

PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE FOURTH MEETING OF THE WWNWS SUB COMMITTEE (WWNWS4)

**To be held at the offices of JHOD, Tokyo, Japan
From 24 – 28 September 2012**

1 OPENING REMARKS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

- .1 Opening Remarks and Introductions
- .2 Welcome by the IHB and host nation
- .3 Working Arrangements
- .4 Administrative Arrangements
- .5 Adoption of the Agenda
- .6 Review of Action Items from WWNWS3
- .7 Report from IRCC4

2 MATTERS RELATING TO THE GMDSS MASTER PLAN

- .1 IMO Update
- .2 ITU Issues
- .3 Report of IMSO Assemble22
- .4 Review content of GMDSS Master Plan Annexes 7 & 8

3 PROMULGATION OF MARITIME SAFETY INFORMATION (MSI)

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 - .1 Outcome of the 16th Session of the International Maritime Organization's Sub-Committee on Communications and Search and Rescue (COMSAR 16) 12 – 16 March 2012
 - .2 Outcome of the 90th Session of the International Maritime Organization's Committee on Maritime Safety (MSC 90) 16 – 25 May 2012
 - .3 Outcome of the 58th Session of the International Maritime Organization's Sub-Committee on Safety of Navigation (NAV 58) 2 – 6 July 2012
- .2 Self Assessments by NAVAREA Coordinators
- .3 Broadcast Systems and Services
 - .1 Report of the IMO NAVTEX Co-ordinating Panel
 - .2 Report of the IMO SafetyNET Co-ordinating Panel
 - .3 WMO Liaison Report
 - .4 Contingency Planning
 - .5 Navigation warnings concerning EM radiation interference
- .4 Developments in the WWNWS
 - .1 Inmarsat-C EGC SafetyNET Report
 - .2 WWNWS Survey Review
 - .3 Review of the WWNWS element of the GMDSS
 - .4 E-navigation

- .5 Emerging Technologies / Modernisation
 - .1 Update on other service providers in accordance with IMO Resolution A.1001(25)
 - .2 Inmarsat Fleet Broadband Presentation
 - .3 Manufacturers' presentations (NavDat; Navtex in ECDIS – Subject to availability)
- .6 Transmission by private companies via e-mail and other media.

4 REVIEW OF GUIDANCE DOCUMENTS

- .1 Document Review Status Report
- .2 IMO Resolutions A.705(17) as amended and A.706(17) as amended (MSC.1/Circ.1287 and MSC.1/Circ.1288 respectively)
- .3 Joint IMO/IHO/WMO Manual on MSI (MSC.1/Circ.1310) and IHO Publication S-53 - New warning categories / recommended formats and examples.
- .4 IMO International SafetyNET Manual (MSC.1/Circ.1364)
- .5 IMO NAVTEX Manual (MSC/Circ.1403)
- .6 IMO resolutions MSC.306(87) and A.664(16) "Performance Standards for Enhanced Group Call Equipment".
- .7 IMO "Guideline on operational procedures for the broadcast of maritime safety information concerning acts of piracy and piracy counter-measure operations." (IMO resolution MSC.305(87))
- .8 COMSAR Circ.36: "Broadcast of warnings for tsunamis and other natural disasters."
- .9 Terms of Reference for the WWNWS Sub Committee (IHO Circular Letter 46/2009)
- .10 WMO - IMO resolution on Met-ocean services Assembly resolution A.1051(27)
- .11 Inmarsat SafetyNET Users' Handbook
- .12 MSI element of IHO Publication C-55 – "Status of Hydrography and Nautical Cartography World-Wide".

5 WWNWS REPRESENTATION AT REGIONAL HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSIONS AND OTHER CONFERENCES

- .1 WWNWS member attendance at RHCs
- .2 Capacity Building MSI Training Course Developments
- .3 WWNWS CD-ROM

6 ELECTION/RE-ELECTION OF THE CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR

In accordance with WWNWS SC Rules of Procedure Article 2

7 NEXT MEETING

- .1 Dates and venue for WWNWS5 in 2013
- .2 Draft Agenda for WWNWS5

8 Review of Action Items from WWNWS4

9 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

10 CLOSURE OF THE MEETING