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**WITHDRAWAL OF CL 30/2002 DATED 9 AUGUST 2002 – IHO SPECIAL
PUBLICATION S-23 NAMES AND LIMITS of OCEANS and SEAS (4th Edition,
English version, Final Draft)**

Reference: IHB CL30/2002 dated 9 August 2002

Dear Hydrographer,

Since the issue of the reference Circular Letter, the IHB has received comments from Member States that fundamentally impact the content of the draft publication and numerous questions regarding the implications of their vote that would require further clarification. Additionally, the IHB has been faced with issues beyond its technical purpose.

For these reasons, the Directing Committee withdraws CL30/2002 and removes the Final Draft of IHO Special Publication S-23 from the voting at this time. Nevertheless, the IHB welcomes your comments on this draft of S-23.

On behalf of the Directing Committee
Yours sincerely,

(original signed)

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President