



Lessons identified notification

Key Issues noted by Belgium

1. Knowledge of the system

Operators in the Belgian operational centres (MRCC and MIK) dealing with marine pollution emergencies are trained for using SSN. However they don't receive such notification frequently enough to be completely familiar with the specific functionalities of the system. Therefore they would welcome some additional practical guidance and training in order to make sure that they are doing things right.

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2. Contact between the daily user of SSN and the oil spill preparedness and response body in the respective country

This is ensured by alarming procedures and dispatching information in (near) real time to the different bodies responsible for the assessment of the pollution emergency and the treatment of the request for assistance. No issues were experienced concerning communications and exchange of information.

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3. Challenges because of the use of the training environment

Operators of the MIK didn't know well how to access to the SSN training environment but managed to find a way to get the SSN messages with the assistance of the MRCC.

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4. Any other issues

Nothing to report

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1. Knowledge of the CECIS and requests for assistance process

Operators in the Belgian operational centre (MIK) dealing with marine pollution emergencies are trained for using 'CECIS Marine Pollution'. However they don't receive such notification frequently enough to be completely familiar with the system. Therefore they would welcome some additional practical guidance and training in order to make sure that they are doing things right.

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2. Validate your country's role and ability to offer assistance. Identify best practices and challenges during this process.

Belgium replied to the request for assistance concerning the provision of aerial surveillance. As far as we know the belgian offer of assistance was sent in due time with all data needed for evaluation by the requesting MS.

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3. Any challenges with the CECIS command post exercise module compared with the "original" version

No issues were reported by the operators (except on one occasion: a command <search & modify resources> could apparently not be processed by CECIS in 'command post mode' but nothing critical)

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