



Hydrographic Services and Standards Committee

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Comment on HDWG Report to
HSSC-4, September 2012

S-32: Definitions of Altitude, Elevation and
Height

Comments

- ✦ Concerns over HDWG revised definitions
- ✦ Alternative views not made visible to MS
- ✦ MS voted to support change
- ✦ Substantive concerns not yet addressed
- ✦ Further work is required – meanwhile the S-32 definitions have now been changed



Action required of HSSC

- ✦ Recognise the original work was incomplete
- ✦ New work item for HDWG (with support from CSPCWG, TWLWG)
- ✦ Any lessons learnt from process?

