WWNWS Meeting 5 Agenda Item 4.1B WWNWS5/4/1B 15 July 2013

## **Document Review Status Report**

## Submitted by IHB

## **SUMMARY**

Executive Summary: This document provides a summary of the status of WWNWS documentation

Action to be taken: 2

Related documents: None

- 1. This document provides information on the status of all WWNWS guidance documentation considered under WWNWS Agenda Item 4:
  - Resolution A.705(17), as amended, Promulgation of Maritime Safety Information -Endorsed by COMSAR 17 and approved at MSC 92 in 2013; issued as MSC.1/Circ.1287/Rev.1.
  - Resolution A.706(17), as amended, World-Wide Navigational Warning Service -Endorsed by COMSAR 17 and approved at MSC 92 in 2013; issued as MSC.1/Circ.1288/Rev.1.
  - Joint IMO/IHO/WMO Manual on Maritime Safety Information Editorial review commenced at DRWG 11 for discussion at WWNWS 5.
  - IHO Publication S-53 Manual on Maritime Safety Information This publication is maintained in parallel with the Joint IMO/IHO/WMO Manual on Maritime Safety Information. Editorial review commenced at DRWG 11 for discussion at WWNWS 5.
  - IMO International SafetyNET Manual Issued as MSC.1/Circ.1364. Entered into force 1 January 2012.
  - IMO NAVTEX Manual Issued as MSC.1/Circ.1403. English and French editions issued, Spanish edition awaited. Entered into force on 1 January 2013.
  - IMO Resolution A.664(16), Performance Standards for Enhanced Group Call Equipment (EGC) Review completed in 2009, approved by COMSAR 14 in 2010, adopted by MSC87 in 2010 as Resolution MSC.306(87). Note: MSC.306(87) applies to equipment fitted after 1 July 2012, A.664(16) applies to equipment fitted before 1 July 2012.

- IMO Guideline on operational procedures for the broadcast of maritime safety information concerning acts of piracy and counter-piracy operations Approved by COMSAR 14 in 2010, adopted by MSC87 in 2010 as resolution MSC.305(87).
- Terms of Reference for the WWNWS Sub-Committee Adopted by IHO Member States in IHB CL 46/2009, up-dated and amended at WWNWS 4. Due for annual review at WWNWS 5.
- IMO resolution on the IMO/WMO World-Wide Met-Ocean Information and Warning Service (WWMIWS) A draft resolution was prepared by COMSAR 15 in March 2011, endorsed by MSC89 in May 2011 and adopted by Assembly 27 in November 2011.
- Inmarsat SafetyNET Users' Handbook This is an Inmarsat publication which is currently under revision.
- 2. The Sub-Committee is invited to note the information provided.