THE HYOGO FRAMEWORK FOR ACTION IN ITALY

NATIONAL PLATFORM FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION
AND
LOCAL LEVEL IMPLEMENTATION OF HFA

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INTERNATIONAL CONTEXT

INTERNATIONAL STRATEGY FOR THE MITIGATION OF RISKS (UN RES. N° 1999/63)

HYOGO FRAMEWORK FOR ACTION (GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON DISASTER REDUCTION - KOBE, JAPAN, 2005)

REFERS TO AN ARTICULATED SET OF ELEMENTS DESIGNED TO MINIMIZE VULNERABILITY SO AS TO PREVENT AND TO LIMIT THE IMPACT OF DISASTERS

IN ORDER TO ACHIEVE THE BEST RESULTS, THE PREVENTION PROCESS MUST INVOLVE GOVERNMENT BODIES, CIVIL SOCIETY, MEDIA, SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITY, PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BUSINESS SECTORS
IN 2005, 168 COUNTRIES INCLUDING ITALY, ADOPTED A TEN-YEAR PLAN FOR THE REDUCTION OF DAMAGES CAUSED BY NATURAL DISASTERS CALLED HYOGO FRAMEWORK FOR ACTION, AND THE RELATED ACTION PLAN

THE HYOGO DECLARATION CALLS ON THE SIGNATORY COUNTRIES TO SET UP MULTISECTORAL NATIONAL PLATFORMS FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION. IN SOME COUNTRIES, THE PLATFORM HAD ALREADY BEEN SET UP UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL DECADE FOR DISASTER REDUCTION
ITALIAN NATIONAL PLATFORM FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

BACKGROUND

RATIONALE

ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

THE TARGET OF THE ANALYSIS CONCERNS DISASTERS LINKED TO THE RISKS AFFECTING THE COUNTRY (EARTHQUAKES, FLOODS, LANDSLIDES, VOLCANOES, FOREST FIRES, TECHNOLOGICAL RISKS, RISKS RELATED TO TRANSPORTS, ENVIRONMENTAL RISK, SANITARY RISKS)
BACKGROUND

PRIME MINISTER’S DECREES N. 66/2008

BY WHICH THE PRIME MINISTER ESTABLISHED A NATIONAL PLATFORM FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION, ENTRUSTING THE NATIONAL CIVIL PROTECTION DEPARTMENT (IDCP) WITH THE DUTY OF CHAIRING A COORDINATION PANEL CONSISTING OF THE VARIOUS MINISTERIAL REPRESENTATIVES IN CHARGE OF DEFINING THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE PLATFORM AND THE PLATFORM CHARTER
RATIONALE –
Why the NATIONAL CIVIL PROTECTION DEPARTMENT (IDCP)

TO IDENTIFY AND INVOLVE ALL THE PUBLIC/PRIVATE STRUCTURES NECESSARY TO COPE WITH DISASTERS

TO ENSURE UNIFIED COORDINATION AND DIRECTION AT NATIONAL LEVEL

TO SUPPORT ALL THE OPERATIONAL STRUCTURES INVOLVED BY COLLECTING AND SHARING DATA AND INFORMATION
RATIONALE - IDCP Structure

PRESIDENCY OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

Department of Civil Protection

Interior
Foreign Affairs
Environment
Health
Economy and Finance
Defence
Economic Development
Transport and Infrastructures
Cultural Heritage and Activities
Education, University and Research
Communications
Agricultural Policy and Forestry
Regions
Provinces
Municipalities

National Fire-fighters Corp
Police
Prefectures
ANPA
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Financial Police
Army
Navy
Air Force
Carabinieri
G.R.T.N.
Coast Guard
ANAS
Highways company
National railways
I.N.G.V.
C.N.R.
National Institutes
National Forest Service
Local Police
RATIONALE – Civil Protection Operational Committee
ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

STEERING COMMITTEE

THE NATIONAL PLATFORM’S STRATEGIC DECISIONAL BODY IS COORDINATED BY THE HEAD OF THE NATIONAL CIVIL PROTECTION DEPARTMENT.
ITS MEMBERS ARE AUTHORIZED TO ACT AUTONOMOUSLY IN TERMS OF DECISIONAL POWER
APPROVES THE PLATFORM GOVERNANCE, SETS THEMATIC WORK GROUPS AND ISSUES GUIDELINES FOR THE ACTIVITY OF THE PLATFORM

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

THE NATIONAL PLATFORM ORDINARY TECHNICAL COORDINATION BODY
MONITORS THE OPERABILITY OF TECHNICAL WORK GROUPS, PROMOTES SYNERGY AND ENSURES RESULTS SHARING
REPRESENTS THE NATIONAL PLATFORM IN THE FRAMEWORK OF INTERNATIONAL FORA AND RELATES WITH FOREIGN ORGANIZATIONS AND PLATFORMS

THEMATIC WORK GROUPS

RISK ANALYSIS AND MAPPING
MONITORING AND EARLY WARNING SYSTEMS
LEGAL FRAMEWORK
EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEMS PLANNING AND ORGANIZATION
TRAINING AND COMMUNICATION
DISASTER FINANCING AND INSURANCE SYSTEMS
STRUCTURAL ACTIVITIES FOR RISK MITIGATION

Regional, provincial and municipal associations are involved and represented in the steering committee.
THE NATIONAL CIVIL PROTECTION DEPARTMENT IS THE NATIONAL FOCAL POINT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE HYOGO FRAMEWORK FOR ACTION AT BOTH NATIONAL AND LOCAL LEVELS. THE CURRENT STRATEGY BUILDS ON THE INVOLVEMENT OF REGIONAL, PROVINCIAL AND MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES, INTERMUNICIPAL ASSOCIATIONS, VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATIONS, SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITIES AND THE WHOLE CIVIL SOCIETY.
THE MAKING CITIES RESILIENT (MCR) CAMPAIGN

"I CALL FOR THE NEED OF WORLD LEADERS TO ADDRESS CLIMATE CHANGE AND REDUCE THE INCREASING RISK OF DISASTERS- AND WORLD LEADERS MUST INCLUDE MAYORS, TOWNSHIPS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS”

UN SECRETARY-GENERAL BAN KI-MOON AT THE OPENING OF THE INCHEON CONFERENCE "BUILDING AN ALLIANCE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION", AUGUST 2009

THE 2010-2011 WORLD DISASTER REDUCTION CAMPAIGN "MAKING CITIES RESILIENT" ADDRESSES ISSUES OF LOCAL GOVERNANCE AND URBAN RISK WHILE DRAWING UPON PREVIOUS ISDR CAMPAIGNS ON SAFER SCHOOLS AND HOSPITALS, AS WELL AS ON THE SUSTAINABLE URBANIZATIONS PRINCIPLES DEVELOPED IN THE UN-HABITAT WORLD URBAN CAMPAIGN 2009-2013
HFA & MCR IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY

AT NATIONAL LEVEL
• INVOLVING NATIONAL AND REGIONAL ADMINISTRATIONS IN A PERMANENT DIALOGUE ON DISASTER RISK REDUCTION
• COORDINATING THE ITALIAN PLATFORM FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION
• PROMOTING CROSS-SECTORAL PROGRAMMES, PROJECTS AND INITIATIVES
• STIMULATING LEGISLATIVE INNOVATION

AT LOCAL LEVEL
• SUPPORTING MUNICIPALITIES, INTERMUNICIPAL ORGANIZATIONS AND PROVINCES IN DEVELOPING THEIR OWN RISK KNOWLEDGE BASE, FORECASTING AND PREVENTION SYSTEMS, CONTINGENCY AND EMERGENCY PLANS.
• PROMOTING DISASTER RISK TRAINING, EDUCATION, AWARENESS
• FACILITATING LOCAL CAMPAIGNS, EVENTS, FORUMS
ITALIAN RESILIENT CITIES

ANCONA, BANZI, COLOBRARO, FARDELLA, FLORENCE, GENZANO DI LUCANIA, GUARDIA PERTICARA, MARATEA, MILAN, MONTESCAGLIOSO, MURO LUCANO, POZZUOLO, ROTONDELLA, SAN COSTANTINO ALBANESE, SAN GIOVANNI A PIRO, ROME, SCANZANO JONICO, SPOTORNO, TERRANOVA DEL POLLINO, TOLVE, VARAZZE, VENICE, VIGGIANO + UNIONE DEI COMUNI DELLA VALDERA (CALCINAIA, CAPANNOLI, CASCIANA TERME, CHIANNI, CRESPI, LAJATICO, LARI, PALAIA, PECCIOLI, PONSACCO, PONTEDERA, TERRICCIOLA, FAUGLIA, LORENZANA IN PISA) AND OTHERS COMING

VENICE
THE CITY OF VENICE, LOCATED INTO A LAGOON WITH A FRAGILE BALANCE AMONG LAND AND SEA, HAS EVOLVED DURING ITS LONG HISTORY MANAGING TO PRESERVE ITS APPEARANCE OVER TIME AND ITS CHARACTERISTICS THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT OF SPECIFIC RISK PREVENTION AND ADAPTATION SKILLS. VENICE HAS BEEN APPOINTED AS A ROLE MODEL CITY BECAUSE OF ITS EFFORTS TOWARDS THE PROTECTION OF ITS IMMENSE CULTURAL HERITAGE.
FURTHER STEPS

AT NATIONAL LEVEL
• STEADILY INVOLVING THE POLITICAL LEVEL
• REINFORCING POLICY COOPERATION AMONG ADMINISTRATIONS ON CROSS-CUTTING ISSUES
• ESTABLISHING A PLATFORM WEBSITE AND RESERVED AREA FOR EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION
• STRENGTHENING THE INVOLVEMENT OF PRIVATE PARTNERS
• PROMOTING COOPERATION WITH FOREIGN PLATFORMS

AT LOCAL LEVEL
• PROMOTING FURTHER EFFORTS IN THE AREAS OF PLANNING AND EARLY WARNING
• FURTHER TRAINING OF MAYORS AND ADMINISTRATORS
• FACILITATING MATCHING BETWEEN NEEDS AND RESOURCES
• FURTHER REINFORCING THE ROLE PLAYED BY VOLUNTEERS
• PROMOTING TWINNINGS AMONG CITIES, INCLUDING WITH FOREIGN PARTNERS
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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