

PIARC IRELAND

Report on PIARC Ireland activities 2012

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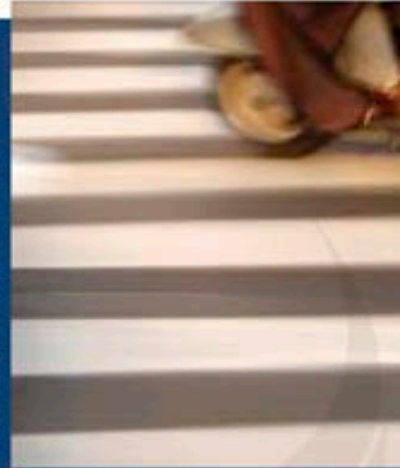
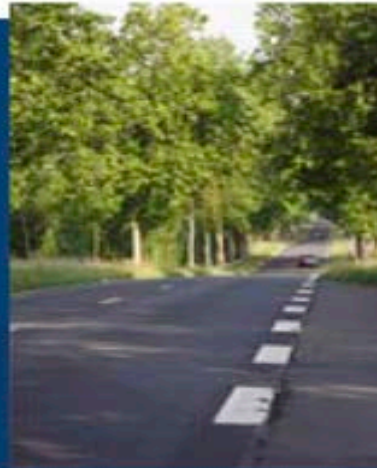
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Exchanging
knowledge and techniques
on roads and road transportation



WORLD ROAD ASSOCIATION



www.piarc.org

The World Road Association (PIARC)

- A non-political, not-for-profit organisation, established in 1909
- Worldwide network of experts
- Organise international forums
- Disseminate best practices
- Promote efficient tools for decision making
- Special emphasis for Developing Countries and Countries with Economies in Transition



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Why?

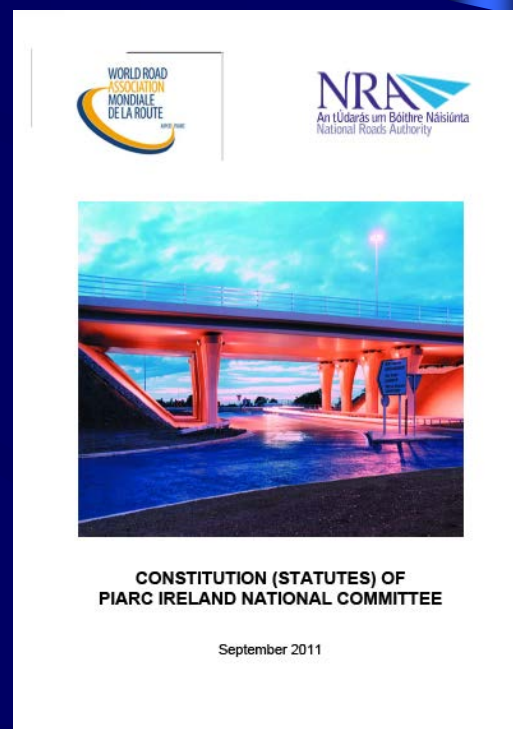
- Involvement in PIARC activities
- Learn from experiences outside Ireland
- Keep up-to-date with best practice
- Benefits to NRA (standards, specifications, etc)
- Benefits to industry (exporting expertise?)
- Channel information to/from PIARC



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Timeline:

- First Delegate
- Set up National Committee
- Constitution accepted by PIARC Executive Committee
(Resolution ExCom/12-04/03)
- PIARC Ireland Executive Board
- First EB meeting (Sept 2012)
- National conference



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Executive Committee

➤ First Delegate

Representatives from:

- National Roads Authority
- Consultants (ACEI)
- Contractors (CIF)
- Local Authorities (CCMA)
- Academic community
- General PIARC membership



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Function of Executive Committee

- Assist first delegate
- Encourage membership
- Promote the aims of PIARC and PIARC Ireland
- Involvement in PIARC activities
- PIARC Ireland National Conference

WHAT CAN THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE DO FOR ME?

- Put into practice the relevant information collected through PIARC
- Ensure national participation in PIARC activities
- Facilitate access to PIARC information for the entire national road community
- Make the best of the World Road Association experience to improve national know-how
- Derive maximum benefit from personal contacts made through PIARC



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APOR PIARC

ABOUT US • MEMBERSHIP / APPLICATION • NATIONAL COMMITTEES • TECHNICAL COMMITTEES

“EXCHANGE
KNOWLEDGE AND TECHNIQUES
ON ROADS AND ROAD TRANSPORTATION”

SEARCH Keyword

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About the Association

To join the Association is to join a network that has existed since 1909 at the dawn of the Motor Age. More than 100 years later, the Association continues to foster and facilitate global discussion and knowledge sharing on roads and road transport. The Association now boasts 118 government members worldwide and retains consultative status to the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations.

Vision

The Association will be the world leader in the exchange of knowledge on roads and road transport policy and practices within an integrated sustainable transport context.

More information

Documents of reference

[Statutes, annual reports, etc.](#)
presenting the Association

How to apply: <http://www.piarc.org/en/membership/become-member/>
Membership form: <http://www.piarc.org/en/membership/membership-form/>
Membership fees: <http://www.piarc.org/en/membership/become-member/#tab-s4681DCxt1>

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