

# EUREF Participation in INSPIRE

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# Scope

## July 23, 2004

- Proposal of a Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council prepared by the Commission
  - For establishing an infrastructure for spatial information in the community
  - Until today no agreement between Commission, Council and Parliament

## 2005 - 2006

- Work programme preparatory phase
  - In parallel to the legislative co-decision process of the European Parliament and Council
  - Main goal: Development of **Implementation Rules**

## 2007 – 2008

- Member states will transpose INSPIRE into their national legislation

## 2009 – 2013

- Implementation phase of INSPIRE

# Annexes of the Proposed Directive

## ■ Annex I

1. Coordinate reference systems
2. Geographical grid systems
3. Geographical names
4. Administrative units
5. Transport networks
6. Hydrography
7. Protected sites

## ■ Annex II

1. Elevation
2. Identifiers of properties
3. Cadastral parcels
4. Land cover
5. Orthoimagery

## ■ Annex III

1. Statistical units
2. Buildings
3. Soil
4. Geology
5. Land use
6. Human health and safety
7. Government service and environmental monitoring facilities
8. Production and industrial facilities
9. Agricultural and aquaculture facilities
10. Population distribution – demography
11. Area management/restriction/ regulation zones & reporting units
12. Natural risk zones
13. Atmospheric conditions
14. Meteorological geographical features
15. Oceanographic geographical features
16. Sea regions
17. Bio-geographical regions
18. Habitats and biotopes
19. Species distribution

# Call for Expression of Interest in the Development of INSPIRE (Preparatory Phase)

- Registration started on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2005 and remains open on permanent basis
  - Registration as Spatial Data Interest Community (SDIC) or Legally Mandated Organization (LMO)
  - EUREF registered as SDIC
- Nomination of experts, which will form the Drafting Teams
  - EUREF nominated Alessandro Caporali and Heinz Habrich
  - The Drafting Teams perform the task to compile „draft implementation rules“
  - Heinz Habrich was selected as member of the „Support Drafting Team for data specifications and Harmonisation“
- Registration of reference documents
  - Each LMO/SDIC could specify reference documents
  - EUREF notified 3 documents
  - In total there are now 130 documents registered
  - Registered document will be reviewed by drafting team members

# Drafting Team Kick-Off Meeting in Ispra, Italy , in October 3 – 4, 2005

- Meeting place: Joint Research Centre (JRC) of the European Commission in Ispra
- Agenda:
  - Reports of representatives of JRC about the status of the INSPIRE co-decision procedure, the work programme and drafting team setting-up
  - First meetings of individual drafting teams (5 subject areas)
  - Presentation of results of individual drafting team meetings and final discussion
- Data Specifications Drafting Team:
  - Representative from JRC: Steve Peedell
  - Chair: Clemens Portele (Interactive Instrument GmbH, Bonn)
  - Co-Char: Andreas Illert (BKG)
  - Planned telephone conferences on two-weeks basis
  - No new specification planned for implementation rules, but decision about usage of available data formats
  - CIRCA Intranet at JRC for communication within the drafting teams

# Working Document of Data Specification Drafting Team

- Open Actions →
- Closed Actions →
- Decisions →

## 3.1 Open actions

## 3.3 Decisions

ID	Decision	Remark
DS-D001	Clemens Portele is confirmed as Chair	
DS-D002	Andreas Illert is nominated Deputy Chair	No other nomination has

## 3.2 Closed actions

ID <sup>2</sup>	Actions to be taken	Person Responsible	Deadline	Remark
DS-A001	DT and ST members to be given access to CIRCA	CT (Fullerton)	2005-10-08	done
DS-A002	Position papers posted on the CIRCA	CT (Fullerton)	2005-10-15	done
DS-A004	Provide List of submitted reference material to DT	CT (SPE)	2005-10-18	done
DS-A006	Setup DT mailing list	SPE	2005-10-14	done
DS-A010	Draft of communications plan	CPO	2005-10-18	done
DS-A011	Propose tentative list of subgroups for individual topics for discussion in the 1 <sup>st</sup> telecon	CPO	2005-10-14	done
DS-A013	Provide report from CSL workshop (2005-10-13/14) to DT chair	CT (Smits)	2005-10-18	done

	<p>coordinators</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- DS2: Data harmonisation scope, coordinator to be decided</li> <li>- DS3: CSL, CSL tool, metamodel; CPE+PVO coordinators</li> </ul> <p>In a first step, discussion papers for the subgroups will be created and discussed in the next telecon. The discussion papers shall clarify the scope of the sub-group and provide initial recommendations.</p>	
DS-D012	The next teleconference will take place on Nov 4 15:00 instead of Nov 1 15:00 because Nov 1 is a public holiday in many European countries	

# Next Steps

- LMO and SDIC will be asked to re-confirm all reference documents
- Form sub-groups of the data specification drafting teams
- Review of reference documents by drafting teams
- General: Define the scope, meaning and extend of “data harmonisation” in the context of INSPIRE

**Thank you!**