

# EUROPARC Federation Report to Council May 2014

Title:

Membership Update

# Summary:

Update on membership developments and payments

## Recommendations:

- ❖ To note the report.
- ❖ To note the resignations since the last meeting.
- To formally approve new members.

## **EUROPARC Federation Membership Update – April 2014:**

**Total number of members:** 368 (30.04.2014)

Number of countries represented: 36

|                             |              | comments                               |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--|
| Total amount of membership  | +287 877 EUR | Received so far 178 759 EUR            |
| fees invoiced in 2014:      |              | 62%                                    |
| 85% expected:               | +244 695 EUR |  |
| Amount of outstanding       | -131 854 EUR | 2013: 22 736 EUR (28 members)          |
| membership fees 2013/ 2014  |              | 2014: 109 118 EUR (138 members)        |
|                             |              |  |
|                             |              | Federparchi: 47 315 EUR in total       |
| Potential loss of invoiced  | -45 472 EUR  | Approx. 22 736 EUR per year            |
| membership fee 2013/2014 by |              | 29 members in total                    |
| 31.12.2014 (strike off)     |              |  |
|                             |              | Federparchi: 11 members (19 850 EUR in |
|                             |              | total)                                 |

### Summary membership fluctuation 2014 since January:

|                       | Nº of members | Income from membership |
|-----------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| New members           | 2             | 785                    |
|                       |               |                        |
| Resignations          | 1             | 585                    |
| Strike offs           | 29            | 45 472                 |
| Total Resign.+ Strik. | 30            | 46 057                 |
| Balance               | -28           | -45 272                |
|                       |               |                        |
|                       |               |                        |

#### 1 Membership application since last council meeting (to be formally approved):

**Switzerland:** 1. Professional Association *Swiss Rangers*, Switzerland

#### 2 Resignations since last council meeting:

United Kingdom 1. The National Trust (England, Wales and Northern Ireland); member since 1991

**3 Special case – membership status change proposal:** Natural Heritage Services, Steering Unit; Metsähallitus (member since 1996)