



Progress of the WMO RA VI management through the new structure of the Management Group

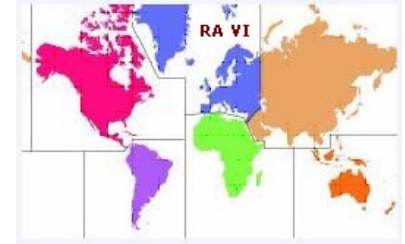
***Prospective of the SEE NMHSs
Performance Improvement***

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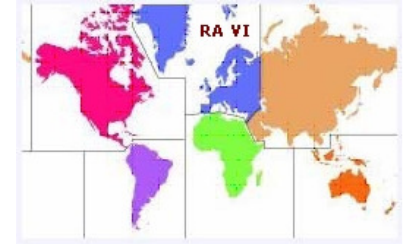
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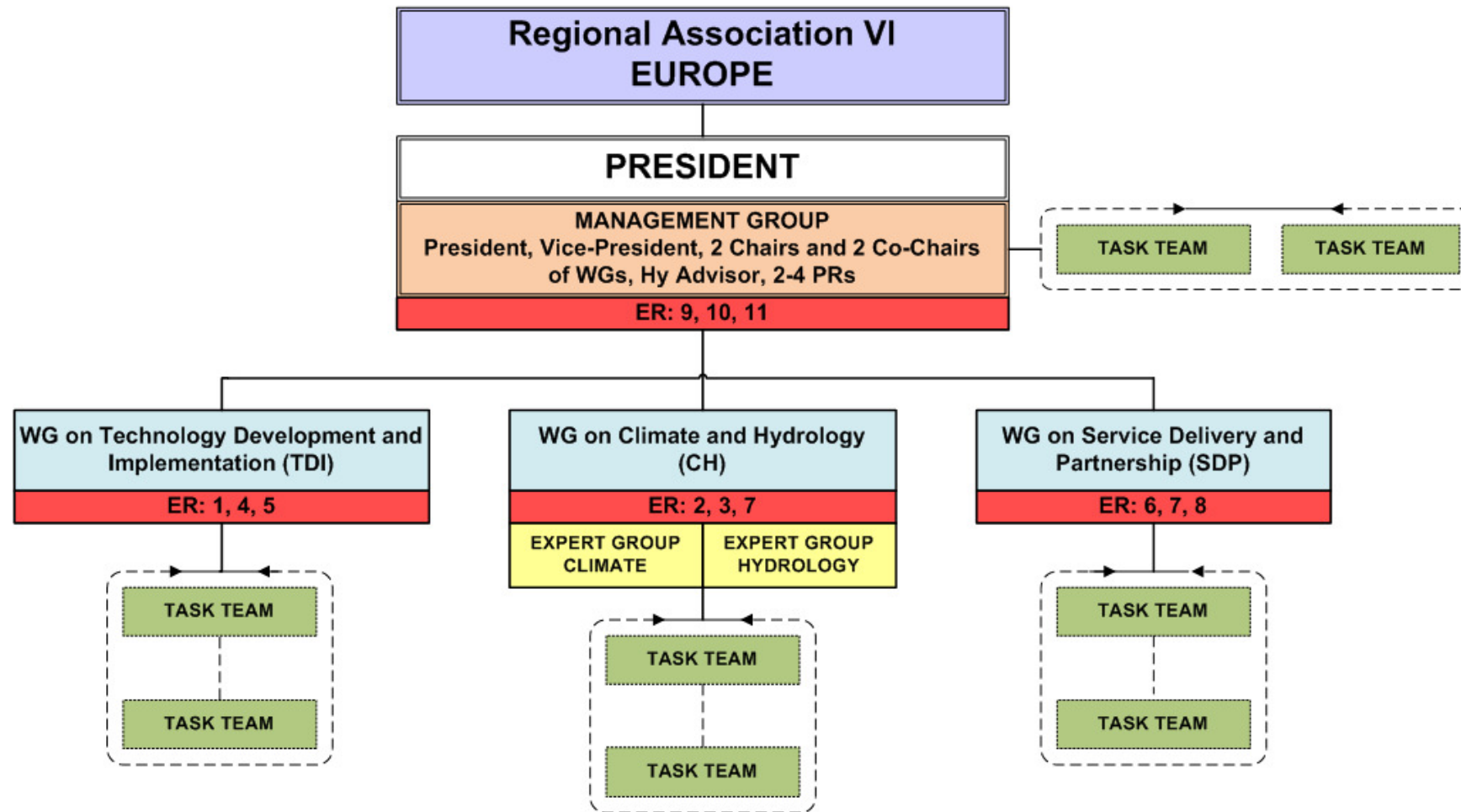
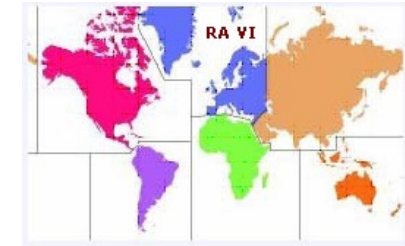
Establishment of the RA VI structure



- **XV Session of RA VI in Brussels**
 - ✓ **Elected the new President and Vice-President**
 - ✓ **Approved the new Association structure**

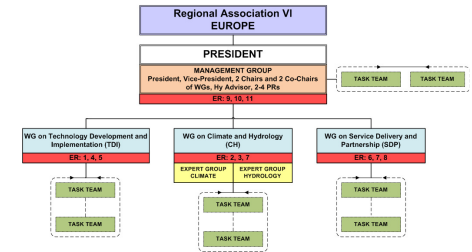
- **Association structure is comprising**
 - ✓ **Management Group (MG)**
 - ✓ **Three working groups (WG)**
 - ✓ **Task Teams (TT)**

Establishment of the new RA VI structure





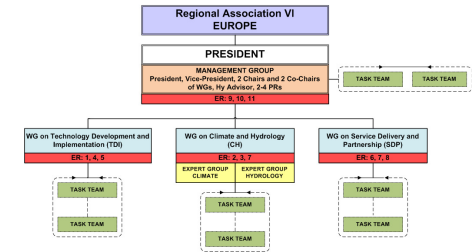
Establishment of the new RA VI structure



- **The first RA VI Management Group meeting has established (23 September 2009)**
 - ✓ **New RA VI Management Group members**
 - **3 PRs: Finland, Germany, Israel**
 - **1 PR position is left free**
 - very likely position will be granted to Belarus
 - **2 chairs of the 2 WGs and 2 co-chairs of the 2 subgroups**
 - **advisor to the President and the main coordinator of the MG activities**
 - ✓ **Plan for establishment of the full work structure of the Association for the next intersession period**



Composition of the RA VI Management Group



- **Mr Ivan Cacic, RA VI President - Chair**
- **Mr Mieczyslaw Ostojki, RA VI Vice-president**

Management Group

PRs

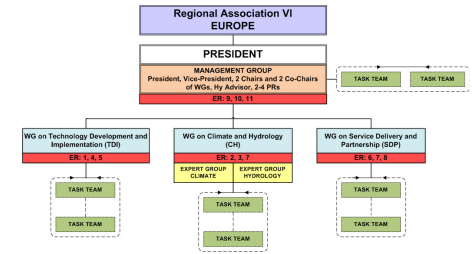
- **Mr Wolfgang Kusch, PR of Germany with WMO**
- **Mr Petteri Taalas, PR of Finland with WMO**
- **Mrs Henia Berkovich, PR of Israel with WMO**

WG Chairmans and Co-chairmans

- **Mr Jochen Dibbern, Chair of the WG on Technology Implementation and Development**
- **Mr David Robinson, Chair of the WG on Service Delivery and Partnership**



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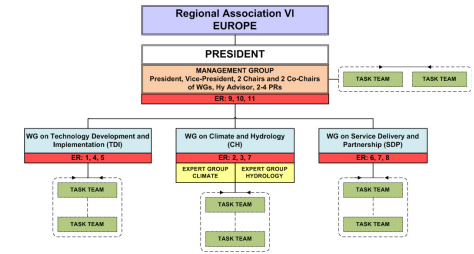
Management Group

WG Chairmans and Co-chairmans

- **Mrs Anahit Hovsepyan, Co-chair of the WG on Climate and Hydrology, Expert Group Climate**
- **Mr Markku Puupponen, Co-chair of the WG on Climate and Hydrology, Expert Group Hydrology and Hydrological Advisor to the President of RA VI**



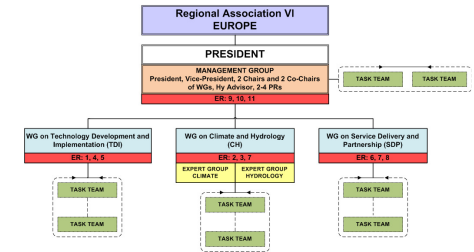
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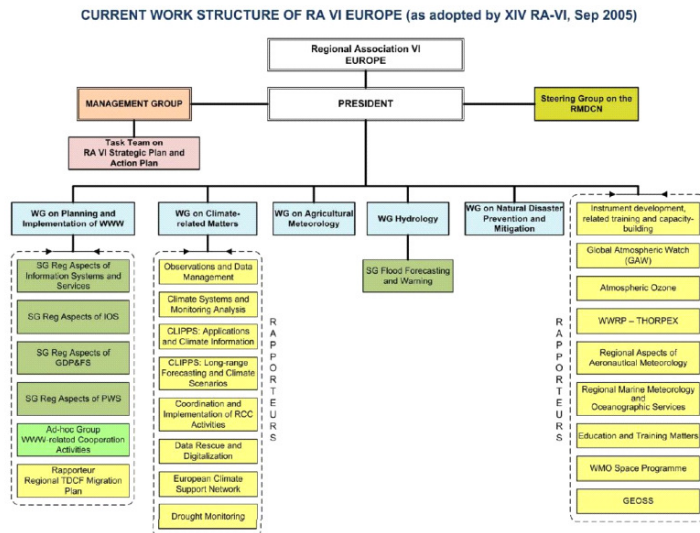
- **Chairs, co-chairs are appointing**
 - ✓ **core members of the WGs**
 - ✓ **Task Teams**
- **Optimal number of the WG core members is 8 to 10** in order to ensure
 - ✓ **close work in a focused manner**
 - ✓ **better coordination of the work programmes and tasks of all subsidiary bodies**
- **In addition, other PRs or experts could be invited to participate in MG meetings or meetings of subsidiary bodies as necessary**



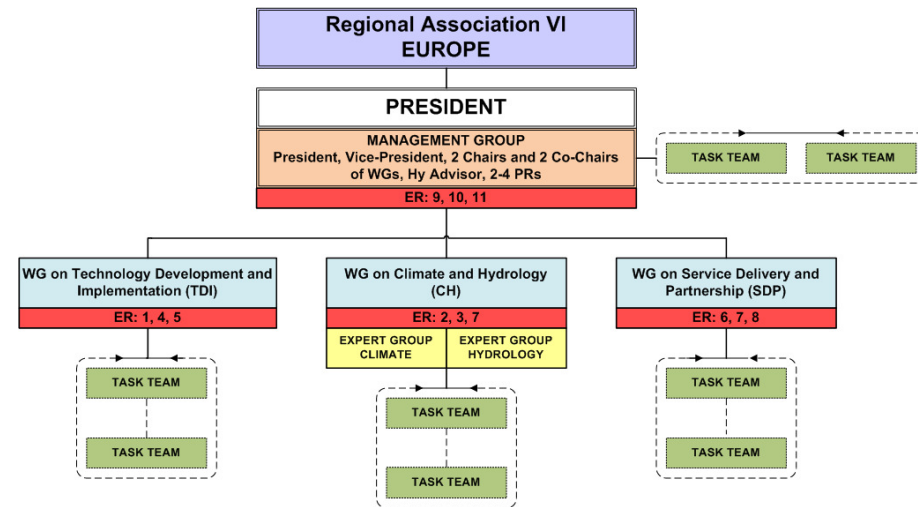
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- **New structure significantly differs from the previous one, with**
 - ✓ **reduced number of WGs**
 - ✓ **more flexibility in addressing specific tasks by establishing of Task Teams**



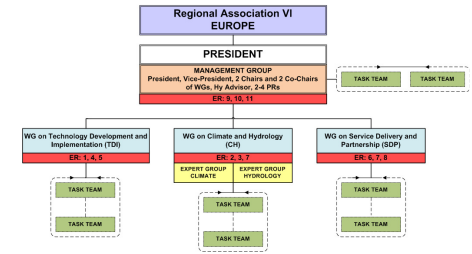
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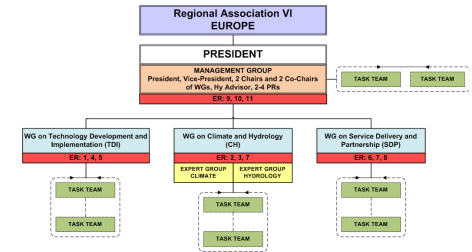
First steps in the establishment of the full work structure



- **Letter by President to the chairs of the WGs requesting recommendations for the core membership**
- **WMO Secretariat - provides the list of nominated specialists delegated by the PRs**
 - ✓ **Already around 100 nominations**
The list is still open
 - ✓ **If the list appears insufficient, second call for nominations will be sent to the PRs**
- **The WG chairs are in the process to submit to the President the first draft of the work programmes of their WGs by the common template in order to achieve consistency of the work programmes**



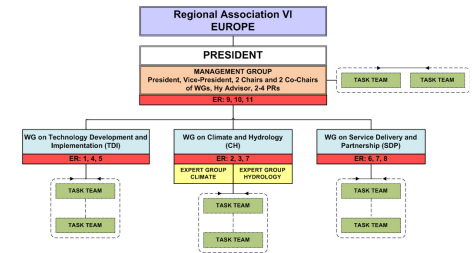
First steps in the establishment of the full work structure



- **By the end of December 2009, the WG chairs are preparing proposals for**
 - ✓ **the core membership**
 - ✓ **establishment of Task Teams (TT) to work on specific items and deliverables**
TTs will have manageable number with approved composition
 - ✓ **general outlines of the work plans for WGs for the period 2010 – 2013 based on**
 - **approved TORs**
 - **the general guidance provided by the XV RA VI Session in accordance with RA VI Strategic Plan**
 - ✓ **The proposals will be reviewed and adopted by the second MG meeting in February 2010**



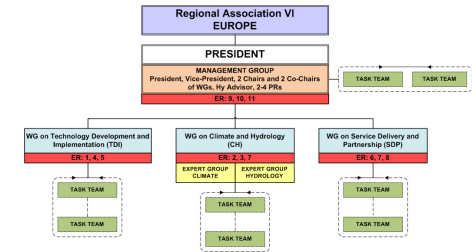
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- There is **need** for strengthening the **cooperation and collaboration** between the **RA VI** and the **CBS Commission**
by involving members of the CBS subsidiary bodies to serve also as experts on relevant RAVI WGs and Task Teams
- **Secretariat** is foreseen to provide **optimal support** **RA VI MG** and its subsidiary bodies (WGs, TTs) up to the available WMO budget



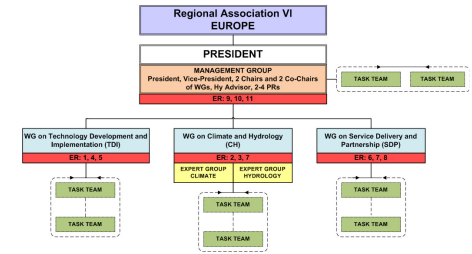
Some basic issues



- **Management Group is facing with preparation off the new **WMO Strategic Plan (2012-2015)****
- **First complete draft of the new SP is expected to be available by the end October 2010 taking into account**
 - ✓ **inputs from RA VI Members outlining **regional challenges and priorities****
 - ✓ **inputs from **other Regional Associations****
- **For the next intersession period MG should**
 - ✓ **ensure outcomes of the **WCC-3** in the work programme**
 - ✓ **participate in preparation of the **WIS/WIGOS** implementation plan for approval by the next WMO Congress**



First outcome



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