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| TC250/SC7/EG0 | | | | | 12th December 2011 | |
| 09.00 GMT/10.00 CET | |
| Teleconference | |
| Meeting called by: | Andrew Bond (AB) | Notes by: | | | AB | |
| Invited attendees: | AB, Bernd Schuppener (BS), Roger Frank (RF), Leendert Buth (LB), Trevor Orr (TO) | | | | | |
| Apologies: | Giuseppe Scarpelli (GS), | | | | | |
| Pre-meeting documents: | 1. TC250-SC7-EG0 Notes of meeting 2011-10-24.docx 2. Concept for a simplification of EC7 | | | | | |
| Agenda Items | | | | | | |
| Topic | | | Presenter | | | Time Allotted (mins) |
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| 1. Notes of previous EG0 meeting on 24th October | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. Meeting report: TC250 in Prague on 14th-15th November | | | | RF | | 5 |
| 1. Meeting report: ECSMFE Athens | | | | TO | | 10 |
| 1. EG1 Anchors (Eric Farrell) | | | | BS | | 5 |
| 1. EG2 Maintenance and simplification (Bernd Schuppener) | | | | BS | | 5 |
| 1. EG3 Model solutions (Trevor Orr) | | | | TO | | 5 |
| 1. EG4 Numerical methods (Andrew Lees) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG5 Reinforced soil (Martin Vanicek) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG6 Seismic design (Giuseppe Scarpelli) | | | | (GS)/AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG7 Pile design (Christian Moorman) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG8 Harmonization (Andrew Bond) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG9 Water pressures (Norbert Vogt) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG10 Calculation models (tba) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG11 Characterization (Lovisa Moritz) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG12 Tunnelling (tba) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. EG13 Rock mechanics (John Harrison) | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. Future meeting: next SC7 meeting Netherlands | | | | LB | | 10 |
| 1. ISSMGE webinar 19th December | | | | AB | | 5 |
| 1. Any other business | | | | (All) | | 5 |
| 1. Date of next meeting | | | | (All) | | To note |
| Notes of meeting | | | | | | |
| **Action** | | | | **By** | | **Due by** |
| 1. CEC/BT has passed a resolution requiring NSBs to provide their NAs for the evolution groups on harmonization | | | | - | | - |
| 2. RF reported on TC250 meeting in Prague: Commission has commented on Mandate for Evolution and wants three packages on 1) EC0, 1, 7, 8, Existing Structures; 2) Specific materials, HGs on Fire and Bridges; and 3) xxxx. Priorities have not been set. Need to read final notes of TC250 Meeting for precise decision. Work on Mandate will NOT begin until mid 2013. Historical Structures have been re-added to ‘Existing Structures’ (cf TC346). Eurocodes are exempt from consolidation – i.e. amendments and corrigenda do NOT have to be incorporated into the original publication. Some countries do this (e.g. UK and Germany), some do not (e.g. Belgium). JRC Help Desk – questions must first be dealt with by NSBs, then to TC250, then to SCs. Help Desk will be accessible by nominated people on SCs. | | | | - | | - |
| 3. TO to send to AB a list of people participating in ETC12 on preparing amendments to EC8. FR noted there is no connection between ETC12 and SC8 | | | | TO | | End Dec |
| 4. TO to provide an amended report on Athens for circulation | | | | TO | | End Dec |
| 5. EG1 Anchors: noted that Magnan and Littlejohn are in communication and a meeting between them is expected shortly. BS reported that a first draft of Section 8 is expected by end 2011 | | | |  | |  |
| 6. EG2 Maintenance and simplification: agreed that EG2 would seek to identify repetition and redundancy in Pts 1 and 2 and between Pts 1 and 2. Planning rules from Annex B of Pt 2 to be moved into normative text. Water pressure rules to be collected together (but defer to EG9) | | | | BS | | Ongoing |
| 7. EG2: BS will review existing list of reported issues re EC7 and will allocate them to appropriate EGs. EG2 will pick up any that are not assigned | | | | BS | | Ongoing |
| 8. EG3: TO reported that the next meeting will be held in Jan. TO to advise AB on additional members of EG3 | | | | TO | | End Dec |
| 9. Agreed that the maximum number of delegates from any one country on each EG would be three. Some EGs have now reached this limit | | | |  | |  |
| 10. EG8: AB to invite Sebastien Burlon to represent France on EG8 | | | | AB | | End Dec |
| 11. EG5: AB to chase Martin Vanicek re progress of this group. RF to assist | | | | AB/RF | | End Dec |
| 12. EG12: AB to progress establishment of EG12 Tunnelling, following discussion at Prague | | | | AB | | End Jan |
| 13. LB reported that the Letter of Invitation to the next SC7 meeting will go out soon | | | | LB | | End Dec |
| 14. LB to upload EG documents to LiveLink as soon as his assistant is back at work | | | | LB | | Next meeting |
| 15. AB/LB to review/revise draft Agenda to next SC7 meeting. More time to be allocated for EG reports; less time for National Reports | | | | AB/LB | | Next meeting |
| 16. Discussion of JRC request for SC7 to organise a seminar on Eurocode 7. No payment for preparation time is being offered by JRC. RF to write to Pinto advising that SC7 cannot arrange such a seminar owing to the complexity caused by the Design Approaches etc | | | | RF | | End Dec |
| 17. Date of next meeting agreed for Monday 16th Jan at 9am GMT/10 am CET | | | | all | |  |