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INTRODUCTORY SESSION: 09.30 - 11.00

Welcome by Mr **Carlos Manuel Cesar**, President of the Autonomous Government of the Azores

- Why this meeting? by Mr **Claudio Martini**, President of the CPMR, President of Tuscany
- Preparing for a European Maritime Policy by Mr **Joe Borg**, European Commissioner responsible for Fisheries and Maritime Affairs
- A European Maritime Policy in a global world, by Mr **Joao Mira Gomes**, State Secretary for Defence and Maritime Affairs of Portugal, Presidency-in-Office of the European Union
- The Polish Vision of the new EU Maritime Policy in the globalising world, by Mr **Rafal Wiechecki**, the Minister of Maritime Economy of the Republic of Poland
- ZICOSUR: a strategy of a bio-oceanic link by Dr. **Julio Argentino San Millán**, Minister, Representative of the Salta Government at ZICOSUR (ZICOSUR "Integration zone Centre-West South America) and international organisations

11.00 - 11.15
Coffee Break
Press conference

SESSION 2 - 11.15 - 13.00: INTEGRATED MARITIME POLICIES ARE SET UP FROM ONE CONTINENT TO ANOTHER

Chaired, led and conclusions by Mr **Paul Nemitz**, Deputy Head, European Commission's Maritime Affairs Task Force

- Introductory presentation by Ms **Biliana Cicin-Sain**, co-chair, Global Forum on Ocean, Coasts and Islands
- Report on the USA's experience, Mr. **W. Michael Sullivan**, Director, Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management
- Report on Australia's experience, Ms **Donna Petrachenko**, First Assistant Secretary, Department of the Environment and Water Resources, Australian Government
- Development and implementation of the Sustainable Development Strategy for the Seas of East Asia? Mr. **Chua Thia-Eng**, Director, PEMSEA (Partnership in Environmental Management for the Seas of East Asia)
- Report on Canada's experience by Ms **Lorraine Ridgeway**, Director general, Ministry of Fisheries and Oceans
- The Portuguese maritime policy by Mr **Miguel Sequeira**, Responsável pela Estrutura de Missão para os Assuntos do Mar, Portugal

Debate with participants

Lunch on site

SESSION 3 - 15.00 - 16.45: THE OCEANS' CONTRIBUTION TO ECONOMIC GROWTH

Chaired, led and conclusions by Mr **Yves Morvan**, Professor of Industrial Economy, President of the CPMR Administrative Council

- Challenges of growth in global trade and maritime traffic for the ports and the maritime transport professionals by Mr **Henry Roux-Alezais**, Responsable Grands Projets et Formation, Compagnie Maritime d'Affrètement - Compagnie Générale Maritime (CMA CGM)
- Northern maritime corridor : the motorway of the Northern Seas and link to Northwest Russia by Mr. **Gunnar Eiterjord**, Head of Transport Department Rogaland Region (N)
- Maritime Economy in Developing Country - the role of capacity building to accelerate the development of coastal society. (ex. of UNITAR project in Indonesia) : Mr. **Nico Barito**, Senior Fellow, UNITAR (United Nations Institute for Training and Research)
- Development of maritime economy in China, Mr. **Naisheng Li**, Deputy Director-General, Department of Science and Technology of Shandong Province, Director-General, Researcher, Shandong Marine Science and Technology Academy
- Global Competition and Sustainability: Challenges for Tourism in maritime areas by Mr **Peter Billing**, Director, Centre for Regional and Tourism Research, Bornholm (DK)

Debate with participants

16.45 - 17.00 Coffee Break

SESSION 4 - 17.00 - 18.30: RESEARCH AND ENERGY, EXPLOITING THE POTENTIAL OF COASTS AND OCEANS

Chaired, led and conclusions by Mr **Geoffrey O'Sullivan**, Section Manager - International Co-Operation - Marine Institute, Ireland

- Maritime policy, the view of the oil and gas industry by Mr. **Diederik Peereboom**, Manager EU Affairs, International Association of Oil and Gas Producers, OGP Europe
- Discovery of offshore oilfield in a coastal Region of China by Mr. **Naisheng Li**, Deputy Director-General, Department of Science and Technology of Shandong Province, Director-General, Researcher, Shandong Marine Science and Technology Academy
- Making Offshore Wave Energy - The Aguçadoura I Project by Mr **Rui Barros**, Enersis
- Deeper than light on active seafloor : new challenges to exploration and exploitation by Mr. **Ricardo Santos**, Director, Oceanography and Fisheries Department, University of the Azores

Debate with participants

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SESSION 5 - 09.30 - 11.30: GOVERNANCE OF THE SEAS AND OCEANS, FROM GLOBAL TO REGIONAL

Chaired, led and conclusions by Mr **Jean-Yves Le Drian**, Chairman of Brittany Region (F)

- Introductory presentation by a "legal" expert by Mrs **Isabel Torres de Noronha**, Governance Expert for the Europe of the Sea Project, CPMR
- The role of the regions in the implementation of an integrated strategy : the Azores, a regional vision on the maritime policy, by Mr **Vasco Cordeiro**, Regional Secretary of the Presidency of the Azores Autonomous Government
- The relevance of sea basins between the Regions and major world areas: Mr **Patrick Anvoin**, Director, CPMR
- Speech by Mr **Xavier de la Gorce**, Secretary general, French General Secretariat for the Sea
- Synergies of the seas - new Regional Cooperation Initiatives by Mr **Istvan Serto-Radics**, First Vice-President, RELEX Commission in the Committee of the Regions
- Integrated Coastal Zone Management: which policy support instruments? By Mr **Georges-Stavros Kremlis**, Head of Unit - DG Environment, European Commission

Debate with participants

11.30 - 11.45 Coffee Break

SESSION 6 - 11.15- 13.00: PROTECTING AND DEVELOPING THE SEA - PROMOTING SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Chaired, led and conclusions by Mr **François Desrentes**, Director in charge of Sustainable Development, CPMR

- The importance of community engagement for the success of EU maritime policy by Mr **Philippe Vallette**, General Director of Nausicaa and Co-chair of the « World Ocean Network »
- Evolution of fish stock : world state of play by Mr **Raúl García**, Fishery Officer, WWF - Spain
- Improving maritime safety, a shared challenge on a global scale : the role of the regions in maritime safety by Mr. **Humphrey Temperley**, County Councillor, Devon County Council, CPMR representative to IOPCF

Debate with participants

CONCLUDING SESSION - 13.00 - 13.45

- Summary of the work of the seminar, by Mr **Xavier Gizard**, Secretary General of the CPMR
- Concluding speeches by Mr. **Michel Delebarre**, President of the Committee of the Regions, Mr **Claudio Martini** and **Vasco Cordeiro**, Regional Secretary of the Presidency of the Azores

Lunch on site

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