



INTERNATIONAL HYDROGRAPHIC ORGANIZATION
SOUTH WEST ATLANTIC HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSION
THIRTEEN MEETING OF THE CBSC (CBSC13)
27-29 May 2015, Mexico City



SUMMARY REPORT
SOUTH WEST ATLANTIC HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSION

1. Chair: Rear Admiral (Ret.) Andrés Roque Di Vincenzo
Vice Chair: Vice Admiral Antonio Reginaldo Pontes Lima Junior
2. Membership:
 - Full Members: Argentine, Brazil, Uruguay.
 - Associate Member: Paraguay.
 - Observer: Bolivia
3. Last Meeting: Montevideo, Uruguay 20-21 March 2015
4. Capacity Building main items under consideration.
 - a) CB Funding
 - SWAtCH attended the SEPHC River Survey Workshop in Peru, October 2014, with CBSC funding resources. (Argentine, Brazil and Uruguay)
 - There are two events to be delivered on the second semester of 2015. The first one, S-100 Workshop, in Montevideo, Uruguay, next August and the second one, MSDI Workshop, in Rio de Janeiro, Brasil, in November.
 - SWAtHC is proposing three events to be delivered in 2016 which are presented on this meeting
 - b) Training of Foreign Countries Marine Personnel in the DHN (Brazilian Funding):
 - Hydrographic Course for Officers (IHO Cat. A): One Officer from Peru and two Engineers from Haiti.
 - Basic Course in Hydrography: Three Namibia Personnel
 - c) Training of Foreign Countries Marine Personnel in “Escuela de Ciencias del Mar/Instituto Universitario Naval de la Armada Argentina” (Argentinian Funding):
 - Course in Cartography (Cat. “A” ISCB S-8): One Office from Uruguay.
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 - ARGENTINA: Last update in October 2014.
 - BRAZIL: Last update in June 2014.
 - URUGUAI: Last update in April 2012.
5. Other considerations:
 - XXXXXXXX
6. Conclusions.
 - SWAtHC is committed to carrying forward hydrographic, cartographic and capacity building activities in a strait alignment with IHO objectives and goals.
7. Venue and date of the next meeting.
 - 10th Meeting - Argentina (April 2016).