



MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MoA) BETWEEN INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR CONCRETE PAVEMENTS AND EUROPEAN CONCRETE PAVING ASSOCIATION

On one hand, the INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR CONCRETE PAVEMENTS (ISCP) with registered address at 301H Dillman Hall – Michigan Technological University – Houghton, Michigan (USA) 49931 and duly represented by the President and Secretary-Treasurer.

On the other hand, the **EUROPEAN CONCRETE PAVING ASSOCIATION (EUPAVE)** with registered address in Vorstlaan 68, Boulevard du Souverain - 1170 Brussels (Belgium) and duly represented by the President and Managing Director.

DECLARE

- 1. The INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR CONCRETE PAVEMENTS is a private nonprofit association with a technical-professional status whose mission is to facilitate the advancement of knowledge and technology related to concrete pavements through education, technology transfer and research at an international level.
- 2. The EUROPEAN CONCRETE PAVING ASSOCIATION is a private nonprofit association with a technical-professional status whose main objective is the study and promotion of all aspects of cement and concrete contributions to transport infrastructure in particular the specific contributions of concrete products to road safety, fuel consumption, congestion relief and sustainability, amongst others. EUPAVE's mission is to advocate and enable wider use of cement and concrete applications in European transport infrastructure by engaging with EU, national and local decision makers, by disseminating technical know-how and communicating benefits and by promoting innovation and best practices in the sector.

1. BACKGROUND

EUPAVE and ISCP started their collaboration in the promotion of concrete pavements when the former was founded in 2007. During the last several years, EUPAVE and ISCP have worked jointly in conferences and seminars related to concrete pavements, as has been proven through EUPAVE's collaboration on the 9th and 10th International Conferences on Concrete Pavements, which were organized by ISCP during 2008 and 2012, and by ISCP's collaboration on the 11th

and 12th International Symposia on Concrete Roads, which were organized by EUPAVE during 2010 and 2014. All of these events were held with the aim to provide opportunities to review new developments in the design, construction, maintenance, and management of concrete pavements.

2. PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

Recognizing the importance of mutual collaboration for technical promotion and transfer of the applications and advantages of concrete roads, to share a desire to continue to mutually develop, strengthen and enrich international experiences and research activities.

The purpose of this MoA between ISCP and EUPAVE is to encourage collaboration and cooperation between the parties, and to avoid technical duplication.

3. PRINCIPLES OF COOPERATION

In consideration of the mutual covenants, BOTH PARTIES HERETO AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. Both parties are united by the interest of the technical promotion and transfer of the applications and advantages of concrete pavements.
- 2. Neither party may use the other's name in a way that would imply endorsement of its technical reports or publications unless that publication has been reviewed and approved in writing for use as a joint publication.

4. EXECUTION

- This memorandum shall take effect upon its signing by authorized representatives of each organization.
- 2. This memorandum may be amended by mutual agreement of the parties and will remain in effect until terminated by either party, upon ninety (90) days' advance written notice to the other. EUPAVE and ISCP will periodically review this agreement and coordinate such revisions as may be necessary.
- 3. Nothing herein will create any joint venture, partnership or other business association, nor shall either party enter into any obligation or commitment on behalf of the other.

PARTICULAR TERMS

CONCERNING THE EUPAVE INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIA ON CONCRETE ROADS AND THE ISCP INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ON CONCRETE PAVEMENTS

- 1. ISCP and EUPAVE consider the accomplishment of their Conferences and Symposia as opportunities to review new developments in the design, construction, maintenance and management of concrete pavements.
- 2. ISCP and EUPAVE will be represented on each other's Symposia and Conference technical committees with the right to speak in debates but without the right to vote when making decisions regarding either the Symposia or the Conferences.
- 3. As part of the cooperation defined in chapter 3, ISCP will be involved in publicizing the EUPAVE Symposia and helping in their promotion, and the ISCP logo will appear in all the official documentation related to the Symposia.
- 4. As part of the cooperation defined in chapter 3, EUPAVE will be involved in publicizing the ISCP Conferences and helping in their promotion, and the EUPAVE logo will appear in all the official documentation related to the Conference.
- 5. Both parties will provide all current information about the Symposia and the Conferences to international industry members and companies related to concrete paving and roads.
- 6. ISCP will not have any economic responsibility regarding the organization, development and results of the International Symposia on Concrete Roads.
- 7. EUPAVE will not have any economic responsibility regarding the organization, development and results of the International Conferences on Concrete Pavements.

CONCERNING ADDITIONAL COLLABORATIVE ACTIVITIES

- 1. Each party will, to the best of its abilities at the time, provide support for the other party's activities and programs when requested, including publicizing those activities and programs on its web site.
- The parties will provide complimentary copies of their periodicals and their electronic newsletters to each other's Managing Director, Executive Director or President. Information from the electronic newsletters may be conveyed to the other party's members upon written agreement.

- The parties agree to conduct joint seminars/symposia/workshops from time to time. Such
 events, and any specific terms and conditions, are to be agreed upon specifically for each
 event.
- 4. When technical assistance is requested by one party, the other party will make its best effort to provide assistance by communicating the issue to its qualified members and partners (i.e., industry specialists and stakeholders), soliciting input, and by providing a formal response or contact name for the first party to discuss the issue with in more detail in an effort to resolve the matter.
- ISCP and EUPAVE will work jointly in research projects to improve concrete pavement technology through analysis, design, materials, construction, evaluation, maintenance, rehabilitation and/or management of concrete pavements.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, each party hereto has caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives as of the date set forth below.

ISCP (signature and stamp)

Mr. Neeraj Buch President

Mr. Jake Hiller Secretary-Treasurer EUPAVE (signature and stamp)

Mr. Stéphane Nicoud President

Mr. Luc Rens Managing Director

EUPAVE

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Date: November 30, 2015

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