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**Introduction of CITA
to (add name(s) persons)**

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CITA

International Motor Vehicle Inspection Committee

The Worldwide Association for in-service Vehicle Inspections Organizations

On behalf of Wim LABRO, CITA Executive Director

Some History

1958

The International Road Safety Days congress initiated CITA.

1969

Regular international meetings by VI organizations.
11 of the current 38 countries were covered.

1987

Consultative Status, category II for the UN/ECE.

1989

International non-profit organization according Belgian law.

1990

CITA News was born.

2000

First official Conference.

2004

Appointment Executive Director.
Enhancement & implementation of CITA future objectives.

2005

Establishment of the CITA Council and official Regional
Advisory Groups for Asia/Australasia, Europe and North-Am

Where and how to find us

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International Motor Vehicle Inspection Committee
Comité International de l'Inspection Technique Automobile
Internationale Vereinigung für die Technische Prüfung von Kraftfahrzeugen

Mission Statement

CITA's aim is to play a **leading role** in shaping the future for **sustainable Roadworthiness Inspection & Enforcement** in all regions of the **world**, based on its conviction that **effective in-service vehicle inspection** is, and will remain, an essential element of all types of successful **roadworthiness control regimes**, thus contributing to the **social and economic benefits** of improved **road safety** and **environmental friendly road transport**.

It will achieve this aim by being:

Influential

Proactive

Representative

Through **proposals & policies** for all types of in-service road vehicles based on:

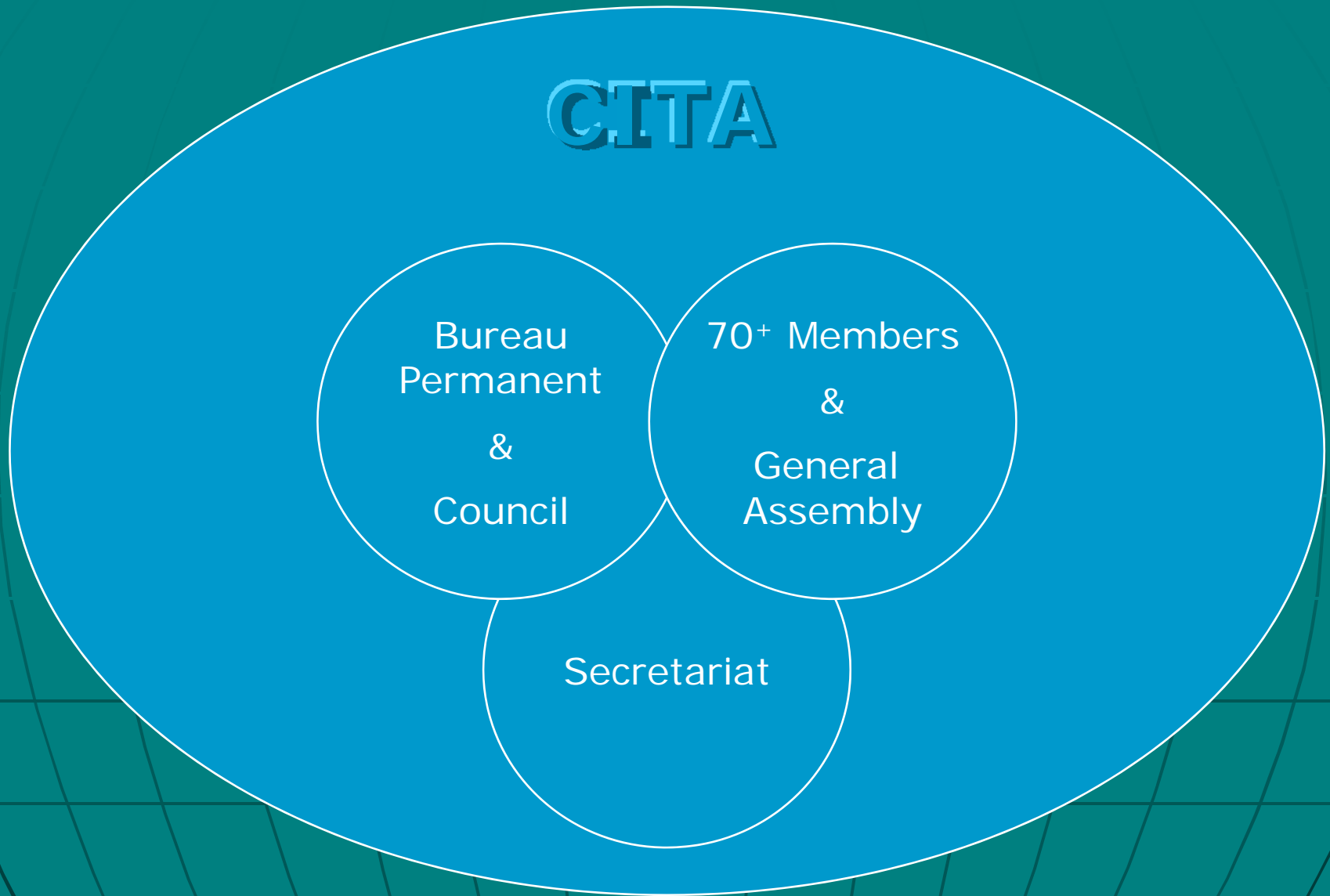
- **objective, impartial analysis** of the social and economic benefits of vehicle inspection and other **solutions** for in-service control of vehicle roadworthiness
- and the need for **independent control** of all types of roadworthiness control regime

Objective

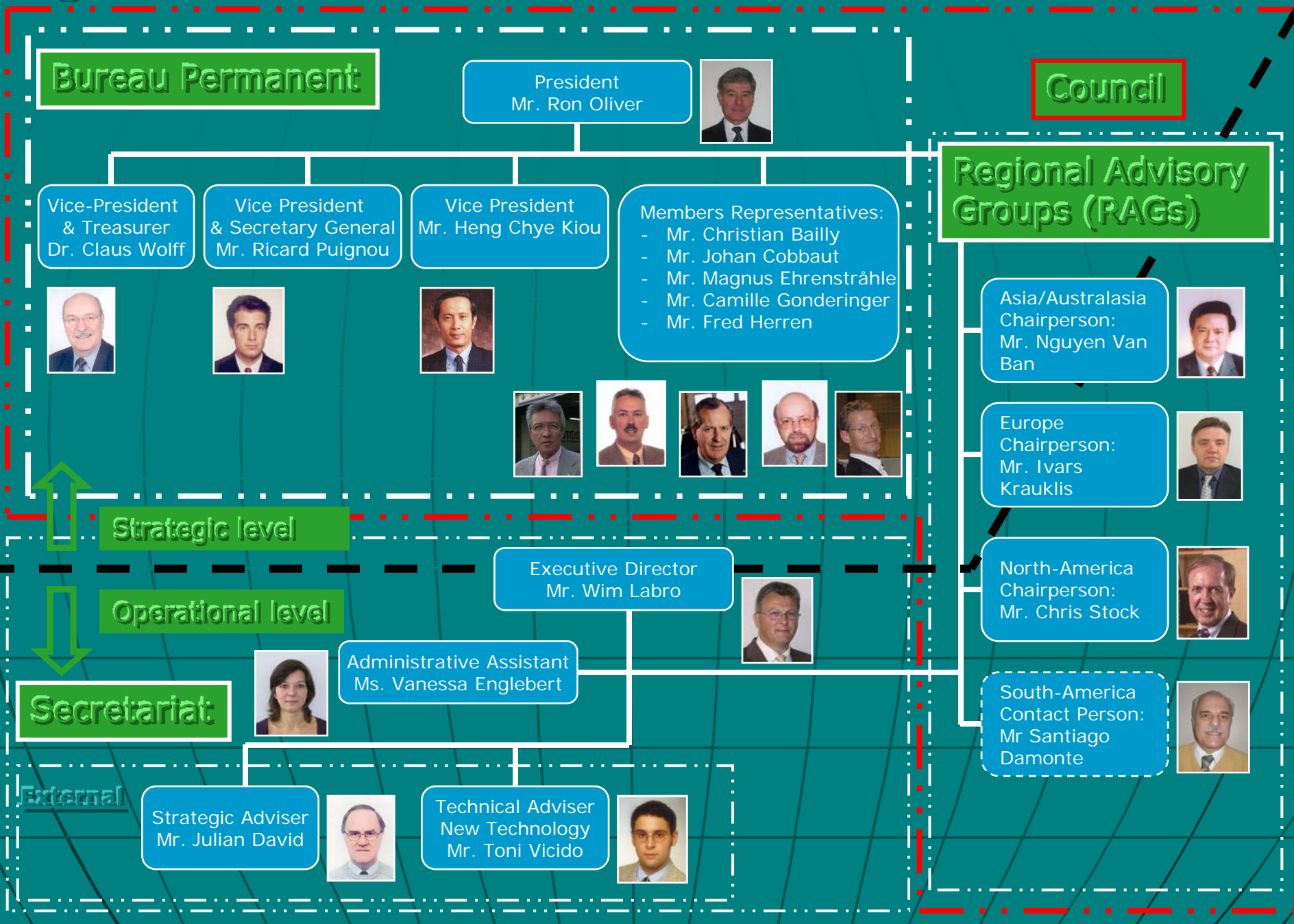
To be recognised as the world authority in the field of in-service vehicle technical roadworthiness inspections and enforcements and to:

- **represent** organisations from all regions of the world active in this field of activities to create **world wide awareness** of their importance for **enhancing** road safety and environmental protection
- be the **worldwide forum** for exchanging information, experience and expertise for members, stakeholders and other interested parties
- be the **window** for any key stakeholder and relevant national, regional or international policy making body
- be the **consultation body** to develop suggestions and proposals for international standards and policies further to developments and evolutions in this field of activities
- be recognized as a **pace-setter** through informed, forward and broadminded thinking
- be recognized for **promoting best practice recommendations**
- actively search-out, investigate and **promote the exploitation of promising opportunities**
- actively identify **activities of mutual interest**, e.g. studies, research and other developments, and to find - resources to support these tasks in an efficient and cost efficient way through **partnerships** among members, stakeholders and other interested parties

Organizational Structure



Organization Chart



Operational Structure

CITA

Bureau Permanent

COUNCIL

RAGs (Geographic)

General Assembly

Strategic

Operational

WGs (By topic)

Europe

Asia/Australasia

North America

South America

Africa

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Adv

1- Emm. & noise

2- New techn.

3- QA

4- New test items

5- Brakes

6- Inspect. con.

7- Electro. Syst.

x- Future WGs

Ad-hoc working groups

Activities

Products

Recommendations

Questionnaires

Study reports

Publications

CITA News

CITA Flash, ad-hoc

Library

Web site

Future⁺

C
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Services

Conferences

Seminars

Working groups

Regional Advisory Groups

Project management

Research studies

Project resources research

Queries & surveys

Future⁺

Recommendations

12 guidelines for best practice.

No 1 Inspections Items for Motor Vehicles.

No 2 Public Service Vehicles.

No 3 Features for Measuring Equipment.

No 4 Reference decisions. In-use vehicles with tech. modifications.

No 5 Inspections of Motorcycles. Items to be Inspected.

No 6 Inspections on Installations & Operation of LPG Equipment.

No 7 Inspection Station Equipment.

No 8 Brake Testing of Heavy Vehicles & Cars.

No 9A Quality Systems. Independent Road Vehicle Inspection bodies not undertaking Related Activities.

No 9B Quality Systems. Independent Road Vehicle Inspection Bodies under Direct Supervision of a Designated Authority.

No 10 Uniform Criteria for Assessing Defects at Vehicle Inspections

No 11 Roadside inspection Items, Methods & Reasons for Rejection

No 12 Verification of Road Speed Limiter Systems

Papers with updated data on 4 major vehicle inspection related topics

- General

- Brake testing

- Quality

- Emission testing – Petrol vehicles

Stakeholders Structure

Stakeholders

Non governmental

Members

Automotive assoc.

Insurance comp.

Press

Car manuf.

Universities

Testing agencies

Standard. bodies

Transport assoc.

Consumers assoc

Autom. part suppl.

Banks

Future +

CITA

Governmental

UNECE (WP29)

EU Commission

VI Authorities

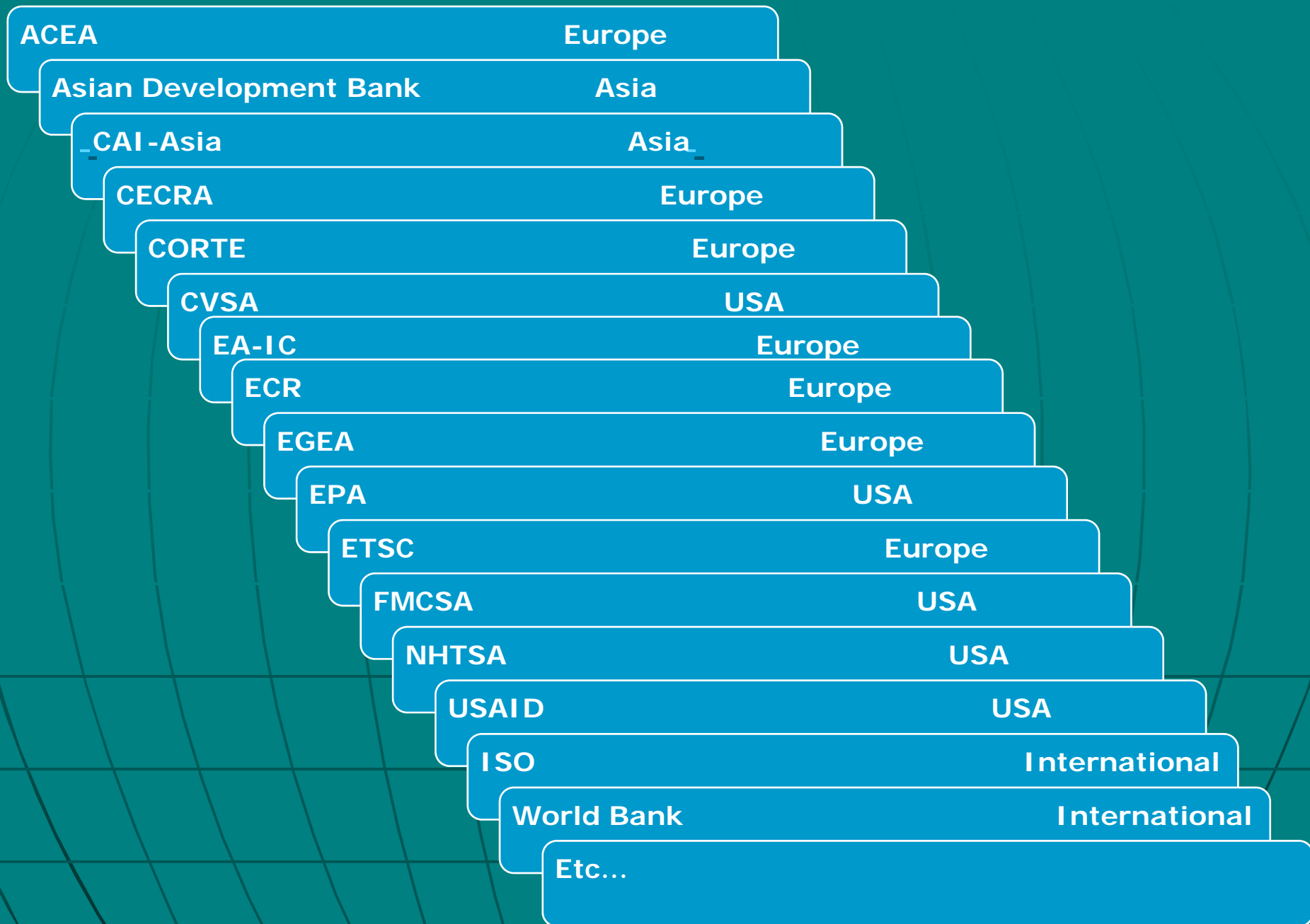
National Ministries of
Transport

National Ministries of
Infrastructure

Police

Future +

A View on our Stakeholders



Relations with UNECE-WP29 and EU

Recognition

- By the EU Commission and the UN/ECE as an expert on in-use vehicle inspections.
- Official observer with a consultative Status, category II for the UN/ECE.

Meetings

On current and new Directives and Regulations movements:

- EU Commission, Directorate for Transport and Energy.
- EU, Technical Adaptation Committee for Technical Progress
- UN/ECE, WP29.

Documents

Advice

Assistance

Research

Making suggestions and drafting texts for discussion:

- New Directives and Regulations
- Amendments to Directives and Regulations

A View on our Members

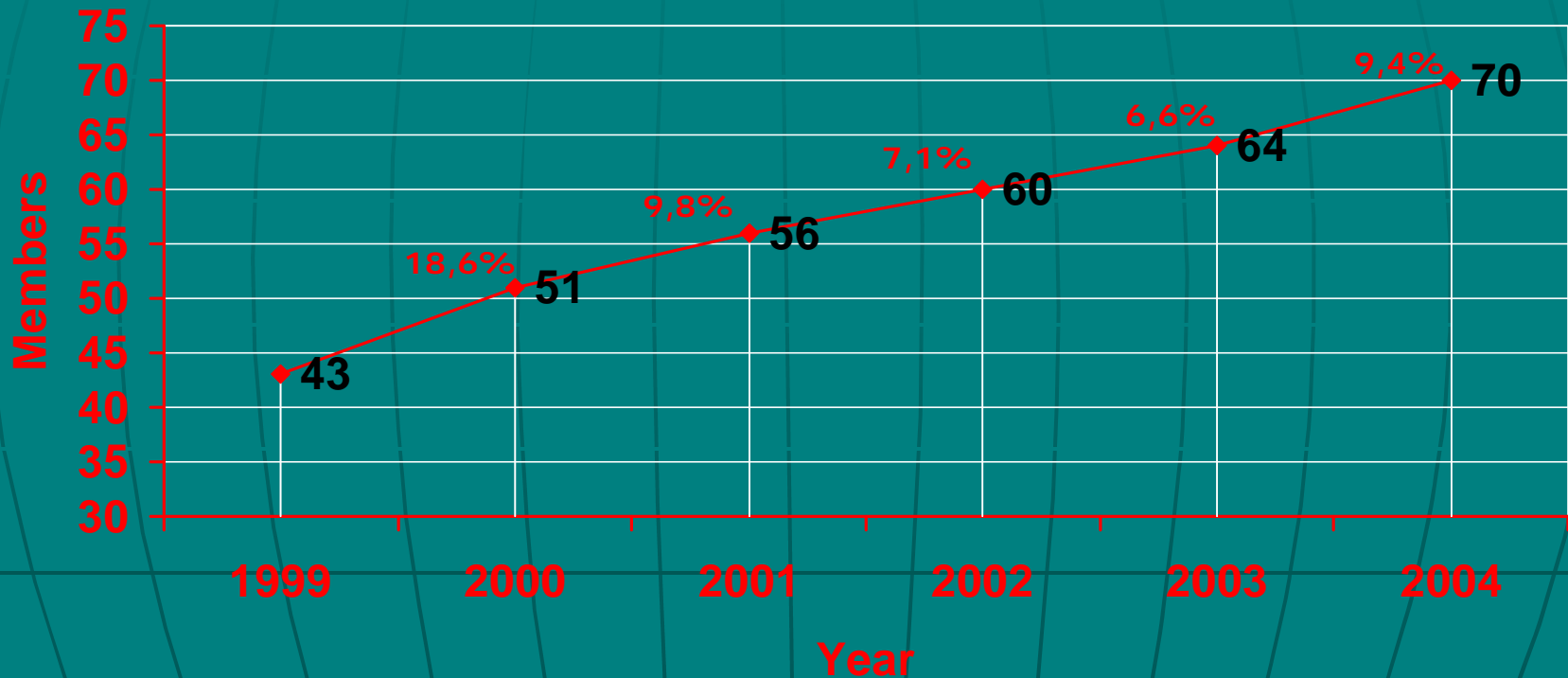
Full members

Corporate members

Associate members

Honorary members

Membership evolution



- Governmental, non-profit, profit, VI services and VI equipment organizations
- Worldwide yearly more than 200 million vehicle inspections

A View on our Members

Geographic

Africa

- 3 countries
- Algeria
 - Ivory Coast
 - Tunisia

America

- 2 countries
- Argentina
 - USA

Asia Australasia

- 8 countries
- Israel
 - Japan
 - Lebanon
 - New Zealand
 - Malaysia
 - Rep. Sth Korea
 - Singapore
 - Vietnam

Europe

- 25 countries
- Austria
 - Belgium
 - Croatia
 - Denmark
 - Estonia
 - Finland
 - France
 - Germany
 - G. D. Luxemburg
 - Hungary
 - Iceland
 - Ireland
 - Italy
 - Latvia
 - Macedonia
 - Netherlands
 - Portugal
 - Poland
 - Romania
 - Slovak Republic
 - Slovenia
 - Spain
 - Sweden
 - Suisse
 - United Kingdom

In total 38 countries and geographic areas.

Added values for Membership

Participate in THE WORLD WIDE FORUM with a leading role in shaping the future for sustainable Roadworthiness Inspection & Enforcement in all regions of the world

- *Worldwide information forum and networking

- *Contribute to the worldwide awareness for in-service technical vehicle inspections to enhancing road safety and environmental protection

- *Working groups to discuss new developments and best practice guidelines often developed for key policy makers

- *Workshops to discuss implementation policies for new developments with all stakeholders

- *Window to policy makers

- *Being consulted on changed and new developments to future policies

- *Contribute and having first hand info on CITA strategy, policies and priorities.

- *Participate in partnerships and consortia for activities of mutual interest

- *Expand brand awareness

- *Business development beyond existing contacts

Latest News

CITA Conference 2006

- Hanoi, Vietnam, 17-20 Oct. 2006
- 250+ participants

AUTOFORE Study

- A Strategic study for the EU Commission
- **Future options for Roadworthiness Enforcement** in Europe
- 700.000 €
- more than 20 CITA members fund or participate
- visit the **AUTOFORE Public website** (Link via CITA Website www.cita-vehicleinspection.org)

New Ad-hoc Working Group 1

- Training & e-learning (Under consideration)

Working Group under concideration

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**We Aim to Shape a
Sustainable Future for our
Members**

**Thank you for your
attention.**

**Wishing you all, success in
your current and future
business**



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