Tides, Water Level and Currents Working Group

Stavanger, Norway – 25-29 May 2020

Draft Agenda – (TWCWG5)

1. Opening

- .1 Opening address Chair
- .2 Address by host nation NHS
- .3 IHO comments IHO

2. Administrative Arrangements

- .1 Adoption of the Agenda and Apologies Chair/Secretary
- .2 Programme and timetable of the Sessions Chair/Secretary
- .3 Meeting administration, including H&S NHS
- .4 Report on Intercessional Activities including HSSC10 Chair
- .5 Matters arising from TWCWG3/Review of Action Items Secretary

3. Programme Matters

- .1 Standard Constituent List GBR
- .2 Standard for digital Tide Tables USA
- .3 The study of long term data sets for the determination of global sea level rise. NOR/LISA
- .4 Compare Tidal Predictions generated as a result of analysis of a common data set by different analysis software USA/NOR
- .5 Feedback on long term sea level variation NOR
- .6 Exchange of Harmonic constants/predictions, feedback on comparison of tidal constituents GBR/USA
- .7 Establishment and Maintenance of VRF for High Resolution Bathymetric Surfaces GBR & NLD
- .8 Determining ellipsoidal height of MSL at the coast NLD
- .9 Inventory of Tide gauges used by IHO Member States IHO
- .10 Actual Tides On-line Link status IHO

4. Product Specification Presentations

- .1 Water Level Information for Surface Navigation (S-104) AUS
- .2 Surface Current Product Specification (S-111) USA

5. Product Specifications Work Packages

- .1 Progress report on current datasets USA
- .2 Feedback on results from encoding tests USA
- .3 Application of encoding tool(s) to additional datasets USA
- .4 Encoding datasets in HDF5 S-111 format USA
- .5 Engagement with S-100WG and other relevant subordinate bodies FRA

6. IHO Resolutions and Charting Specifications

- .1 Review of relevant IHO Resolutions ZAF
- .2 Review of relevant IHO Charting Specifications IHO

7. IOC Programmes

- .1 Update on IOC GLOSS Programme items and events USA
- .2 Update on IOC TOWS Programme items and events CHL

8. Capacity Building

.1 Tides and Water Levels Workshop training material – ZAF/AUS

9. Any Other Business

- .1 Development of report to HSSC12 Chair
- .2 Historical data recovery/data archaeology Chair

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10. Work Plan and ToRs

- .1 TWCWG Work Plan up-dates IHO
- .2 Review TWCWG ToRs and RoPs IHO
- 11. Venue and dates of the 6th TWCWG Meeting (TWCWG6) Chair/Secretary
- 12. Election of Chair and vice-Chair (in accordance with ToRs article 3c) for next triennium Secretary
- 13. Review of Action Items from TWCWG5 Secretary
- 14. Draft Agenda for TWCWG6 Chair/Secretary
- 15. Closing remarks Chair