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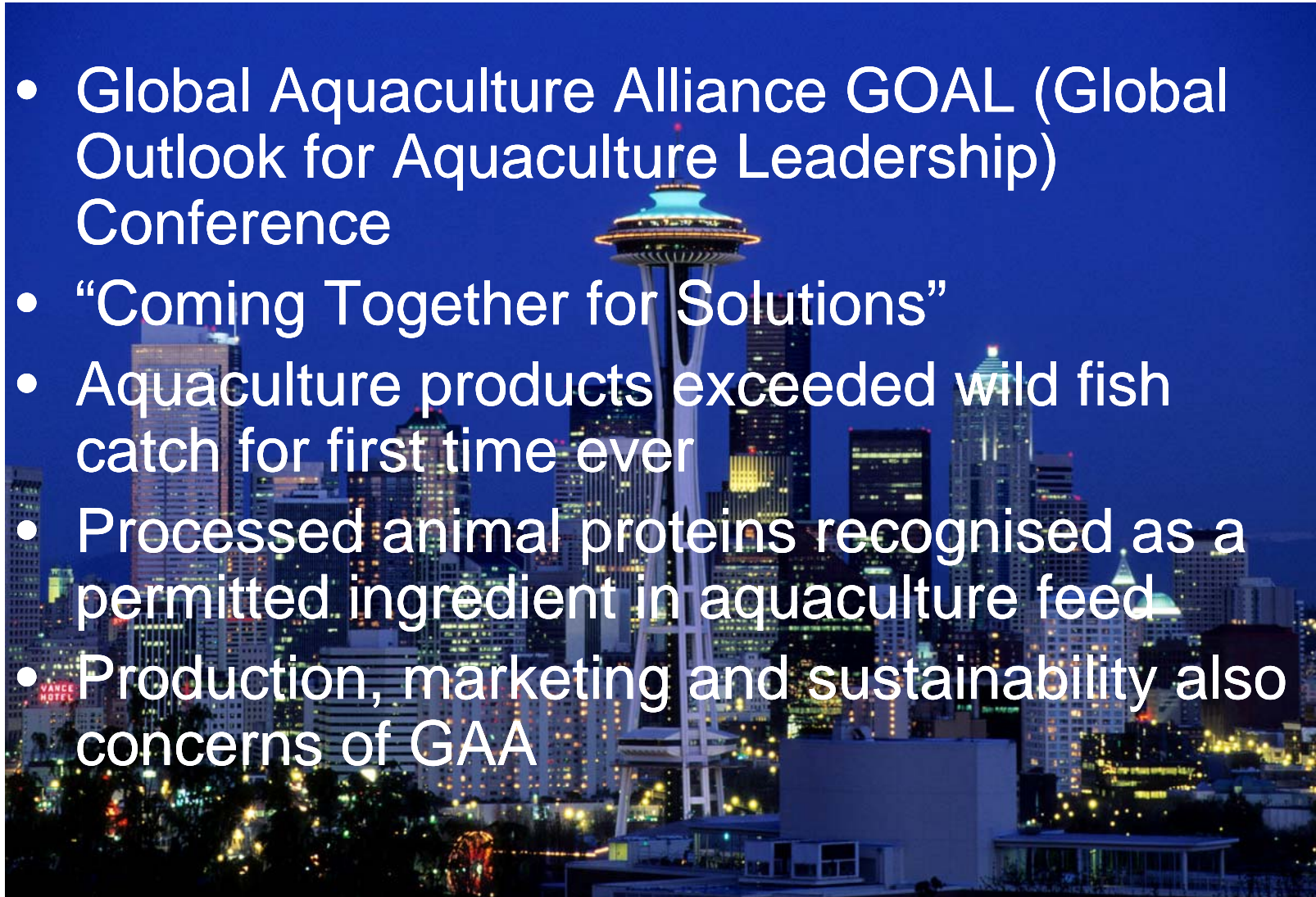
# World Renderers Organisation

**Activities since October 2009**

*Alan von Tunzelman*  
*October 2010*

# Seattle

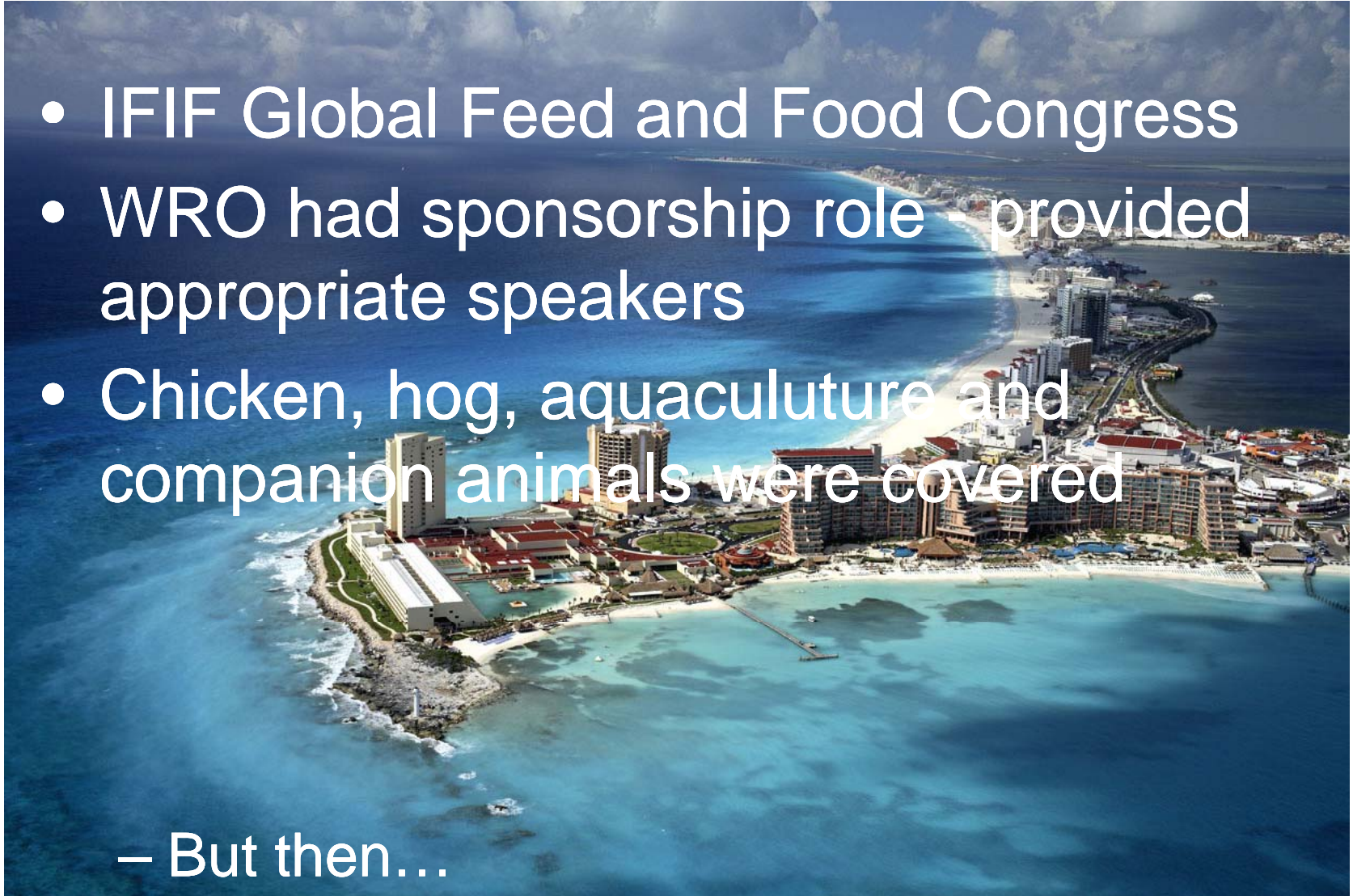
- Global Aquaculture Alliance GOAL (Global Outlook for Aquaculture Leadership) Conference
- “Coming Together for Solutions”
- Aquaculture products exceeded wild fish catch for first time ever
- Processed animal proteins recognised as a permitted ingredient in aquaculture feed
- Production, marketing and sustainability also concerns of GAA



# Cancun

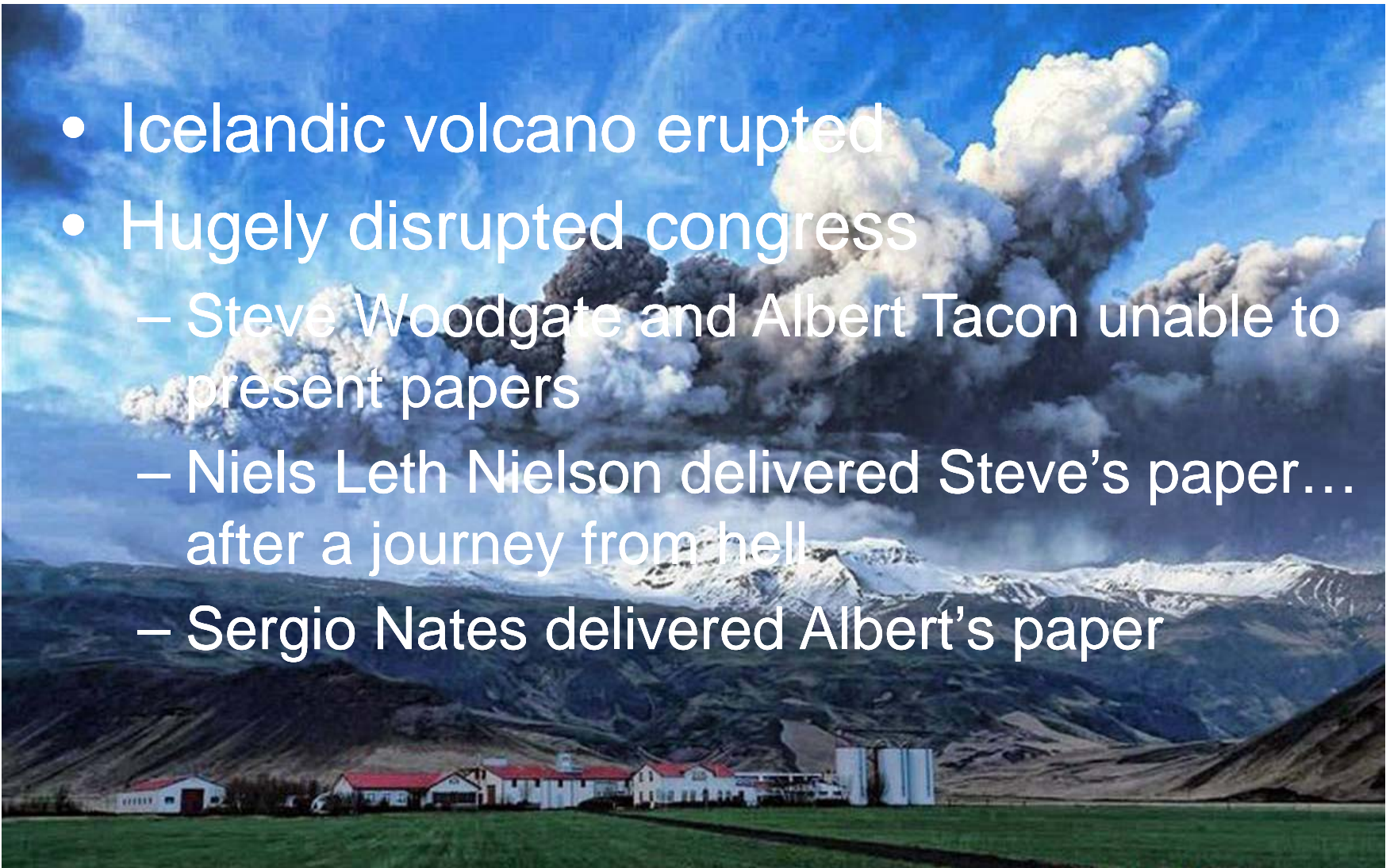
- IFIF Global Feed and Food Congress
- WRO had sponsorship role – provided appropriate speakers
- Chicken, hog, aquaculture and companion animals were covered

– But then...

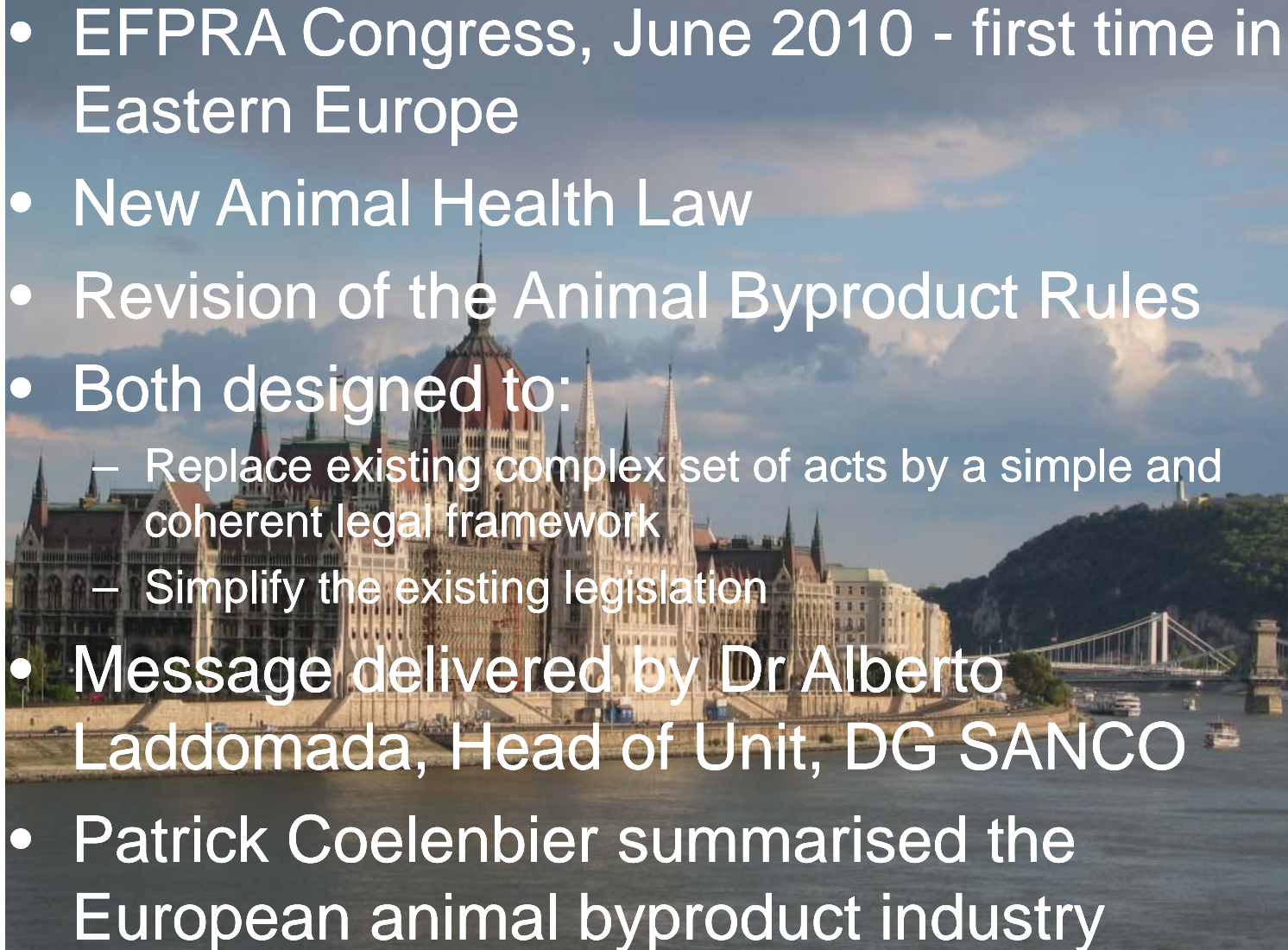


# Eyjafjallajokull

- Icelandic volcano erupted
- Hugely disrupted congress
  - Steve Woodgate and Albert Tacon unable to present papers
  - Niels Leth Nielson delivered Steve's paper... after a journey from hell
  - Sergio Nates delivered Albert's paper



# Budapest

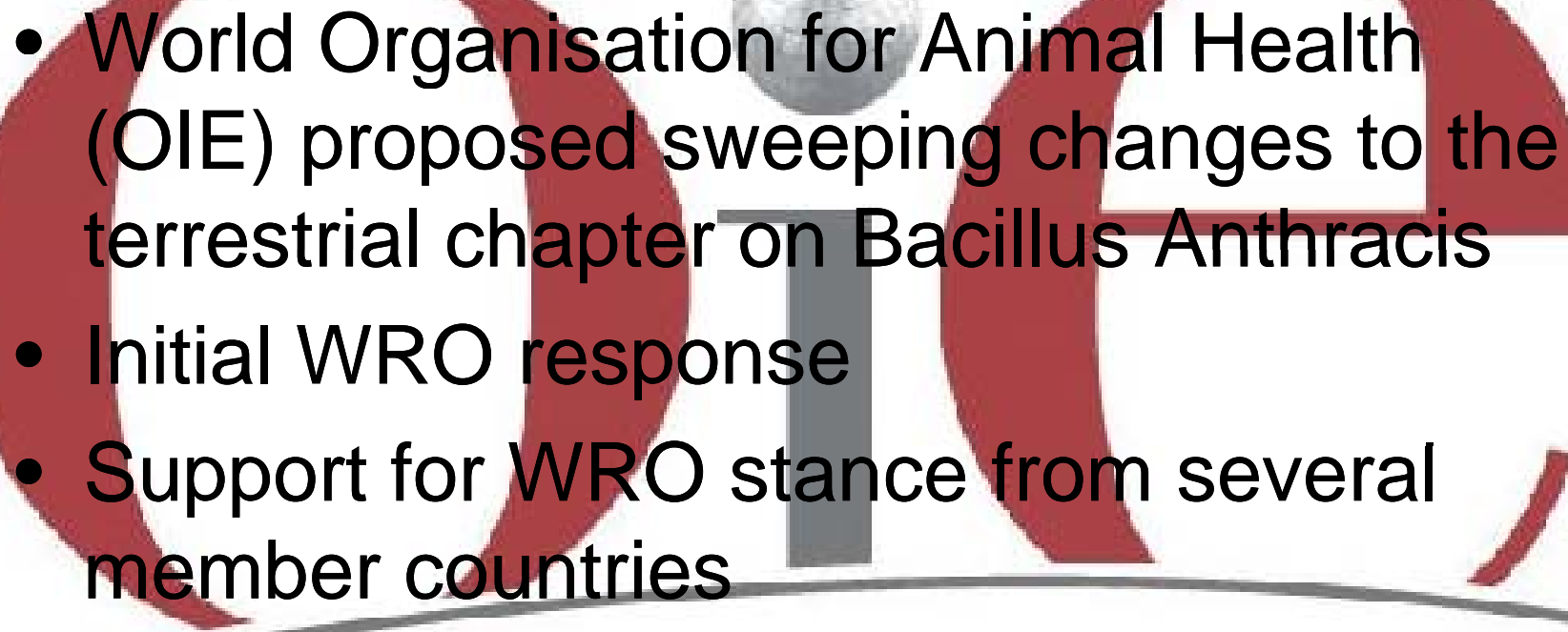
- EFPRA Congress, June 2010 - first time in Eastern Europe
  - New Animal Health Law
  - Revision of the Animal Byproduct Rules
  - Both designed to:
    - Replace existing complex set of acts by a simple and coherent legal framework
    - Simplify the existing legislation
  - Message delivered by Dr Alberto Laddomada, Head of Unit, DG SANCO
  - Patrick Coelenbier summarised the European animal byproduct industry
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# Kuala Lumpur

- GAA GOAL Conference, 17-20 October 2010: “Feeding the Rising Middle Class”
- WRO again had a sponsorship role
- Varied presentations focused on future perceived difficulties in sourcing feed ingredients for aquaculture
- Aquaculture has certification issues
- Highlight: Geoff Allan (Australia) speaking on Sustainability of Aquafeeds
  - Positive on use of processed animal proteins



# Regulations

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- World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) proposed sweeping changes to the terrestrial chapter on Bacillus Anthracis
  - Initial WRO response
  - Support for WRO stance from several member countries
  - Result looks to be a sensible outcome

# Communications

- Receiving an annual account is not sufficient
- We need to deliver more
- Web site has been a positive start
- Render magazine offer a regular column
- Provides updates to members and others



# Membership Drive

- Efforts continued during the year
- Latest members: Argentina, India, Brazil and Thailand
- Special thanks to our roving ambassador, Sergio Nates



# Strategy Direction, Promotion

- Bruce Ross has prepared a discussion document that has had limited distribution via Kent Swisher
- This document is a major item on our agenda this week

