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CHRIS Letter No. 4/2004

To: CHRIS Members (see **Annex A**)
Subject: Chair and Vice Chair of CHRIS
Ref: CHRIS Letter No. 3/2004, dated 15 November 2004

Dear Sir,

Following the announced departure of Mr Ole BERG from the Danish Hydrographic Office (KMS), CHRIS Letter 3/2004 asked for confirmation of Captain Robert WARD (Australia) as new Chairman of CHRIS and for nomination of candidates for the position of Vice Chairman.

The IHB thanks all 17 CHRIS members who have responded, overwhelmingly supporting Captain WARD as new Chairman of CHRIS. Captain WARD will therefore take over as Chairman of CHRIS from 1st January 2005.

Three nominations¹ for Vice Chairman have been received, from Brazil, Portugal and Singapore. CHRIS Members are therefore requested to express their choice by filling in the voting form provided in **Annex B** to be returned to the IHB not later than **15 February 2005** (one response per Member State).

The IHB Directing Committee reiterates its gratefulness to Mr BERG for his outstanding service during his tenure as CHRIS Chair. We are confident that CHRIS will remain in good hands with Captain WARD in command and we thank Australia for making him available for this key position.

On behalf of the Directing Committee
Yours sincerely,

Rear Admiral Kenneth BARBOR
Director

Enclosures: 2 annexes

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¹ Support was also expressed by Spain for Mr Juha Korhonen (Finland), and by India for Mr Chris Smith (UK). However, those individuals indicated they wished to decline their nomination.

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(21 December 2004)

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(CHRIS)
Vice Chairman**

VOTING FORM
(to be returned to the IHB by 15 February 2005
E-mail: info@ihb.mc - Fax: +377 93 10 81 40)

Note : One response is requested per Member State.

Member State:

CHRIS Member:

E-mail:

Please express your choice among the three names below to fill the position of Vice Chairman of CHRIS²

• Luiz Carlos TORRES (Brazil)

• António Martins PINHEIRO (Portugal)

• Parry OEI (Singapore)

Comments :

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Signature

Date:

² Please tick one box only