13th Meeting of the Hydrographic Commission on Antarctica (HCA) Cadiz, Spain, 3-5 December 2013

LIST OF ACTIONS FROM HCA13 AND STATUS

Agenda Item	Action	Details	Status (March 2014)
5.	HCA13/01	IHB to post the Ships of Opportunity Guidelines (Doc. HCA13-05B), on the HCA page of the IHO website as an HCA reference document.	Done. See HCA page > Misc. > HPWG.
5.	HCA13/02	HCA Chair to present the Ships of Opportunity Guidelines (Doc. HCA13-05B) to the Arctic Regional Hydrographic Commission (ARHC), for its consideration at ARHC-4 in January 2014.	In progress
5.	HCA13/03	HPWG to analyse existing ENC coverage and to respond to WEND-WG letter dated 18 September 2012 (HCA12-07.2B) concerning overlaps, gaps and large scale (major port/points of entry) coverage. (carried over from HCA12)	In progress
5.	HCA13/04	HCA Members to send a selection of print-quality images to the IHB for PR purposes.	No pictures received to date
5.	HCA13/05	IHB to request HCA Members to provide details of their planned surveys for the 2014-15 season to the HPWG Chair as soon as possible; required parameters to be based on those indicated in Australian Hydroscheme format.	In progress
5.	HCA13/06	IHB to provide access to the information on HCA Members' planned surveys for the 2014-15 season to IAATO and other relevant entities.	In progress
6.1	HCA13/07	Argentina to pay an informal visit to the Antarctic Treaty Secretariat (ATS) in Buenos Aires, to foster a continuing relationship between ATS and HCA so as to raise awareness of hydrography and charting issues and thereby improve support from ATCM	Not known
6.1	HCA13/08	Chair to write to ATS seeking guidance on the validity of ATCM RecommendationXV-19/1989 and to confirm that it only requires ratification by the Republic of Korea in order to enter into effect. [Post-meeting note: Recommendation XV-19/1989 is likely to be superseded upon agreement by ATCM-37 of the consolidated list of Recommendations on Operational Matters submitted by COMNAP to ATCM-36. HCA contributed to this submission.]	Done. No response received to date. However, see post-meeting note.
6.1	HCA13/09	Chair to include a proposal in the IHO report to ATCM-37 that the ATCM Operational WG considers the future development of appropriate guidelines concerning the contribution that vessels and craft that operate in poorly surveyed or charted waters in Antarctica can make to improve the fundamental hydrographic dataset.	Done
6.1	HCA13/10	HCA Member States to brief their ATCM delegates on the IHO report and any other IHO submissions to ATCM-37.	In progress
6.4	HCA13/11	IHB to contact SCAR to check whether they are willing to continue cooperating with HCA as an observer organisation.	In progress

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HPWG	HCA13/12	IHB to include in S-11 a new INT chart covering the area of Larsemann Hills, with following details: - Scale: 1:50 000 at 68°S - Limits: 69°29.00'S to 69°04.10'S - 76°34.00'E to 75°48.09'E	(March 2014) In progress
		- Producer: Australia	
HPWG	HCA13/13	IHB to amend in S-11 the limits of chart INT 9128 (scale 1:5 000; producer: Spain) to 62°40.27'S - 62°37.46'S and 060°26.00'W - 060°20.98'W. IHB to also correct the depiction of INT 9121 (scale 1:40 000; producer: Spain) in S-11.	Done
HPWG	HCA13/14	HPWG Chair to provide the IHB with details of the new INT chart of Lemaire Channel (scale 1:35 000; producer: UK), i.e. INT number, title, limits, scale latitude and format. IHB to then include the new INT chart in S-11.	Done
HPWG	HCA13/15	HPWG Chair to provide the IHB with details of the new INT chart amalgamating the existing INT 9117, INT 9118 and INT 9119 into one single A0 chart with number INT 9117 and UK as producer. IHB to then amend S-11 accordingly.	Done
HPWG	HCA13/16	HPWG Chair to provide the IHB with details of the three new INT charts, to be derived from ES 7002 (scale 1:10 000; producer: Spain), CL 15351 (scale 1:30 000; producer: Chile) and CL 15352 (scale 1:7 000; producer: Chile), i.e. INT number, title, limits, scale latitude and format. IHB to then include the three new INT charts in S-11.	Done
HPWG	HCA13/17	HPWG Chair to include Cierva Cove and Orne Harbour in the Long Term Survey Plan and the Survey Short List, including the MSR graphic. IHB to then post the revised documents on the IHO website.	In progress
HPWG	HCA13/18	HPWG Chair to check with Greece if they wish to continue participating in HPWG.	Not known
8.2	HCA13/19	HCA Members to check and update the information contained in doc. HCA13-08.2B that will be circulated with the draft minutes of HCA-13 and to amend where needed.	Done. Rev1 of HCA13-08.2B posted on the IHO website.
8.5.2	HCA13/20	IHB to include in the HCA Antarctic GIS Database additional layers of information on planned surveys and geographic names on land.	In progress
8.5.2	HCA13/21	IHB to seek, via an HCA Letter, information from HCA Members and Observers on past surveys conducted in Antarctic waters, for inclusion in the HCA Antarctic GIS Database.	In progress
8.5.2	HCA13/22	HCA Members to consult the HCA Antarctic GIS at http://hca.iho.int/ and provide their comments to the IHB.	No comments received to date.
8.5.3	HCA13/23	HCA Chair to report on the HCA progress and perspective on MSDI issues, as part of the IHO report to ATCM-37.	Done.
9.	HCA13/24	IHB to amend articles 1.2 and 3.6 of the HCA statutes, as agreed at HCA-13, and post the revised statutes on the IHO website.	Done. Revised HCA Statutes posted on the IHO website.