. Fernando OCTAVIO DE TOLEDO**, Ministry of Environment (MMA) (SPAIN),
- **Mr. José Maria SANTAFE MARTINEZ**, Ministry of Environment (SPAIN),
- **Mrs Matti HEPOLA**, (FSFRC)
- **Mr. Francisco RUIZ MARMOLEJO**, Organizacion del Tratado de Cooperacion Amazonica (BRAZIL),
- **Mr. Khomoatsana TAU**, Orange Senqu River Basin Commission (ORASECOM) (LESOTHO),
- **Mr. Van Tuan VU**, Mekong River Commission Secretariat (LAO),
- **Mr. Sergey KOSTAREV**, Irtys River Steering Committee (RUSSIA),
- **M. Viktor A. DUKHOVNY**, Scientific information center of interstate coordinate. Water commission (UZBEKISTAN),
- **Mr. Albert-Louis ROUX**, Water Academy (FRANCE),
- **Mr. François-Xavier SALUDEN**, University Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (FRANCE)
- **Mrs. Flavia LOURES**, World Wide Fund For Nature (USA),
- **Mrs. Carmen de JONG**, University of Savoy (France)

➔ **CASE STUDIES,**

➔ **QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,**

➔ **GENERAL DISCUSSION,**

➔ **CONCLUSIONS.**

• **18 : 45 : END OF WORK OF THE FIRST DAY**

• **20 : 30 : OFFICIAL DINNER:
Formal evening dress**

• **22 : 30 : Return to the hotels**

☐ **FRIDAY 8 JUNE 2007 – SECOND OFFICIAL DAY**
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MORNING

● **08 : 45 : THIRD TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:**

Key topic: **Monitoring, monitoring networks,
Overall water management problems**

- **Co-presidence :** **Mr. Khomidjan KHASANOV (TADJIKISTAN),
Mr. Hubert CHAMBERLAND (QUEBEC).
Mr. Dumitru DRUMEA (MOLDAVIA)**

Rapporteur :

- **Mr. Edgar Alfonso BEJARANDO MENDEZ**, Corporacion autonoma regional (COLOMBIA),
- **Mr. Jabulani SINDANE**, Department of Water Affairs and Forestry (SOUTH AFRICA),
- **Mrs. Jacqueline GOLDIN**, African Water Issues Research Unit (SOUTH AFRICA),
- **Mr. Benedict Tsiu KHATHIBE**, Lesotho Highlands Water Commission (LESOTHO),
- **Mr. Tamsir NDIAYE**, OMVS (SENEGAL).
- **Mr. Bernard THEBE**, Institut de la recherche pour le développement (FRANCE),
- **Mr. Gabor SZAKO**, VKKI – Central Department for Water and Environment (HUNGARY),
- **Mrs. Luisa Maria BRANCO – DELGADO**, INA (PORTUGAL)
- **Mr. Stephen MIDGLEY**, Scotland and Northern Ireland Forum For Environmental Research (SNIFFER) (UNITED KINGDOM / IWRM-N),
- **Mrs. Stulina GALINA**, Central Asian Scientific Research Institute of Irrigation(SANIIRI) (UZBEKISTAN),
- **Mr. Alfred Abou NEHME**, Litani River Authority (LEBANON),

➔ **CASE STUDIES,**

➔ **QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,**

➔ **GENERAL DISCUSSION,**

➔ **CONCLUSIONS.**

● **10 : 45 : REFRESHMENTS BREAK**

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MORNING (CONTINUATION)

• **11 : 00 : FOURTH TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:**

Key topic: Preparation of action plans
for basin organizations
and their financing, etc.

▪ **Copresidence :** Mr. Guy FRADIN (FRANCE),
Mr. José MACHADO (BRAZIL).
Rapporteur : Mr. Mario CERUTTI (I.C for the Meuse)

- Mr. Andrzej BADOWSKI, KZGM (POLAND),
- Mr. Jacky COTTET, Water Agency Rhône-Méditerranée et Corse (France),
- Mr. Arnaud COURTECUISSÉ, Water Agency Artois-Picardy (FRANCE),
- Mrs. Jeanne DEFOI, OFW - Martinique (FRANCE),
- Mr. Juan José MORAGUES, Hydrographic Confederation for Jucar (SPAIN),
- Mr. Javier FERRER POLO, Hydrographic Confederation for Jucar (SPAIN),
- Mr. Alexei URALOW, (UKRAINE)
- Mr. José Roberto FUMACH, Consorcio PCJ (BRAZIL),
- Mr. Joao Bosco SENRA, Ministry of Environment / SRU (BRAZIL),
- Mrs. Catherine FREISSINET, Sogreah Consultants SAS (FRANCE),

- ➔ CASE STUDIES,
- ➔ QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,
- ➔ GENERAL DISCUSSION,
- ➔ CONCLUSIONS.

• **13 : 00 : LUNCH-BUFFET**

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AFTERNOON

• **14 : 30 : FIFTH TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:**

Key topic: Participation of water users and the public.

▪ **Co-presidence :** Mr. Edgar **BAJARANDO MENDEZ** (COLOMBIA),
Mr. Walter **MAZZITI** (OCI and ITALY).

Rapporteur : Mr. Teodoro **ESTRELA** (SPAIN)

- **Mrs. Anemarie CIUREA**, Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development (ROMANIA),
- **Mrs. Géraldine AUBERT**, Water Agency Artois-Picardie (FRANCE),
- **Mr. Pascal BONNETAIN**, Water Agency R .M & C (France),
- **Mrs. Christel GRAT**, OFW- La Martinique (France),
- **Mr. Hubert CHAMBERLAND**, Comité de Concertation et de la Valorisation du Bassin de la Rivière Richelieu (QUEBEC),
- **M. Rogelio GALVAN**, Hydrographic Confederation of the Ebre (SPAIN),
- **Mrs. Francesca LA ROCA**, University of Valencia (SPAIN),
- **Mr. Iliya TROMBITSKY**, Eco-Tiras International Environ. Association of Dniester River Keepers (MOLDAVIA).
- **Mr. Jozsef GAYER**, Ministry of Environment and Water (HUNGARY)

➔ **CASE STUDIES,**

➔ **QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,**

➔ **GENERAL DISCUSSION,**

➔ **CONCLUSIONS.**

• **16 : 00 : REFRESHMENTS BREAK**

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AFTERNOON (CONTINUATION)

• **16 : 15 FORUM OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ORGANIZATIONS:**

Key topic: Strategy, priority initiatives and projects for developing integrated water resources management at the level of river basins, support to the creation and strengthening of basin organizations over the world.

▪ **Coprésidence : Mr. Kalman PAPP (HUNGARIA),
Mr. Rolf LUNDMARK (SWEDEN).**

Rapporteur : Mr. Van Tuan VU (CMR)

- **Mr. Gérard BONNIS, (OCDE)**
- **Mrs. Francesca BERNARDINI, UNECE (OCI),**
- **Mr. Saba NORDSTROM, (OSCE),**
- **Mr. Baris TRAK, (ECBD),**
- **Mr. Ary BOBROW, (UNOPS),**
- **Mr. Hartmut BRUEHL (GWP- TEC),**
- **Mr. Mei XIE, World Bank Institute,**
- **Mr. Antonino CREA, European Commission**

➔ EUROPEAN UNION,

➔ MULTILATERAL INSTITUTIONS,

➔ BILATERAL COOPERATION,

• **17 : 00 : BREAK**

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AFTERNOON (CONTINUATION 2)

- 17 : 00 : **SECOND STATUTORY SESSION**
OF INBO GENERAL ASSEMBLY :
 - ❖ Chairmanship : Mr. LASZLO KOTHAY,
Mrs. M. JOUYE DE GRANDMAISON,
 - ❖ Rapporteur : Mr. J.F. DONZIER,
INBO Permanent Technical Secretary.
 - ◆ Transfer of INBO Presidency from
Mrs M. JOUYE DE GRANDMAISON (La Martinique – France),
To Mr. LASZLO KOTHAY (Hungary)
 - ◆ INBO multi-year action plan
GWP, GEF- IW LEARN ET CAPNET...
 - ◆ 5th World water Forum in ISTANBUL,
 - ◆ Designation of the venue in 2010
of the Next 8th World General Assembly
of INBO (proposals from).
 - ◆ **DECLARATION OF DEBRECEN** (discussions and approval)
 - ◆ **FINAL RESOLUTIONS** (discussions and approval)
- 18 : 30 **CLOSING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
 - Mr. / Mrs. (to be specified)
Organizing country of Next General Assembly in 2010
 - Mrs. Madeleine JOUYE DE GRANDMAISON
Former INBO President,
 - Mr. LASZLO KOTHAY
New INBO President.
- 18 : 45 : **END OF WORK**
- 20 : 00 : **Transfer**
from KOLCSEY International Conference Center
- 20 : 30 : **MARTINIQUE EVENING** (to be confirmed)
At the invitation of Mrs. Madeleine JOUYE DE GRANDMAISON
and of the Martinique Tourist Committee.
Casual wear
- 22 : 30 : **Return to the hotels by bus**

☐ SATURDAY 9 JUNE 2007 - THIRD OFFICIAL DAY

TECHNICAL VISIT

- 08 : 30 : DEPARTURE FROM THE HOTEL BY BUS:
 - TISZA transboundary River Basin,
 - HORTOBAGY National Park,
classified World Heritage by UNESCO,
- 13 : 00 : LUNCH OFFERED AT THE INN OF THE NATIONAL PARK:
Ambience and Hungarian traditional cuisine.
- - Memorial of Tiszadob,
 - Developing works of Andrásy-dyke
- - Visit of the famous Tokay vineyard
- 21 : 00 RETURN TO THE HOTELS.

☐ SUNDAY 10 JUNE 2007

- THE WHOLE DAY : PARTICIPANTS' TRANSFER TO BUDAPEST AIRPORT
 - Transfer by bus to Budapest airport,
 - Registration on return flights.

**THERE WILL BE A SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION INTO
ENGLISH - SPANISH - FRENCH AND HUNGARIAN
FOR ALL THE WORKS**

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