



Brussels, August 22, 2008.

*To the First Delegates of the  
Qualifying Members of PIANC  
To the Secretaries of the National  
Sections of PIANC  
To the Sister Associations of PIANC*

**Subject :** Setting up of a new PIANC Working Group 136 (EnviCom) on “**Recommendations for Sustainable Maritime Navigation**”.

Dear Sir and Dear Colleague,

The setting up of a PIANC working group (EnviCom) on “**Recommendations for Sustainable Maritime Navigation**” has been duly approved as well as its terms of reference, which are enclosed herewith.

May we ask you to inform the Secretariat of EnviCom before October 22, 2008 (copy to the General Secretariat) about the name, qualifications and address of the expert proposed by your country/organization to participate in the working group. **Please note that a second expert per country/organization, being a young professional, can participate in the working group activities.**

Please enclose a brief curriculum vitae of the proposed expert together with some details about his professional experiences. This working group is intended to be multi-disciplinary in its make-up and may include non-traditional stakeholder participation.

We remind you that in accordance with PIANC rules, the costs incurred in taking part in working groups' activities are borne by the member countries/organizations.

We thank you beforehand for the collaboration of your expert. Awaiting your prompt reply, we remain,

Yours sincerely,

  
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