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## **New CCNR President**

**Strasbourg, 15.01.2014** - The Central Commission for the Navigation of the Rhine (CCNR) is pleased to inform you that the Netherlands will be presiding the CCNR from 1 January 2014 to 31 December 2015, and that:

# **Ms Brigit GIJSBERS**

Director of Maritime Affairs at the Ministry of Infrastructures and the Environment of the Netherlands, Head of the Dutch Delegation to the CCNR,

will hold the office of President.

During this period, Switzerland will hold the vice-presidency of the CCNR, and:

# Mr Reto DÜRLER

Director of the Office of Maritime Navigation of the Swiss Confederation, Head of the Swiss Delegation to the CCNR,

will serve as Vice-President.

## About the CCNR (www.ccr-zkr.org)

The Central Commission is an international organisation that exercises an essential regulatory role in the navigation of the Rhine. It is active in the technical, legal, economic and environmental fields. In all its areas of action, its work is guided by the efficiency of transport on the Rhine, safety, social considerations, and respect for the environment. Many of the Central Commission's activities now reach beyond the Rhine and are directly concerned with European navigable waterways more generally. The Central Commission works closely with the European Commission and with other river commissions and international organisations.

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