

Minutes of the Third Meeting of the
TASK FORCE ON SEDIMENTATION OF RESERVOIRS (TF-SEDIMENTATION)
26 June 2012: 11:00-12:30 hours, Adelaide, Australia
Strategy Theme: Basin

Year of Establishment: 2009

Completion of the Mandate: Not indicated

Terms of Reference: To look into the aspects of Sedimentation of Reservoirs and come up with recommendations for appropriate strategies.

Member Present: Mr. Syed Mansoob Ali Zaidi (Pakistan); Dr. S A Kulkarni, representing Secretary General, ICID

Observers: Mr. Nasiruddin Abdullah (Malaysia), Mr. Tchouadang Kadjonga (Chad), Ms Hsiao-Wen Wang (Chinese Taipei), Mr. Maurice Roos (USA), Ms Pei-Chun Ni (Chinese Taipei), Dr. Park, Sang Hyun (Korea), Prof. Jaekyoung Noh (Korea)

Item 1 : Review of membership of the Task Force

The TF Chairman Mr. Hazrat Umar, (Pakistan) could not attend this and the last two meetings, successively. He has requested to look for his replacement as he would not be attending the future meetings too. The Central Office has received the following new nominations for the membership;

- Mr. Jack H. Meldrum (United Kingdom)
- Dr. U.C. Kothiyari (India)
- Dr. Pao-Shan Yu (Chinese Taipei)

However, these nominations could not be considered in absence of the Chairman.

Item 2 : To finalize mandate/ ToR and tenure of the Task Force

The present Terms of Reference (ToR) of the TF is too general and need to be specific in terms of ICID's requirements/ contribution to this topic.

Item 3 : Evolving work plan of the TF

Since its establishment in 2009, there has been no progress on activities of the TF due to non-attendance of the Chairman and several members during the last two meetings as well as this meeting. There was also absence of work plan and communication among members. In absence of the Chairman and members, there was no discussion on this item.

Item 4 : Any other business

In view of the above situation, it is proposed that the Task Force may be closed/ terminated. However, Mr. Maurice Roos (USA) suggested that ICID might organize a workshop on the topic of sedimentation at the next IEC meeting to be held in Turkey in 2013, where in case studies from various countries can be presented. Observers present at the meeting from Turkey, South Korea, Chad, USA, Chinese Taipei have shown interest in contributing papers from their countries. It was also suggested to get in touch with National Committees of China, India, Iran and Pakistan to get papers on this topic.