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UNECE WPLA Workshop on Sustainable Land Management and Capacity Building hosted by Registers of Scotland in Edinburgh, 1-3.10.2003. Highlights of the event



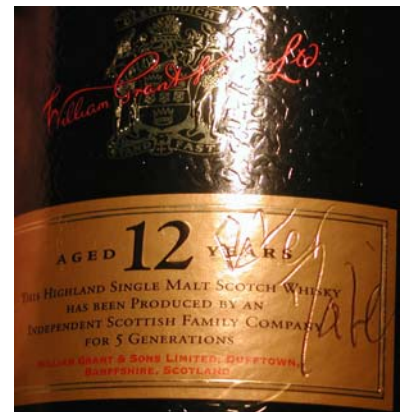
Working group discussion on Corporate planning and change management



Workshop participants at the plenary in the Edinburgh Sheraton Hotel



Technical visit at the Registers of Scotland' Customer Service Centre in the downtown of Edinburgh



The best questions raised by the participants were awarded by Christina von Schweinichen, Deputy Director of UNECE and Prof. Peter Dale, Honorary President of FIG. The winners were Helge Onsrud of the StatenKartwerks and Fritz Rembold of FAO SEUM on the first day, and the representative of the Department of Lands and Mapping MoARD on the second day. Above: the value added Scotch Whisky trophy with autogramm of Prof. Dale given to the Hungarian participant.



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Working Party on Land Administration

The ECE was the first international organization, which defined and addressed the issue of land administration in Europe in a comprehensive manner. The Meeting of Officials on Land Administration (MOLA) was set up as an ad hoc group of experts under the auspices of the ECE Committee on Human Settlements in February 1996. It aimed at promoting land (immovable property) administration through security of tenure, establishment of real estate markets in countries in transition, and modernization of land registration systems in the market economies. The MOLA has gained an extensive experience in promotion of privatization and effective real estate market through promotion of modern land registration systems in the ECE region. It was developed into an effective network of land administration officials in Europe and North America. A number of workshops, meetings with donors and lending organizations were organized, guidelines and policy papers were prepared. It operates by sending an independent expert missions to the ECE countries to render policy advice and recommendations on national programmes

on land market development and real estate registration. These activities were implemented in response to a high demand from the ECE member states. In 1999, the Economic Commission for Europe granted a standing status to MOLA and transferred it into the Working Party on Land Administration (Source: webpages of WPLA at www.unece.org).



Mr. John Manthorp chairs one of the plenary sessions in Edinburgh



Posters introduced EULIS, CelkCenter and the HUNAGI as networking tool for strengthening Public Private Partnership

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