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CIRCULAR LETTER 79/2008  
06 October 2008

**PROPOSED IHO WORK PROGRAMME & BUDGET FOR 2009**

Reference: IHB CL 61/2008 dated 22 July

Dear Hydrographer,

- 1 In accordance with Article 8 of the IHO Financial Regulations, the above-referenced Circular Letter requested Finance Committee Members to review and provide comments on the Proposed IHO 2009 Budget by 30 September 2008.
- 2 The Directing Committee thanks Chile and France for their comments.
- 3 The proposed IHO 2009 Work Programme and Budget have been prepared in line with the 2008-2012 Work Programme and the Five-Year Budget approved by the XVIIth I.H. Conference.
- 4 With this Circular Letter we now seek Member States' approval of the Proposed IHO Budget for 2009 (Annex A)\* and the IHO 2009 Work Programme (Annex B)\*. Member States' responses are requested **by 15 November 2008**. (A Voting Paper is provided in Annex C).
- 5 Comments and/or changes proposed by Member States, if any, will be considered by the IHB when preparing the final version of these documents which will be implemented in January 2009.

On behalf of the Directing Committee  
Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'H. Gorziglia', is written over a large, faint circular watermark or stamp.

Captain Hugo GORZIGLIA  
Director

**NOTE:**

\* Please note that Annexes A and B are not being resent with this Circular Letter as they are the same as those sent with CL61/2008.

Annex A: IHO Proposed 2009 Budget (not enclosed - see CL 61/2008)  
Annex B: IHO Proposed 2009 Work Programme (not enclosed - see CL 61/2008)  
Annex C: Voting Paper

**MEMBER STATES' COMMENTS AND APPROVAL OF  
IHO WORK PROGRAMME AND BUDGET FOR 2009**

**VOTING PAPER**

*(to be returned to the IHB by 15 November 2008*

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**Member State:**.....

1. Do you approve the adoption of the proposed IHO Budget for 2009, as contained in Annex A to CL 61/2008?

YES

NO

2. Do you approve the adoption of the proposed IHO Work Programme for 2009, as contained in Annex B to IHB CL 61/2008?

YES

NO

Comments: .....  
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Name/Signature: .....

Date: .....