Package to help CEEMS

Aspects resulting from seminars:

- Capacity building
- Helping CEEMS improve regulation in their own markets
- New ideas on legal metrology
- Common Themes













Most OIML activities related to capacity building will involve working in cooperation with others:

- UNIDO
- EU (ACP) Programme
- BIPM
- Bilateral programmes













In working with these organisations,

- we are "pushing at an open door"
- the most effective initiatives are those which take place in a wider Quality infrastructure framework
- we should ensure that metrology's contribution is expressed in appropriate terms
 - e.g. aligned with UN Sustainable Development Goals













But there are some things OIML can do itself:

- Database of experts
- OIML web site as a source of up-to-date information
- Direct BIML engagement in capacity building activities:
 - training courses organised by others
 - RLMO activities (possibly more emphasis on subregional groups?)
- Secondments to the BIML













Advisory Group proposal:

- "Training Centers" hosted by Member States
- Pilot "Center" to be based in China
- Other "Virtual Training Center" hosts to be sought













Most things can be done by the OIML:

- Ensure Recommendations take more account of CEEMS' needs
- Explicitly address needs of CEEMS in Certificate System revision
- Promote greater involvement of CEEMS in technical work
- Make full use of modern technology













New OIML publications suggested:

- Market surveillance
- Conformity to type
- Certification systems for prepackages
- Model legal metrology system (including ideas on how best to involve private operators)
- Revise D 14:2004 Training and qualification of legal metrology personnel













Questions about new publications

- Who owns them?
 - TCs/SCs
 - AG
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- Who does the work?
 - PG Convener model
 - Member States
 - BIML
 - Alternative model?
 - BIML/MS?
 - external experts?
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What others can do:

 Regional and sub-regional market surveillance













New ideas

Both seminars produced a wealth of new ideas, both from speakers and participants

- Should OIML's attempt to list, prioritise and schedule new ideas?
- Or should it concentrate on providing mechanisms for sharing and evaluating new ideas?













Possible mechanisms for Sharing New Ideas

- Documents and Guides
- OIML Bulletin
- OIML web site
- Research (especially for evaluation?)
- Seminars













A Wider View of Legal Metrology

Legal metrology is about Regulation

Self-regulation is about Regulation

Self-regulation is part of Legal Metrology













Common Themes

The OIML has "small pot of money and a large pool of goodwill"

How best to use both?

- More advocacy activities are essential
- Research needed on several subjects











