



Brussels, June 16, 2006.

To:
The Chief Delegates of the
Member Governments of PIANC
To the National Sections' Secretaries of
PIANC
The Sister Associations of PIANC

Subject: MarCom – Setting up of a new Working Group nr. 55 “Safety aspects of berthing operations of oil and gas tankers”.

Dear Sir and dear Colleague,

The setting up of a MarCom Working Group “Safety aspects of berthing operations of oil and gas tankers” has been duly approved as well as its Terms of Reference, which are enclosed herewith.

May we ask you to inform the Secretariat of MarCom before **August 20, 2006** (copy to the General Secretariat) about the name, qualification and (e-mail-) address of the expert, proposed by your country/organisation, as chairman or member of this Working Group. Please enclose a brief curriculum vitae of the proposed expert together with some details about his professional experiences. **Note that a second expert per country/organisation, being a young professional, can participate in the working group activities.**

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.

We thank you beforehand for the collaboration of your expert.

Awaiting your reply, we remain,

Yours sincerely,

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