

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE FIRST JOINT SESSION
OF THE IHO WNWWS SUB-COMMITTEE (WWNWS-SC) AND WMO WWMIWS**

**To be held in Wellington, New Zealand
19 August 2014**

1 OPENING REMARKS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

- .1 Opening Remarks and Introductions – **Chairs**
- .2 Administrative Arrangements – **Hosts**
- .3 Adoption of the Agenda – **Chairs**

2 ORGANIZATION BRIEFS

- .1 IHO introduction/structure/developments/activities – **IHB**
- .2 WMO introduction/structure/developments/activities – **WMO**
- .3 IMO introduction/structure/developments/activities – **IMO**
- .4 IMSO introduction/structure/developments/activities – **IMSO**

3 PROMULGATION OF MARITIME SAFETY INFORMATION (MSI)

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 - .1 Outcomes of the 93rd Session of the International Maritime Organization's Committee on Maritime Safety (MSC 93) 14 – 23 May 2014 – **IHB**
 - .2 Outcomes of the 1st Session of the International Maritime Organization's Sub-Committee on Navigation, Communications and Search and Rescue (NCSR 1) 30 June – 4 July 2014 – **IHB**
- .2 Broadcast Systems and Services
 - .1 Report of the IMO NAVTEX Coordinating Panel – **UK**
 - .2 Report of the IMO SafetyNET Coordinating Panel – **USA**
 - .3 Review of GMDSS Master Plan and Modernization – **IMO/Chair WNWWS**
 - .4 Contingency Planning – **Chairs**
- .3 Developments in the WNWWS
 - .1 Inmarsat-C EGC SafetyNET Report – **Inmarsat**
 - .2 MSI Document Review Overview – **Chair WNWWS**
- .4 Emerging Technologies/Modernization
 - .1 Manufacturers' presentations – tbc
 - .2 New developments in service provision – **IMSO/Inmarsat/Iridium**
 - .3 Progress Developments on
 - .1 S-124 – **France**
 - .2 S-411 and S-412 – **WMO**
 - .3 e-navigation – **IMO**

4 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

5 IHO WNWWS Customer Survey Results Review

.1 Common issues and lessons – **Chair WWNWS**

6 CLOSURE OF THE MEETING

Joint METAREA-NAVAREA Coordinators Discussion

The overall focus of the joint session is dissemination of information and education for NAVAREA and METAREA Coordinators.

The participants in this session will have the opportunity to strengthen the coordination within the NAVAREA-METAREA for MSI issues and GMDSS support, and to get the feedback or support for full implementation of WWNWS and World-Wide Met-ocean Information and Warning Service (WWMIWS) in a coordinated fashion.

The participants will be presented with reports by representatives of IMO, WMO, IHO and IMSO on overall activities and actions in relation with MSI and the GMDSS. Focus will be to provide information relevant for the Issuing Services (identification of non-appropriate practises for navigational MSI and Metocean MSI prepared for SafetyNET or NAVTEX broadcasts, suggested improvements, expected or planned evolutions or emerging technologies with potential consequences for the NMHS issuing GMDSS and MSI). In particular, Inmarsat C System (including focus on Arctic areas, information on the new System Definition Manual), potential new provider for service transmission and associated impacts, the implementation of the GMDSS in Arctic NAVAREAs/METAREAs, brief overview of the revision cycle of the IMO/IHO/WMO joint documentation process and the GMDSS modernization will be of value. In addition information on Capacity Building initiatives and approach will be provided for consideration and discussion.