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IHO PUBLICATION S-58 "RECOMMENDED ENC VALIDATION CHECKS" Edition 4, June 2009

Dear Hydrographer,

- Edition 4 of IHO Publication S-58 "Recommended ENC Validation Checks" is now available on the IHO website (www.iho.int > Publications > Catalogue > S-58). This new edition, dated June 2009 supersedes Edition 3, which was released in February 2007.
- 2 Edition 4 takes into account Encoding Bulletin 23 (EB23) (providing advice on the encoding of linear depth areas) and the release of IHO S-57 Supplement No2 (Edition 3.1.2). Like previous editions, edition 4 has been developed by the IHO Transfer Standards Maintenance and Applications Development (TSMAD) Working Group and contains several additional checks and a number of editorial changes.
- 3 Future revised editions of S-58 will be issued as and when required. Proposals and requests for the inclusion of new validation checks or changes to S-58 should be forwarded to the secretary TSMADWG.

On behalf of the Directing Committee Yours sincerely,

Robert WARD Director, IHB