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INTERNATIONAL HYDROGRAPHIC REVIEW

Dear Hydrographer,

As you are aware, the International Hydrographic Review (IHR) is published by GITC following arrangements established in a contract specifying IHB and GITC by rights and obligations. One of the obligations imposed on GITC by is the provision of three copies of the IH Review, free of charge, to each Member State.

It is the Directing Committee's willingness to consider the IHR as an important means available to Member States to disseminate progress and experiences, as well as technical and scientific studies which are carried out, relating to the development in hydrography. Today, more than ever, there is a strong need to share the results of the efforts carried out by each of the IHO Member States. This information could be of great value as a reference to other Member States, for example in their endeavour to improve the result of their decision making process in order to increase their technological level and associated capabilities.

As a result of this approach, the DC would like to take this opportunity to kindly invite Member States to actively contribute to this IHO publication, by contributing with articles on a regular basis.

Contributions can be sent either to the Editor of the IHR Adam Kerr (kerr@cwcom.net) or to myself (dir2@ihb.mc), as I have been appointed to represent the IHB on the Editorial Board of the International Hydrographic Review, as an ex-officio member.

On behalf of the Directing Committee
Yours sincerely,

(original signed)

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Director