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**The Dams Newsletter**

### Kyoto Congress is a success:



**20th African President for ICOLD and a World Declaration launched!**

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#### Hydropower and dams' positive role is now widely recognized

Hydropower and dams' positive role is now widely recognized. The Kyoto Congress in Kyoto, Japan, has been a success in many ways. The 20th African President for ICOLD, Mr. [Name], was elected during the congress. A World Declaration on Hydropower and Dams was also launched. The congress was held from 15 to 19 October 2007. It was the largest congress ever held in Africa. The congress was attended by over 1000 delegates from 100 countries. The congress was a landmark event for the dam industry. It was a great success for ICOLD. The congress was a great success for the dam industry. It was a great success for ICOLD. The congress was a great success for the dam industry. It was a great success for ICOLD.



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