

IBPO-Borderpol

The International Border
Police Organization –
Borderpol dedicated to better
border policing and border
management.



History

- Conceived in 1998 by Thomas Tass as a real time intelligence project for the Visegrad countries to detect and deter illegal immigration and identify criminality involved in human trafficking
- Organized in October 2000 as a voluntary association of experts for international consultations
- Formally incorporated June 2003 in Canada under the Canada Corporations Act as a non profit international organization dedicated to the suppression of cross border criminality through communication, cooperation and consultation among border services world wide.

About Borderpol

Borderpol is a registered non-profit association headquartered in Canada. It was founded by serving and former members of the international border policing and border management community. Borderpol's mission is to assist border policing services and agencies in the development of borders that protect as well as connect people and places.

Governance

Constitution & Agreements

Letters of Patent granted by the Government of Canada on March 23, 2003 under Part II of the Canada Corporations Act and proclaimed in the Canada Gazette July 5, 2003 under the Statutory Instruments Act (Vol.137, 27)

Borderpol certified as a trade mark by the Canadian Intellectual Property Office September 17, 2004 under registration TMA619,920

Constitution of Borderpol approved and ratified March 20, 2005 in Frankfurt, Germany. Amended August 1, 2006 establishing the Border Enforcement Committee (BEC)

Cooperation Agreement signed with Hungarian Government (Border Guards) December 2004 and establishing the European Secretariat at Budapest with 100% in kind funding of the office and facilities.

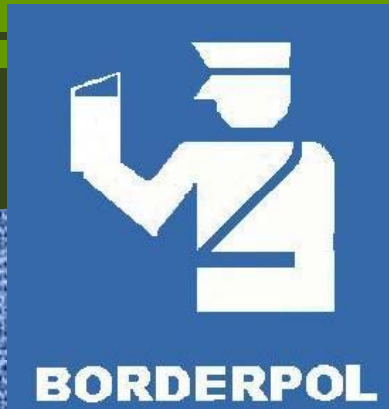
Cooperation Agreement signed with the International Association of Airport and Seaport Police June 2005

Membership Profile 2003 - 2007

Association of senior border policing leaders, with members and associates consisting of an international network of senior professionals from both government and industry with extensive experience in border management, border policing, diplomatic service, adult education and training, forensic audit and emerging technologies.

Two Pillar Support Structure

Overview



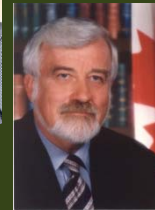
Members of the Border
Policing and Border
Management Community

Industry and non
governmental organizations

Management

Administrative Council

- Dr. Zoltan Szilagyi, Ex Officio Chairman (Hungary)
- Thomas A. Tass, Executive Director (Canada)
- Ambassador Rodney Irwin (Ret) Director International Affairs (Canada)
- Staff. Sgt. John Oliver, (Ret) Secretary Treasurer (Canada)
- Mladen Vulinec, Director, (Croatia)
- Col. Zoltan Szabo (Ret) Head EU Secretariat (Hungary)



Management Border Enforcement Committee (BEC)

Established in August 2006, interim members of the BEC in order of precedence:

- United Kingdom
- Singapore
- Republic of South Africa
- New Zealand
- Peoples Republic of China
- Canada
- Ghana

Borderpol Program Directives

- 1. Expand information and data exchange networks to detect, document and deter border crime as well as facilitate lawful removal actions
- 2. Establish relevant information sharing systems in formats tailored to meet broad international border enforcement requirements
- 3. Promote common standards and good governance within the international border policing and border management community
- 4. Certify technologies that detect and deter border crime while facilitating genuine movements of people and goods
- 5. Promote best practices in the areas of training, legislation, removal agreements.

Strategic Plan 2006 -2009

- *Border Enforcement Committee* to hold its first congress meeting, appoint its Chairperson and become the supreme governing body of Borderpol by end 2007
- Transition from voluntary association to *intergovernmental organization* by early 2008
- Introduction of at least two value added enforcement programs for Borderpol members without *duplicating* existing programs of legacy organizations
- Development of *strategic relationships* with select allied organizations for the purpose of maintaining effective border management at the international level
- Establishment of a *sustainable financial base* for Borderpol from user group contributions member government and industry contributions.

Services for Borderpol Members

- **Access to Member Generated Enforcement Databases (MGED)**
- **Pooled Training Opportunities**
- **Capacity Building and Development**
- **Research and Development of Border Technologies**
- **Common Facilitation Programs**

Border Policing Support Service

Red Stream

- **Borderpol supports existing efforts of legacy organizations to deter trafficking in human beings, especially minors and woman. In addition Borderpol will research, develop and promote new operative and public information approaches to reduce this crime internationally.**
- **Borderpol supports existing efforts of legacy organizations to detect and deter the use of fraudulent travel documents.**
- **Borderpol will research, develop and promote more efficient experience and skills sharing programs to reduce this crime internationally.**
- **Borderpol will consider the development of maritime program as an aid to better overall border control.**
- **Borderpol will establish a centralized information exchange portal to facilitate consultation and cooperation among border enforcement services and agencies with regard to lawful removals.**
- **Borderpol will host Member Generated Enforcement Databases for real-time frontline access to falsified, stolen or missing travel document files, missing or abducted children files.**

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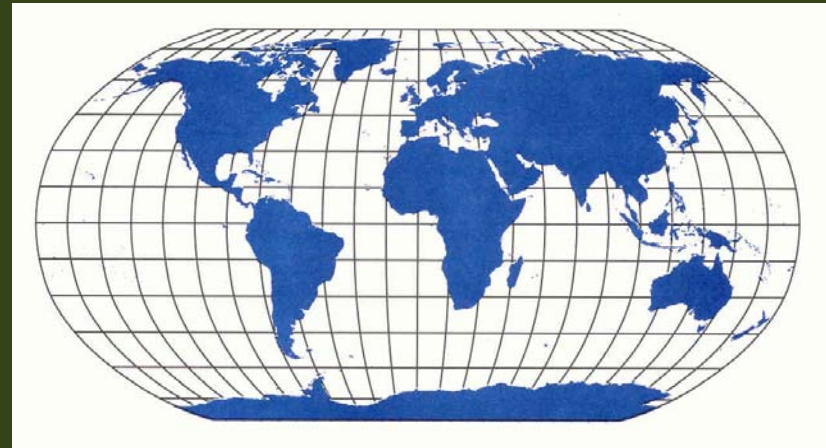
Green Stream

- **Borderpol will facilitate the establishment of interoperability agreements between border management organizations and their associated technologies to accelerate border clearance processes and reduce enforcement costs for policing border services.**

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Blue Stream

- **Borderpol will promote and coordinate peer driven training and development opportunities for all Borderpol members.**
- **Borderpol will continue to support government and/or industry sponsored conferences and exhibitions that meet Borderpol program objectives.**



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