

## The Interreg IVB North Sea Region Programme

## Thematic Workshop Maritime Conference Göteborg – Environment: Summary

The seminar concluded that the transnational activities supported under the two programmes may assist the participating countries to fulfil their obligations under international conventions, EU directives (especially Water Framework Directive, Natura 2000), the EU Maritime Safety Package, Maritime Strategy Framework Directive and the Roadmap for Maritime Spatial Planning as important activities of the EU's new Integrated Maritime Policy where the added value of transnational co-operation can be demonstrated.