

Group Members Selection process

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Objective

- First Strategic Research Agenda and Market Deployment
 Strategy documents published in March 2008
 - § Promoted during EWEC
 - § Used as input for the SET-Plan
 - § Support to EC for next FP7 calls
 - § First Mirror Group meeting in April 2008

The whole TP agenda is based on this objective



Expressions of Interest

- q Call for expression of interest:
 - § Launched in June 2007
 - § Extended until Sept. 16th
- A few applications until the last few days (36 on Aug. 10th, 136 on Sept. 12th, 282 on Sept. 16th)
- Instruments used: massive emailing (22000 contacts) and personalized invitations
- **Secretariat synthesized applications**



Decision-making process

q 1-month process:

- § On basis of the applications, proposal by the Secretariat
- § Chairmen modified proposal (criterions on next slide)
- § Executive Committee proposed changes
- § Final proposal sent to EC and Steering Committee
- § EC sent comments, leading to some changes
- § Final results published on Oct. 15th

All decision level involved on a short-time period 130 WG members, 153 TPWind members



Selection criterions

- Balance in company category (consultancy, utility ..), public/private sector and countries,
- q Impact of organization (global, European, national/local),
- Size of the organization (number of people),
- Level of the applicant (high-level, medium, low).
- Modified balance between categories :
 - § WG1: consultancy and research laboratories,
 - § WG2: manufacturers and component suppliers,
 - § WG3: utilities,
 - § WG4: developers and consultancy,
 - § WG5: manufacturers, consultancy, developers, bank/ins.,
 - § WG6: Gov. and non-Gov. organisations, national associations, developers.
- q The Chairmen did their best to meet these requirements, with the received applications



Outcome of selection process

- q End of process on time to organise the General Assembly
- Success: 130 high-level members representing the whole industry
- q 45% of applications selected. Criticisms from:
 - § Non-represented companies
 - § Persons selected for 2 Groups had to choose
- Changes in the Terms of Reference enable some flexibility



Updated Terms of Reference

- q Enable to invite Observers
- q Set voting rules for the Working Groups
- q Enable electronic voting
- q Enable to involve new stakeholders (from reserve lists)