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WINNER OF THE PRINCE ALBERT 1st MEDAL FOR 2002

Reference: IHB CL 29/2001 dated 19 June 2001.

Dear Sir,

The IHB Directing Committee is pleased to announce that, as a result of the votes received from the IHO Member States by the deadline set in the above-referenced Circular Letter and the reminder sent in October 2001, the winner of the Prince Albert 1st Medal for 2002 is Captain Federico BERMEJO (IHB), for his article "The History of the International Hydrographic Bureau" published in the commemorative issue of the I.H. Review, 1997.

The Directing Committee is very happy that this Medal, created to award the best historical article published in the I.H. Review during the five-year period between I.H. Conferences, has been awarded to a member of the IHB staff. In addition, the Directing Committee believes that the winning article is already and will be in the future an important historical reference for the Organization.

It is planned that the Prince Albert 1st Medal for Hydrography 2002 will be presented by H.S.H. Prince Rainier III at the Opening Ceremony of the XVIth International Hydrographic Conference, Monaco, on Monday, 15 April 2002.

On behalf of the Directing Committee
Yours sincerely,



Rear Admiral Giuseppe ANGRISANO
President