MONDAY 12 AUGUST 2013

ARRIVAL OF THE PARTICIPANTS AT FORTALEZA AIRPORT

- Welcoming at the airport terminal,
- Bus transfer to the Marina Park Hotel,
- Installation in the hotel.

REGISTRATION FOR INBO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

14/30
18/00

Workshop of the Brazilian Network of Basin Organizations (REBOB): “Importance of basin organizations for water management”

LUNCH AND EVENING FREE
TUESDAY 13 AUGUST 2013

THE WHOLE DAY

ARRIVAL OF THE PARTICIPANTS AT FORTALEZA AIRPORT
- Welcoming at the airport terminal,
- Bus transfer to the Marina Park Hotel,
- Installation in the hotel.
- Registration for INBO General Assembly

9:30 - 16:30
LIAISON BUREAUS OF THE REGIONAL NETWORKS:
- Chaired by,
  Regional President,
- Reporter:
  Regional Permanent Technical Secretary.

9:00 - 16:30
REBOB ASSEMBLY
Brazilian Network of Basin Organizations
Participants of the other regional networks of INBO are invited to participate as observers.

- Chaired by Mr. Lupercio ZIROLDO ANTONIO,
  President of REBOB

MINI TRAINING COURSE:
1 - Planos de Recursos Hídricos, Professor Sergio Rodrigues Soares
2 – Comitês de Bacia – Experiência brasileira, Professor Victor Sucupira

16:30 - 19:00
INBO INTERNATIONAL LIAISON BUREAU:
International Conference Center – Marina Park Hotel

- Chaired by HE Mr. Kabiné KOMARA,
  World INBO President 2013,
  OMVS High Commissioner
  Organization for the Development of the Senegal River,
  Former Prime Minister of Guinea.

- Reporter: Mr. J.F. DONZIER,
  INBO Permanent Technical Secretary.

19:30 - 21:30
OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY
WELCOMING COCKTAIL
TUESDAY 13 AUGUST 2013 – OPENING CEREMONY
International Conference Center of Marina Park Hotel

19:30:
- Mr. Lupercio ZIROLDO ANTONIO, REBOB President, Brazilian Network of Basin Organizations,
- Mr. Mário DANTAS, Coordinator of the National Forum of Basin Committees,
- Mr. César PINHEIROQ, Secretary for Water Resources of Ceará State
- Mr. Abel JIMENEZ ALCAZAR, NANBO Presidency, North-American Network of Basin Organizations, Manager of Basin Councils, National Water Commission, Mexico,
- Mr. Gerardo GONZÁLEZ, LANBO President, Latin-American Network of Basin Organizations, Director of Integrated Basin Management – National Environment Authority, Panama,
- Mr. Victor A. DUKHOVNY, EECCA – NBO Secretary, Network of Basin Organizations of Eastern Europe, Caucasus and Central Asia
- Mr. Daniel CHOMET, President of the Basin Islands Network, President of the Basin Committee of the Martinique, France,
- Ms. Atanaska TUNTOVA, CEENBO President, Central and Eastern European Network of Basin Organizations, Director General, Directorate of the East Aegean Basin, Bulgaria,
- Mr. Ahmet Mete SAATÇI, President of "EUROPE-INBO 2012- 2013", President of the Turkish Water Institute, SUEN, Turkey,
- Ms. Maria Ángeles UREÑA, President, Jucar River Basin Authority – Spain, Secretariat of the Mediterranean Network of Basin Organizations - MENBO
- Ms. Tracy Sithabile MOLEFI, ANBO President, African Network of Basin Organizations, Director, Ministry of Minerals, Energy and Water Resources, Botswana,
- Mr. Ney MARANHÃO, National Secretary for Water Resources, Brazil,
- Mr. Benedito BRAGA, President of the World Water Council,
- His Excellency Mr. Mohamed Salem OULD MERZOUG, World INBO President 2010 - 2012,
- His Excellency Mr. Kabiné KOMARA, World INBO President, OMVS High Commissioner (Organization for the Development of the Senegal River), Former Prime Minister of Guinea.
- His Excellency Mr. Vicente ANDREU GUILLO, President of the National Water Agency (ANA) Brazil
- His Excellency Mr. Cid GOMES, Governor of Ceará State,
- Her Excellency. Ms. Isabela TEIXEIRA, Minister for the Environment, Brazil,

21:30: WELCOMING COCKTAIL IN FORTALEZA - CEARA
WEDNESDAY 14 AUGUST 2013 – FIRST OFFICIAL DAY
International Conference Center of Marina Park Hotel
MORNING

• 09:00
  PRESENTATION OF THE WATER ISSUES
  AND INSTITUTIONS IN BRAZIL:
  ▪ Mr. Vicente ANDREU GUILLO,
    President of the National Water Agency (ANA) Brazil

  PRESENTATION OF WATER SIGNIFICANCE
  AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL
  ▪ Mr. Benedito BRAGA,
    President of the World Water Council,

11:00
  BREAK

• 11:00:
  FIRST TOPICAL ROUND TABLE
  In the form of a Talk-Show:
  Key topic: Water resources management should be one of the targets
  of post 2015 Sustainable Development
  ▪ Facilitator Mr. Jean-François DONZIER,
    Permanent Technical Secretary of INBO
    International Network of Basin Organizations
  ▪ Mr. Benedito BRAGA,
    President of the World Water Council,
  ▪ Mr. Kabiné KOMARA,
    OMVS High Commissioner (Organization for the Development of the Senegal River),
    World INBO President, Former Prime Minister of Guinea.
  ▪ Mr. Simon SAKIBEDE,
    Secretary General of CICOS, (International Commission for the Congo River Basin)
  ▪ Ms. Tracy MOLEFI,
    Director of the International Waters Department,
  ▪ Mr. Puy LIM,
    Vice President of the Tonle Sap Authority, Cambodia,

12:00
  ▪ Ms. Lucia VARGA,
    Minister for Water, Forestry and Fisheries, Ministry of the Environment, Romania,
  ▪ Mr. Francisco NUNES CORREIA,
    Former Minister for the Environment, Regional Planning
    And Development, Academic, Portugal
  ▪ Mr. Laurent BERGEOT,
    Director General of the Adour-Garonne Water Agency, France,
  ▪ Mr. Daniel CHOMET
    President of the Basin Committee of the Martinique, France,
  ▪ Mr. Vicente ANDREU GUILLO,
    President of the National Water Agency (ANA) Brazil

  ✪ QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,
  ✪ CONCLUSIONS.

• 13:00:
  LUNCH-BUFFET
WEDNESDAY! 14 AUGUST 2013 – FIRST OFFICIAL DAY
International Conference Center of Marina Park Hotel
AFTERNOON

• 14:30: FIRST STATUTORY SESSION
  OF INBO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

   Co-Chairmen: HE Mr. Kabiné KOMARA,
  INBO World President,
  and HE Mr. Vicente ANDREU GUILLO
  New World President of INBO proposed by Brazil.

   Facilitator  Mr. Jean-François DONZIER,
  Permanent Technical Secretary of INBO.

  ➢ Prospects – 2013 - 2016
    Mr. J.F. DONZIER,
    INBO Permanent Technical Secretary.

  ➢ INBO budgets for 2010 – 2011 – 2012 - 2013
    • Mr. Henri LIMOUZINEAU - KPMG
      Statutory Auditor of the Network,

  ➢ INBO communication strategy,
    • Mrs. Christiane RUNEL
      Director of the publication "INBO Newsletter"

  ➢ INBO participation in the 7th World Water Forum,
    In Korea in April 2015, Facilitation of preparatory work,

  ➢ Launching of the "Blue passport for Basin citizens",
    • Ms. Maggie WHITE,
      Secretary General of the International Secretariat for Water, Canada,

  ➢ INBO Regional Networks reports and their projects:
    • Mrs. / Messrs.
      Regional Presidents or Permanent Technical Secretaries:

      • ANBO: - Mr. Tamsir NDIAYE,
      • Europe-INBO: - Mr. Ahmet Mete SAATÇI,
      • CEE-NBO: - Ms. Daniela RADULESCU,
      • EECCA-NBO: - Mr. Vadim SOKOLOV,
      • MENBO: - Mr. Teodoro ESTRELA MONREAL,
      • LANBO: - Mr. Gerardo GONZÁLEZ
      • REBOB: - Mr. Lupercio ZIROLDO ANTONIO,

  ➢ QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,
  ➢ GENERAL DISCUSSION,
  ➢ CONCLUSIONS.

• 16:30: REFRESHMENTS BREAK
SECOND TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:

- **Key topic:** Adaptation to the effects of climate change and prevention of extreme phenomena of floods and droughts

**Facilitator:** Mr. Jean-Marie WAUTHIER, Director of International Affairs of the Walloon Region, Belgium. Former President of the "Europe-INBO" Group.

- Ms. Sonja KOEPPEL, UN Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE),
- Ms. Daniela RADULESCU, Director of the National Institute of Hydrology and Water Management, Romania
- Mr. Teodoro ESTRELA MONREAL, Head of the Hydrological Planning Department, Jucar River Basin Authority, Spain,
- Mr. Joël PELICOT, President of the Planning Commission of the Loire-Brittany Basin Committee France
- Mr. Bart FOKKENS, President of the European Centre for River Restoration, The Netherlands
- Mr. Willi STRUCKMEIER, Director of the Federal Institute of Geosciences and Natural Resources, Germany

**17:45**

- Mr. Mohamed EL FASSKAOUI, Director of the River Basin Agency of the Souss Massa and Draa, Morocco,
- Ms. Bahar SEL FEHIM, Head, Basin Management Department, Ministry of Forestry and Water Affairs, Turkey
- Mr. Sanusi Imran ABDULLAH, Secretary General of the Lake Chad Basin Committee
- Mr. Ramón DAZA HURTADO, General Directorate for Water, Ministry of Public Works, Chile
- Mr. Joaquim GONDIN, National Water Agency, Brazil
- Mr. Vinicius BENAVIDES, President of the Water and Sanitation Agency Federal District of Brasilia, Brazil.

- QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,
- GENERAL DISCUSSION,
- CONCLUSIONS.

**19:00:** END OF WORK OF THE FIRST DAY

**20:30:** “EVENING OF THE SENEGAL RIVER”

Informal dress
At the invitation of HE Mr. Kabiné KOMARA, High Commissioner of OMVS, INBO World President,
THURSDAY 15 AUGUST 2013 – SECOND OFFICIAL DAY
International Conference Center or Marina Park Hotel
MORNING

● 08:45: THIRD TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:

   **Key topic:** Institutional frameworks for action of Basin Organizations, Participation of local authorities, water users and the public, role of the basin committees.

   **Facilitator:** Mr. Paulo VARELLA, Director of the National Water Agency (ANA) Brazil

   - Ms. Maria Angeles UREÑA, President of the Jucar River Basin Authority, Spain
   - Mr. Claude MIQUEU, Vice President of the General Council of Upper Pyrenees, France President of the Planning Commission of the Adour Garonne Water Agency
   - Ms Atanaska TUNTOVA, Director General, Directorate of the East Aegean Basin, Bulgaria
   - Ms. Malak SUKUROVA, President of the Caucasus Regional Centre for the Environment, Georgia
   - Mr. Mekhi ABROUK, Director General of the Basin Agency Algiers-Hodna-Soummam, Algeria
   - Mr. Souphasay KOMANY, Secretary of Nam Ngum River Basin Committee, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Laos
   - Mr. Ebenizario CHONGUICA, Executive Secretary of the Okavango Water Commission (OKAKOM), Botswana
   - Mr. Charles BINEY, Executive Director of the Volta Basin Authority (VBA)
   - M. Abel JIMENEZ ALCAZAR, Director of the Basin Councils Department, National Water Commission (CONAGUA), Mexico
   - Ms. Maggie WHITE, Secretary General at the International Secretariat for Water, Canada
   - Mr. Anivaldo DE MIRANDA PINTO, President of the San Francisco Basin Council
   - Mr. Luiz FIRMINO PEREIRA, Brazilian Network of Basin Organizations

   ➔ QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,
   ➔ GENERAL DISCUSSION,
   ➔ CONCLUSIONS.

● 11:00 BREAK
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MORNING (CONTINUATION)

11:00: FOURTH TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:

- **Key topic:** Management of transboundary rivers, lakes and aquifers.

Facilitator: Oscar DE MORAES CORDEIRO NETTO, President of the Water Resources Scientific Committee
University of Brasilia - Brazil

- **Mr. Collins Remy IHEKIRE,**
  Executive Secretary of the Niger Basin Authority,
- **Mr. Justino VIEIRA,**
  Executive Secretary of the Organization for the Development of the Gambia River,
- **Mr. Kabungo Casinius KANANGIRE**
  Executive Secretary of the Lake Victoria Basin Commission
- **Mr. Mavlon KAZAKOV,**
  Representative of Tajikistan, Executive Committee of the International Fund for saving the Aral Sea (EC—IFAS),
- **Ms. Shirouk ALABAYACHI,**
  Director for International Affairs, Ministry of Water Resources, Iraq
- **Ms. Flavia LOURES,** World Wildlife Fund,
- **Mr. Ahmet Mete SAATÇI,**
  President of the Turkish Water Institute, SUEN, Turkey,
- **Mr. Alfredo MAMANI SALINAS,**
  Executive President of Lake Titicaca Authority,
- **Mr. Luis HIERRO LOPEZ,**
  Delegate for Uruguay at the Uruguay River Commission
- **Mr. Serge BAFAU,**
  President of the Basin Committee of Guyana,
- **Mr. Mauri PEREIRA**
  Secretariat of Environment and Water Resources of the Paraná State- Brazil
- **Mr. Carlos Eduardo ALENCASTRE**
  Brazilian Network of Basin Organizations

- QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,
- GENERAL DISCUSSION,
- CONCLUSIONS.

13:00: LUNCH-BUFFET

13:30 SIDE- EVENT: Importance of legal instruments to support cooperation in transboundary basins.
Organized by WWF, UNEP, UNECE, Green Cross International
Facilitator: Ms. Flavia LOURES, World Wildlife Fund
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AFTERNOON

• 14:30: FIFTH TOPICAL ROUND TABLE:
  - **Key topic**: Financing of water management and of basin organizations.

  Facilitator: Mr. Walter MAZZITTI
  EMWIS President,
  Former President of MENBO
  Mediterranean Network of Basin Organizations.

  - Mr. Harry LIIV,
    Secretary General of the Ministry for the Environment, Estonia,
  - Mr. Pierre AUGEY,
    Administrator of the Adour Garonne Water Agency, France,
  - Mr. Mahmoud EL MOKTAR
    Director of Regional Structures of OMVS,
  - Mr. Dibi MILLOGO,
    Director of the Nakanbé Agency, Burkina Faso
  - Mr. Benedict Tsiu KHATHIBE,
    Director of the Highlands Water Commission - Lesotho,
  - Mr. Al Mahdi MEGRBI,
    Director-General – Water Authority and Regional Center of Shared Aquifers, Libya

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  - Mr. Salah BENMATRIK, Secretary General
    Bouregreg – Chaouia River Basin Agency, Morocco
  - Mr. Gerardo GONZALES,
    Director of the Basin Committee Department, National Agency for the Environment (ANAM), Panama,
  - Mr. Javier ROJAS,
    National Water Agency (ANA), Peru,
  - Mr. Hector RETAMAL,
    Delegate for Argentina at the Uruguay River Commission
  - Mr. Luiz NORONHA,
    National Water Agency (ANA), Brazil
  - Mr. Francisco LAHOZ,
    PCJ Consortium, Brazil

⇒ QUESTIONS / ANSWERS,
⇒ GENERAL DISCUSSION,
⇒ CONCLUSIONS.

• 16:30: REFRESHMENTS BREAK
16:45: ROUND TABLE OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ORGANIZATIONS:

Co-Chairmen: Mr. José MACHADO,
Ministry of Integration, Brazil
Mr. Kabiné KOMARA,
INBO World President,

SPEAKERS:

- Ms. Carmina MORENO,
  Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
- Mr. Almamy MBENGUE
  West African Development Bank
- Mr. Lee YOUNGSEOK
  United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)
- Mr. Emmanuel CHINYAMAKOBVU,
  UN Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD),
- Ms. Sonja KOEPPEL,
  UN Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE),
- Ms. Zhuldyz ZHURUMBETOVA,
  Executive Committee of the International Fund for saving the Aral Sea (EC--IFAS),
- Mr. Vadim SOKOLOV
  Global Water Partnership Caucasus and Central Asia,
- Mr. Alberto PALOMBO, Executive Secretary,
  Inter-American Water Resources Network (IWRN- OAS)

17:45: BREAK
THURSDAY 15 AUGUST 2013 – SECOND OFFICIAL DAY
International Conference Center (to be confirmed)
AFTERNOON (CONTINUATION 2)

17:45: SECOND STATUTORY SESSION
OF INBO GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

❖ Co-chairmen: HE Mr. Kabiné KOMARA,
Former INBO World President,
and HE Mr. Vicente ANDREU GUILLO
New World President of INBO proposed by Brazil.

❖ Reporter: Mr. Jean-François DONZIER,
Permanent Technical Secretary of INBO

❖ Transfer of the World Presidency of INBO
from HE Mr. Kabiné KOMARA,
Former INBO World President,
to HE Mr. Vicente ANDREU GUILLO
New World President of INBO proposed by Brazil.

❖ Designation of the Members
of INBO World Liaison Bureau
❖ Designation of the host country and city
for the next 10th World General Assembly in 2016,
❖ Candidates for hosting in 2019
the 11th World General Assembly of INBO.

❖ DECLARATION OF FORTALEZA (discussions and approval)
❖ FINAL RESOLUTIONS (discussions and approval)

18:45: CLOSING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

❖ Mr. Abel JIMENEZ ALCAZAR,
Comisión Nacional del Agua, Mexico,
Organizing country for the next General Assembly 2016

❖ HE Mr. Kabiné KOMARA,
Former INBO World President, High Commissioner of OMVS,

❖ HE Mr. Vicente ANDREU GUILLO
New INBO World President.
President of the National Water Agency (ANA) Brazil

19:15: END OF WORK

20:30: COCKTAIL AND CULTURAL EVENTS
FRIDAY 16 AUGUST 2013 - THIRD OFFICIAL DAY

TECHNICAL VISIT (to be specified)

- 08:00: DEPARTURE FROM THE HOTEL BY BUS:
  A 55 Km system for transferring raw water
  from the Medio Jaguaribe reservoir
  to Fortaleza Metropolitan area

- 18:30 BUS STOP AT THE AIRPORT OR BACK TO THE HOTEL IN
  FORTALEZA

SATURDAY 17 AUGUST 2013

- THE WHOLE DAY : PARTICIPANTS’ TRANSFER TO THE AIRPORT
  - Transfer to the airport,
  - Registration on return flights.

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THERE WILL BE A SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION INTO
ENGLISH - SPANISH - FRENCH AND PORTUGUESE
FOR ALL THE WORKS

ANY INFORMATION AND PREPARATORY DOCUMENT
OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WILL BE AVAILABLE ON:

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