7TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON NONDESTRUCTIVE TESTING

WARSAW, POLAND 1973

9TH MEETING OF INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

June 3, 1973

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The following delegates were present:

- 1. Z. Pawlowski, Poland
- 2. J. Deputat, Poland
- 3. J. Mazurek, Poland
- 4. J. Mottl, Poland
- 5. F. Szade, Poland

- C.H. Stanger, Great Britain
 R.S. Sharpe, Great Britain
 P. Reti, Hungary
 T. Konkoly, Hungary
- 25. G. Nardoni, Italy

- Hollamby, Australia
 A. Silber, Austria
 E. Nussmuller, Austria
 P. De Meester, Belgium
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 K.V. Panev, Bulgaria
 W.E. Havercroft, Canada
 E. Bowe, Canada
 L. Cizek, Czechoslovakia
 M. Baimler, Czechoslovakia
 S.A. Lund, Denmark
 P.Bastien, France
 M. Evrard, France
 V. Hauk, Germany
- 26. Y. Ishii, Japan
- 27. N.Niwa, Japan
- 28. A. De Sterke, Netherlands
- 29. H. Bosselaar, Netherlands
- 30. J.C. Walter, Norway
- 31. M. De Miro, Spain
- 32. F. Ramirez Gomez, Spain
- 33. Junghem, Sweden
 - 34. Dahn, Sweden
 - 35. N.V. Khimchenko, U.S.S.R
 - 36. V.V. Kluev, U.S.S.R
 - 37. G.H.Tenney, U.S.A
 - 38. P. Dick, U.S.A
 - 39. I. Malecki, Poland
- 20. R.O. Schumacher, Germany

Apologies for the absence have been received from: Mr. Sheldon, Australia, Mr. Krainer, Austria, Prof. Homes, Belgiu, Mr. Calokangas, Finland, Mr. Baldi, Italy, Mr. Scribante, South Africa, Mr. Homung, Switzerland.

The tentative agenda for the Ninth Meeting of IC NDT was accepted without any changes.

1. Welcome

Dr. Z. Pawlowski, the President of the International Committee for Nondestructive Testign opened the Ninth Meeting and welcomed the delegates to the International Committee for Nondestructive Testing and Prof. Malecki, Poland, one of the founders of ICNDT.

Prof. Malecki, being invited by the President, expressed his best wishes for the debates and stressed the grow up of NDT due to the activities of young delegates.

2. Delegate Changes

Dr. Pawlowski introduced members of the Steering Committee. The revised list of the delegates appeared in the Conference Guide of the VII IC NDT.

It was settled that new changes in delegate names and their addresses have to be announced immediately to the Secretary of the IC NDT, Mr. J. Mazurek. The changes will be transferred to France after closing the present tenure, i.e. till July 31st 1973.

3. Approval of the Minutes of the Eighth Held in Hannover, Germany, on June 4th, 1970

Dr. Tenney stated he had not obtained the agenda of the Ninth and Tenth Meetings. The President informed that the Minutes of Hannover Meeting were dispatched to all delegates on 12th May, 1973 and then according to Dr. Tenney's request, read the Minutes. The Minutes were approved.

4. Venue of the Next International Conference

Dr. Pawlowski informed that the invitation of France to host the next Conference was confirmed in February 1973. In this situation France will organize the VIII IC NDT according to the decision taken 31st May, 1970 in Hannover.

Dr. Z. Pawlowski informed that further invitations have been received to host the next International Conferences. The USA is willing to host in 1979 or 1982, Australia in 1979 and Japan in 1982, at the time when the 30 years anniversary of the Japanese Society for NondestructiveTesting will be celebrated.

After discussion the venues of subsequent Conferences was agreed that according the p.9.1 of the Terms of Reference the decision about the venue of the next Conference should be as follows: i.e. in 1976 for the venue in 1979 and in 1979 for the Conference in 1982.

5. Dissemination of Information (cf. Items 2 Minutes of the Eighth Meeting of ICNDT)

Dr. Z. Pawlowski read the letter from the IPC Science and Technology Press Ltd. (Great Britain) in which IPC asked to consider the possibility of sponsoring the journal "Non-Destructive Testing" as an official journal of the International Committee. The sponsorship would not be financial and the IPC would have no claim on the International Committee.

It was decided to continue the discussion during the Tenth Meeting. The copies of the letter of IPC will be distributed on Thursday, June 7th.

Mr. Nardoni proposed to complete the existing lists of delegates by a list of organisations dealing with nondestructive testing. Dr. Z. Pawlowski informed that such a publication was edited in Great Britain by Dr. Sharpe. According to Dr. Sharpe's statement the supplement to the next issue will appear in 1974.

Mr. Dick suggested the need for information dissemination twice a year. After the discussion participated by Prof. Hauk, Mr. Nardoni, Prof. De Meester, Mr. Havercroft, Dr. Pawlowski and others, it was concluded that the information will be distributed by the host country twice a year, provided the submission of news is obtained one month in advance.

Prof. Bastien agreed to take care on the printing and distribution.

6. Supplements to the Tentative Programme of the Tenth Meeting

It was agreed to include into the agenda of the Tenth Meeting the discussion arising from item 5 of this Meeting.

7. Other Business

Dr. Tenney put forward two proposals:

a) to appoint a Task Group which elaborates the guidelines for the Steering Committee. The discussion on this proposal led after supplements made by Prof. Hauk and Dr. Pawlowski to the following conclusion.

The group should be established but it depends on the President in charge if he makes or does not make use of them.

b) to consider the appointment of a Task Group which will prepare the outline of a procedure to honour the merited member of IC NDT.

The voting for the establishing such a group was accepted by the majority of delegates (one vote against).

After Dr. Schumacher motion it was accepted unanimously that the Task Group consisting of Prof. Bastien, Prof. Hauk, Dr. Pawlowski and Dr. Tenney, shall prepare the principles for honouration and present them at the Tenth Meeting. Dr. Pawlowski informed about the intention of EOQC (European Organisation for Quality Control) to establish a Committee for Nondestructive Testign within this organisation existing since 1956.

Prof. Hauk distributed to the Delegates the copies of the letter from the German Society for Nondestructive Testing directed to the EOQC concerning the same matter.

Dr. Pawlowski put the motion that the IC NDT make cooperate with the EOQC on the same basis as with other organisations however the leading activity in nondestructive testing should be reserved for the International Committee for Nondestructive Testing. The motion was accepted unanimously.

It was agreed to send a telegram to the EOQC Conference in Belgrad and confirm it afterwards with a letter. The text of the telegram will be approved on the Tenth Meeting.

The Ninth Meeting was adjourned at 5:30 pm.