Global oiled wildlife response preparedness

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Sea Alarm

- Assessment
- Experience + experienced responders
- Sea Alarm - Oil Spill Response
- Mobilisation procedure
- Contractual issues

Global OW response

Experiences global response

Funding global preparedness & response

Responses: Jessica 2001

Responses: Prestige 2002

Responses: Treasure 2000

Responses: Estonia 2006

Exchange experiences

Activities have led to
- Collegiality
- Working together developing approaches
- Cooperation in various incidents
- Lessons learnt
- Identification of good practices
- Increasing group of experienced responders

Global response capacity
2005

Response Estonia 2006

Model response

Principles

- Southampton 2007

European responders

- Training events
  - Spills
    - Prestige
    - Tricolor
    - Germany (3x)
    - Norway (3x)
    - Estonia (1x)

Notification, and then?

- Response model in theory
- Several exercises (without mobilisation)
- Never a call out (so far)
- Reality: Responders all over the world

Notification
Information gathering
- Country Wildlife Response Profile
- Local resources
- Client
- ITOPF
- Etc.

Website activated
- Pre-defined web domain
- Factual information as collected
- Day to day log

Alert to directory of responders
- Telephone
- SMS
- E-mail
- Refer to activated website

Communication on developing picture
- All collected information goes on the website
- Picture will become clearer
- Request report on the availability of teams and individuals
- Preparation for mobilisation if needed
- Go / no go

Assessment
- Level 1 response
  - Monitoring
  - Distant advice
- Level 2 response
  - On site assessment
- Level 3 response
  - Mobilisation
  - Team
  - Equipment

Mobilisation
- Infrastructure
- Financial and logistic support
International assistance

1. Complement local resources (fill gaps)
2. Provide management oversight and leadership
3. Fly in complete team (no trained local forces)

Requirements
- Timely notification
- Integration into overall response
- Clear objectives
- Guaranteed resources
- Support of local wildlife authorities

Demobilisation

Contracting

- OSR Standard response agreement
- BP – SAF: Standard OWR agreement

Non oil industry incidents?