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CISTI Strategic Plan 2005-2010

- New Strategic Plan based on consultations with stakeholder communities, advisory committees, CISTI staff and a panel of information experts
- Vision is for CISTI to be a leader in driving the exploitation of scientific information to create value for Canadians
- Goal 1 is to provide universal, seamless and permanent access to information for Canadian research and development

Infrastructure for Digital Content

- Implemented a technology infrastructure to load and store digital content long-term
- Launched the new platform and software (EJOS) to NRC researchers in May 2005
- Content from 5 publishers now loaded and more will be purchased
- Seeking collaborations with partner organizations to extend access to the content
- Build tools and services for partners and customers

DOCLINE Update

- DOCLINE statistics from NLM
- 327 Canadian libraries (5% increase)
- 170 Freeshare libraries
- DOCLINE 2.5 due June 5
- Upcoming DOCLINE enhancements
- DOCLINE serial holdings and AMICUS

CISTI Document Delivery

- In-depth study on the use of CISTI's collection
- Addition of 135 new health subscriptions
- 10% discount to Canadian hospital libraries and Canadian DOCLINE participants
- Order Tracker
- Document delivery volumes

CISTI Source and NRC Research Press

- CISTI Source contains 21,498 journal titles and 22,473,254 articles
- CISTI Source is OpenURL compliant as a source
- Research Press will publish supplementary data with articles
- New journals and new services
- Indexing in Pubmed
- Canadian medicinal crops is free electronically

Competitive Technical Intelligence

- Partnership agreement with Sirsi Canada for a CTI product
- Phase 1 is a prototype (summer 2005)
- Phase 2 (late 2005) is a full product to be released to NRC information centres
- Teams of information specialists and technical business analysts
- CTI services provided to NRC institutes and IRAP

Federal Science eLibrary

- Strategic Alliance of the 5 federal STM departments and CISTI
- Federal Science eLibrary
- Business case, feasibility study, presentations
- Pilot project

New Appointments

- Albert Joseph – Director of Publisher Relations
- Gerry Genier – Marketing Officer
- Dr. Pierre Coulombe – President of NRC