

## Study Tour - CERT

Stockholm October 21-24, 2004

Study Tour organised by RITI dot-Gov Project on CERT (Computer Emergency Response Team) issues

The purpose of the study was to learn about and gain from the experience of a country having created a CERT type of organisation under the conditions of the recent years. The information obtained will be used in the drafting of a discussion paper on the creation of a CERT unit in Romania.

*Mr. Michael Mohr explained the structure of cyber security bodies in Sweden. Swedish Parliament decided in 2002 on the present organisation for IT security, including the creation of SITIC. Three other agencies have tasks regarding IT security: the Swedish Emergency Management Agency, SEMA, the Defence Material Equipment and the Defence Radio Agency. The Ministry of Justice is also directly engaged in IT security matters through the National Police Force, which has a dedicated IT crime squad, providing support to local police forces.*



### Participants:

- **Liviu Nicolescu**, General Director of Antifraud in IT Department– MCTI
- **Iulia Bumbac**, Head of Service, Antifraud and network security - MCTI
- **Gheorghe Serban**, Executive Director - ANISP (National Association of ISPs)
- **Jerker Torngren**, Project Director - RITI dot-Gov project
- **Bogdan Manolea**, Legal coordinator - RITI dot-Gov project

### Meetings with:

- **Mr. Michael Mohr**, Director and Principal Secretary of the of the Swedish Governmental Defence Commission
- **Mr. Johan Mårtensson**, Head of the Swedish IT Incident Centre, SITIC, a CERT unit targeted to the public sector.



*In between the meetings, the team received directions.....*



*The team was received in the large conference room of the Government Defence Commission*

*SITIC was set up as the Swedish public CERT in 2002, has 9 staff members and is organised as a department within the state regulator for Post and Telecom, PTS, primarily to benefit from the administrative services and organisation of PTS. It is financed directly over the State Budget, and is an integrated part of the PTS budget. SITIC co-operates with the other agencies having tasks regarding IT security, but also with vendors, ISP's and other IT incident teams in Sweden and abroad.*

