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## Small Scale ENC Coverage for NSHC Area

At the previous NSHC Conference, UK agreed to undertake, as action item C8, coordination of production of small scale ENCs for the NSHC area.

Based on the responsibilities for INT charts, as shown in the Annex to NSHC26 Explanatory Note C8 by UK, Germany is tasked with the production of two small scale charts, INT112 and INT113, resp., and the corresponding ENCs. These charts and ENCs cover the waters between Iceland and Norway.

Because of an inevitable reduction of the German chart portfolio, Germany is not in the position to produce these charts and ENCs. Germany proposes to hand over these responsibilities to those countries having real ownership of these waters.