

**PIANC Strategic Plan 2006-2010**  
**Action Plan of InCom**

<b>GOALS</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>PARTNERS</b>	<b>ACTION</b>	<b>TIMING</b>
<b>Achieve credibility and recognition</b>	<b>Guidance and Recommendations</b>			
<b>Contribute to development of waterborne transport</b>	<b>Execute completion of existing WG's and create new ones along the following themes:</b>			
<b>Contribute to development of navigation policy</b>	(a) Infrastructure Asset Management		- Completed WG 25, Maintenance and Renovation - Initiate WG 30, Inspection and Repair (2006) - Prepare follow-on TOR on AM	May 2006  Start – 10/2006 End – 2009  2007 TBD
		EFIP, IRPT	-Propose WG on Emergency repairs/salvage	Oct – 2006 End – 2009
	(b) Inland Ports	EFIP, IRPT	- Initiate WG 31, Port management	Start – 2007 End – 2010
		CCNR, IENC Harmonization,	- Propose WG on Port planning	Ongoing

	(c) River Information Services		- Continue PG 1, RIS	End 2006
	(d) Design of Infrastructure		- Completed WG 26, Movable gates - Complete WG 29, Lock Design	Start 2006 End 2009 TBD
	(e) Operations of waterways	EnviCom	- Other topics as necessary	End 2007 2007
	(f) Sustainable Development		- Complete WG 28, Remote Controls - Develop TOR on computerized maintenance management - Other topics	TBD 2007 2007
	(g) Safety, security and risk	Logistics companies, shipping, stakeholders, customers, various industry and waterway	- Complete WG 27, Vessel Impacts - Participate on WG 12 - Propose WG on Air	TBD TBD TBD

		organizations, AIPCR, etc.	emissions - Propose WG on Fish passage - Propose WG on Climate Change	Start 2007 Start 2007
	(h) Business/Economic models	CoCom Of particular interest to countries in transition	- Resurrect work for WG 22 and propose new WG	Initiate before 2010
	(i) Low water navigation		- Initiate WG on Performance indicators - Propose WG on Intermodality	TBD
	(j)Energy		- Prioritize sub-theme topic and propose WG on some aspect (natural rivers, water management, innovative vessels)  - Develop TOR on low cost techniques and prioritize sub-theme topic on some aspect natural rivers, water management, innovative vessels	2007  TBD

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Prioritize sub-theme topic and propose WG on some aspect (conservation, hydropower, energy, product transport, etc.)</li> <li>- Develop TOR on energy efficient or self-generation on-site projects</li> </ul>	2008
	<p><b>Generate support and prioritize technical themes and working group topics</b></p> <p><b>Systematically report status of existing and proposed WG</b></p>	<p>Attending Session Estoril</p> <p>CCNR, EFIP, CEDA, AAPA, COPRI, etc.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Present topics and propose for discussion at Congress</li> <li>- Ask respective organizations and national sections</li> <li>- Provide status of reports by sponsoring InCom member at InCom meetings</li> <li>- Report to ExCom/Action plans</li> </ul>	<p>2006</p> <p>Ongoing</p> <p>2 per year</p> <p>3 per year</p>
<p><b>Enhance vitality of Qualifying Members and National Sections</b></p> <p>-</p>	<p><b>Represent and engage interest of all countries in inland waterways</b></p>	<p>ExCom, CoCom, National Sections, association through external partnerships and</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Provide presentations/technical tours during InCom meetings by host country</li> </ul>	<p>2 per year</p>

<p><b>Expand # YP's and # of participating Countries in Transition</b></p>		<p>opportunities</p>	<p>- With support of HQ promote establishment of National Sections, InCom participation and identification of WG members from new countries</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>
<p><b>Promote and expand members' benefits</b></p>	<p><b>Co-operation and networking</b></p>	<p>Other commissions CCNR, EFIP, COPRI, AAPA, IMO, IALA, IAPH, CEDA, EPO, etc.  Logistics management and stakeholders</p>	<p>InCom will contribute by:  - planning and participating in joint workshops  - formal and informal cooperative arrangements - co-presentation of papers at congresses and conferences - participation by individuals in other organizations - seeking sponsorship of publications and seminars through the support of external sources - by virtue of their</p>	<p>Ongoing</p>

	<p><b>Information Communication Technology</b></p>	<p>All partners</p>	<p>international recognition, members will publicly promote inland navigation infrastructure to decision makers in government</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- when possible will act as ambassadors for PIANC by sponsoring seminars, activities and/or presenting the opportunities of PIANC and in particular InCom through respective organizations, affiliations</li> <li>- contribute to the organizing committee of the congress</li> <li>- promote YP through WG participation, special invitations at certain meetings, and through the representative of InCom</li> </ul> <p>InCom will implement communication and enhance information technology by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Initiate and provide forums for discussions of</li> </ul>	<p>Ongoing</p>
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			<p>advantages of waterborne transport and technical issues related to it</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Use bulletins of National Sections, websites and other opportunities to post activities of PIANC and link to other resources, particularly of partner's websites</li><li>- Use innovative methods for technology transfer such as video, teleconferencing and webinars</li><li>- Generate technical briefs, power point presentations, fact sheets reflecting work of InCom and WG's</li><li>- Keep HQ calendar updated on activities of the InCom and it's WG's</li><li>- Make recommendations and support HQ in development and use of web page</li><li>- Seek ways to get information to non-members that doesn't jeopardize sell of</li></ul>	
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