

# EGN Workshop 3

Second EuroGeoNames Workshop  
of the Consortium with the EGN Reference Group

## Opening

**Palacio de Zurbano, Madrid**

**6 March 2006**

# Participants & roles

## EGN Consortium

**9** partners:           4 from the public,  
                              3 from the private and  
                              2 from the academic sector

## EGN Reference Group

**15** National Mapping and Cadastral Agencies (NMCAs)  
signed a 'Declaration of Participation'

## EGN Group of Interest

**24** organizations: Standardization bodies, private GI companies,  
cartographic publishing houses, GI interest groups, etc.  
signed a 'Letter of Support'

# EuroGeoNames Consortium

- BKG, Frankfurt am Main (Co-ordinator)
- Bundesamt für Eich- und Vermessungswesen, Wien
- Surveying and Mapping Authority of Slovenia
- EuroGeographics Head Office, Paris
- Universiteit Utrecht, Geographic Department
- Edina National Data Centre, Edinburgh
- Geodan Holding, Amsterdam
- GeoTask, Dortmund
- ESRI, Kranzberg

# Objectives

- Evaluation of the outcome of the workshop on user/business requirements – Utrecht, 15<sup>th</sup> January 2007;
- Discussion on a Draft EGN data model;
- Status of EGN web services architecture development (incl. data access security issues), Discussion;
- Identification of NMCAs for the first phase of EGN services implementation;

# MoU: NMCA agrees on

- EGN Conceptual data model ;
- Providing data for single inquiries;
- Instalment of a firewall;
- Overall architecture, incl. amendments during project progress;
- Taking over EGN SW / Interface **or**  
SW / Interface development by NMCA itself
- Hosting the EGN modules (HW and Internet access);
- Providing continuous contact to a NMCA IT specialist;



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## Next Steps & closing

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# Resumé of the workshop

(1) EGN architectural model / security issues:

(2) Conceptual Data Model:

(3) Phased implementation:

# Next steps (1/2)

## NMCA commitment (MoU)

- Template sent out by EGN Co-ordinator
- Reply by RefGroup

***x May 2007***  
***14+x May 2007***

## Online-user forum accessible

(for Consortium, RefGroup and Group of Interest)

***mid-March 2007***

## Review of Conceptual EGN data model

- Amended version sent by Edina
- Written comments sent to Edina (cc BKG)
- Amended model to RefGroup
- Written comments sent to Edina (cc BKG)

***by 12 March***  
***by 21 March 2007***  
***by 28 March 2007***  
***by 12 April 2007***

# Next steps (2/2)

## Participation in meetings / workshops

- **IT-specific** meeting on Security issues **April/May 2007**  
*(IT-specialists of RefGr., incl. AT, DE, SI, travel & subsistence are foreseen)*
- WS4 Business model (organizer GeoTask) **4 June 2007**
- WS5 Implementing Pan-European EGN Web services  
(organizer EGHO) (likely) **November 2007**  
*(RefGr., costs for travel & subsistence are foreseen)*
- WS6 Closing (organizer EGHO) **December 2008**  
*(RefGr., costs for travel & subsistence are foreseen)*