

SESSION I

RESPONSE ON THE COAST

LUTTE A TERRE

Chairman: Chris Morris Rapporteur: Georges Peigné

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11 PAPERS

- 9 LESSONS LEARNT FROM ERIKA
- 1 ADDING LESSONS FROM OTHER SPILLS
- 1 PROJECT

- 9 SPEAKERS INVOLVED IN FIELD OPERATIONS:
 (Cedre, ITOFF, CETMEF, SEPNB, SYCOPOL)

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TECHNIQUES (2+)

- OILED VEGETATION CLEANUP *F. LARUELLE*
- BEACH SCREENING MACHINES *A. GUENA*
- (RESPONSE IN POORLY ACCESSIBLE SITES *L. KERAMBRUN*)

DECISION MAKING (1)

- TERMINATION OF CLEANUP *H. PARKER*

ORGANISATIONNAL MATTERS (8)

- RESPONSIBILITIES OF PUBLIC SECTOR *J. L'HER*
- INVOLVEMENT OF PRIVATE COMPANIES *D. LABORDE*
- PUBLIC SECTOR & PRIVATE SECTOR *L. KERAMBRUN*
- INTEGRATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISERS *E. QUERE*
- ASSISTANCE FOR OILED WILDLIFE REHABILITATION *H. NIJSKAMPF*
- INVOLVEMENT OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES *A. BREGEON*
- PROCESSING OF TECHNICAL PROPOSAL *F. MERLIN*
- SPILL ARCHIVE *E. POUPON*

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MAIN CONCLUSIONS

TECHNICAL ISSUES

EFFICIENCY & COMPLEMENTARITY OF BEACH SCREENING TOOLS

EFFICIENCY OF SELECTED VEGETATION CLEANUP TECHNIQUES
(ASSESSED THROUGH FOLLOW UP)

FEASIBILITY & INTEREST OF TECHNIQUES FOR POORLY
ACCESIBLE SITES

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON THE IMPORTANCE OF
ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES
BUT SOME DISAGREEMENT ON REASONABLENESS

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ORGANISATIONNAL ISSUES

- NEEDS AND WAYS FOR IMPROVING THE FRENCH POLMAR
ORGANIZATION

-SPECIALISTS: A KEY FOR A PROPER RESPONSE
(Technical and Environmental advisers, Service companies,
fishermen,...)

-IMPROVEMENTS REQUESTED IN:

- communication,
- management of volunteers
- data collection and archiving,
- management of technical proposals
- administrative (financial) procedures

-CLARIFICATION NEEDED REGARDING INVOLVEMENT OF
LOCAL AUTHORITIES

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RECOMMENDATIONS (1)

SETTING UP OR IMPROVEMENT OF NETWORKS OF ADVISERS

IMPROVEMENT OR DEVELOPMENT OF MEANS AND TECHNIQUES
FOR:

- INTERVENTION IN POORLY ACCESSIBLE SITES
& IN SHALLOW WATERS
- COLLECTION AND MANAGEMENT OF DATA

INCREASE TRAINING AND EDUCATION:

- ON ENVIRONMENTAL and TECHNICAL MATTERS
- FOR DECISION MAKERS, OPERATORS AND VOLUNTEERS



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RECOMMENDATIONS (2)

DEVELOP WORKSHOPS TO EXCHANGE EXPERIENCE AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS (AT A EUROPEAN LEVEL) ON:

- LESSONS LEARNT FROM PAST SPILLS
- OILED WILDLIFE REHABILITATION
- INVOLVEMENT OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES
- MANAGEMENT OF VOLUNTEERS
- TERMINATION OF CLEANUP OPERATIONS

INCLUDE IN NATIONAL RESPONSE ORGANIZATIONS:

- INVOLVEMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISERS
- FACILITATIONS FOR THE INVOLVEMENT OF PRIVATE Co
- SCHEMES FOR COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION
(up to REGIONAL LEVEL)
- MANAGEMENT OF TECHNICAL PROPOSALS