



GOOD PRACTICE

Title of the practice

Bilateral relation in water management field between Romania and Hungary



Detailed description of the practice

This practice consisting the bilateral relation in water management field between Romania and Hungary is conducted based on the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Hungary and the Government of Romania on cooperation in the field of protection and sustainable use of transboundary waters, signed at Budapest, 15 September 2003 and ratified by GD no. 577/2004. On the basis of the Agreement there works a Romanian-Hungarian Hydrotechnic Commission, conducted by the plenipotentiaries of the Governments. Within this Commission, there are the following Subcommissions:

- Subcommission of water management and hydrometeorology;
- Subcommission of flood protection;
- Subcommission of water quality;
- Ad-Hoc Subcommission

Regarding the first two Subcommissions, they are responsible for applying the following Regulations currently running:

- Regulation on the mutual transmission of meteorological and hydrological data and information between Romania and Hungary;
- Regulation on carrying out systematic hydrometric observations and determination of sharing water resources on border waters;
- Regulation on collaboration between hydrotechnic bodies in the field of low levels waters;
- Regulation on the procedure applicable to projects likely to cause transboundary impact;
- Regulation on protection against flooding on rivers;
- Regulation on protection against flooding on internal rivers;

Evidence of success

This practice is necessary for a good cooperation between Hungary and Romania, for supervision and safety of hydrotechnical construction, floods protection and accidental pollutions; at time of flood hydrological warnings will be mutually transmitted on all water levels registered between the hours of transmission, and the maximum level rate of water with mentioning the date and the quantity of precipitation from the range. Every autumn there is a bilateral meeting of experts in the two countries, where they discuss issues specific to the activity. In this meeting we know better each others (flood

protection) work, commonly we examine the state of the works and we fund the common developments for the near future.

Location of the practice

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