

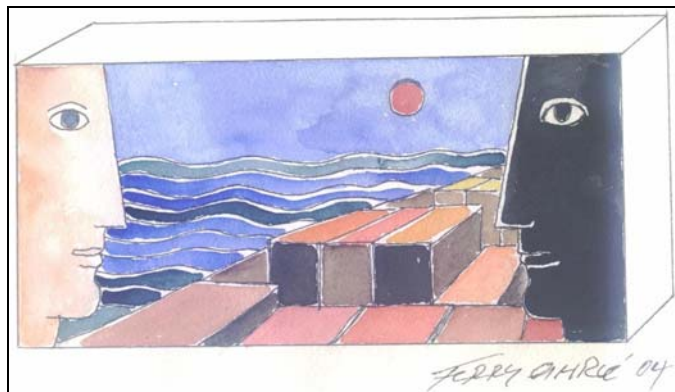
GENERAL ASSEMBLY EIA
&
First Intermodal Art Event
&
Visit Frankfurt Cargo City Airport

10 / 11 March 2005, Frankfurt

March 10

- Public event -

- 14.00 – 17.00 - Visit to Frankfurt Cargo City Airport
- 19.30 - 21.00 - First *Intermodal Art Event* and Reception
Multi-talented artist Ferry Ahrlé (*recently decorated with the famous 'Goethe Plakette') will interview and simultaneously compose and produce a work of art capturing the essence of the event
- Occasion for personal statements and reactions by experts
 - Theme: "The intermodal China Factor & the consequences for Europe"
 - Venue: International Handelskammer in Frankfurt, Börsenplatz 2



March 11

General Assembly - statutory part (EIA members only)

- 09:30 Participants' welcome and registration
- 10:00 Chaired by Mrs. Maij-Weggen, President of the Association, assisted by Klaus Ebeling, Secretary General and Peter Wolters, Deputy SG

Agenda topics General Assembly EIA:

Top1: Approval of Minutes GA 2004	TOP6: Decision of composition Steering Committee members
TOP2: Report on activities 2004	TOP7: Planning intermodal events 2005
TOP3: Financial report 2004	TOP8: Budget 2005
TOP4: Auditors Report	TOP9: Changes of Statutes
TOP5: Decision on new members	TOP10: Any other business

12:30 Lunch & Networking

Members are given the chance to be updated and involved regarding the following new initiatives:

- Opening new Intermodal Promotion offices in various EU countries; members who want to undertake similar activities in their country are invited;
- First Intermodal Handbook to be published in 2005; members who want to publish their 'best practices' company services while sponsoring this initiative may react to this new initiative.
- First 'Intermodal Masterclass' certification; members are invited to participate in this senior strategic education initiative.
- New EIA European project involvements:
 - ✚ EIRAC – Establishment of the first Intermodal Research Advisory Council and setting of a Strategic Research Agenda 2020
 - ✚ FIAP – Freight Integration Action Plan; investigation of needs for a better integration of ('hard & software') in the intermodal transport chain
 - ✚ eWIT : Web-based Intermodal and Inland Waterway Transport Training for Europe (the *only* Marco Polo project accepted by the EU COM under 'common learning action')

17:00 End of the General Assembly

Registration: please fax back the attached attendance form



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