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**EUROPEAN AND MEDITERRANEAN MAJOR HAZARDS AGREEMENT  
(EUR-OPA)**

**64<sup>TH</sup> MEETING  
OF THE COMMITTEE OF PERMANENT CORRESPONDENTS**

**24-25 OCTOBER 2013**

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**DRAFT AGENDA**

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## THURSDAY, 24 OCTOBER

### 1. ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT AGENDA

*AP/CAT (2013) OJ 5: Draft Agenda*

### 2. SPECIAL SESSION: Including People with Disabilities in Disaster Preparedness and Response

- Speech of Mr Michel FEIDER, Acting Chair of the Committee of the Permanent Correspondents
- Speech of Mr Eladio FERNANDEZ-GALIANO, Executive Secretary a.i. of the Agreement  
*AP / CAT (2013) 09: Including People with Disabilities in Disaster Preparedness and Response*
- People with Disabilities and Disaster Preparedness and Response  
*AP/CAT (2013) 09: Including People with Disabilities in Disaster Preparedness and Response*  
*Presentation by Professor David ALEXANDER, Institute for Risk and Disaster Reduction, University College, London*
- Discussion of the guidelines and adoption of the recommendation  
*AP/CAT (2013) 10: Draft Recommendation 2013-1 on People with Disabilities and Disaster Risk Reduction*

### 3. RECALL OF THE LAST MEETING OF THE PERMANENT CORRESPONDENTS

*AP/CAT (2012) 20: Report of the 63<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Committee of Permanent Correspondents, Dubrovnik, 4-5.10.2012*

### 4. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CHAIR, DELEGATIONS AND EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

- Earthquake early warning and decoupling of main utility systems: a two-countries initiative  
*Presentation by Mr Iuliu BARA, Directorate of European Territorial Cooperation, Romanian Ministry of Regional Development and Administration*
- Next Steps on the HFA2 Process  
*Presentation by Ms Stefanie DANNENMANN - DI PALMA, UNISDR Europe*

### 5. INVOLVEMENT IN INTERNATIONAL INITIATIVES

- Fourth Global Platform on Disaster Risk Reduction (19-23 May 2013, Geneva, Switzerland)
  - Participation to the European HFA progress review
  - Contribution to the PEDDR initiative
  - Consultations on a post-Hyogo Framework of Action  
*Statement of the Agreement at the Plenary Session*
- St Petersburg International Economic Forum (St Petersburg, 20-22 June 2013)
- Fourth meeting of the European Forum for Disaster Risk Reduction (Oslo, 23-25 September 2013)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> GRF One Health Summit 2013 (Davos, 17-20 November 2013) and Special Session at IDRC 2014 (Davos, 24-28 August 2014)
- UNECE/FAO Regional Forum on Cross-boundary Fire Management (Geneva, 28-29 November 2013)

## FRIDAY, 25 OCTOBER

### 7. EXAMINATION OF THE CENTRES' ACTIVITIES

- Meeting of the Directors of Specialised Centres of the Agreement (Paris, 4-5 December 2012)  
*AP/CAT (2013) 07: Conclusions of the meeting*
- Evaluation of the 2012 activities and activities scheduled in 2013  
*AP/CAT (2013) 01 bil.: Activities supported in 2012 and planned for 2013*

### 8. PLANNED ACTIVITIES FOR 2014 AND 2015

- Draft budget for 2014  
*AP/CAT (2013) 08: Draft budget for 2014-15*
- Discussion of the guidelines for the 2014-2015 programme of activities  
*AP/CAT (2013) 02: Guidelines for the 2014-15 programme of activities*
- Initiatives on displaced people and risk reduction  
*AP/CAT (2012)16: Improving DRR in certain vulnerable groups*

### 9. ELECTION OF THE CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIRS OF THE COMMITTEE OF PERMANENT CORRESPONDENTS

### 10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

### 11. DATE AND PLACE OF THE NEXT MEETING