

LIST of ACTIONS FROM SCUFN-28

(at the date of 19 August 2016)

Note: DECISIONS have been kept in the list and highlighted in light grey when implemented (names now available in the GEBCO Gazetteer, for instance).

Decision/Action	Agenda Item	Details	Status (Aug 2016)
	1	SCUFN Membership - Election of Vice-Chair	
SCUFN28/01		In application of RoP 2.5, K. Dobrolyubova was considered as stepping down from SCUFN full Membership. Chair to prepare a call for vacancy for the IOC by the end of October , deadline end of Dec. for application so SCUFN Membership should be complete in Jan. 2016, taking into account responses received to IHO CL 59/2015.	Done. IOC CL No 2627 dated 16 May 2016. K. Dobrolyubova re-appointed.
SCUFN28/02		Sec. to inform K. Dobrolyubova of the decision made at SCUFN28 but of the possibility for any rep. of the Russian Federation to remain active and to participate in SCUFN activities under RoP 2.6 and 2.7.	Complete. Email Sec. 14 Dec. 2015.
SCUFN28/03		Y. Ohara was elected as SCUFN Vice-Chair.	Complete
	3	Matters remaining from Previous Meetings	
	3.1	Review of Actions from SCUFN-27 and transfer to the relevant agenda items	
SCUFN26/03	3.1 (ref. SCUFN-26 Report)	N. Cherkis to ask M. Jakobson, as IBCAO Chair, for information about NP-28 Seachannel.	Done. See SCUFN29-07.2B.
SCUFN26/07	3.1 (ref. SCUFN-26 Report)	H.W. Schenke to provide the Secretary with polygons in shape files for Axthelm Seamount and Sever Spur.	Complete
SCUFN26/09	3.1 (ref. SCUFN-26 Report)	K. Dobrolyubova and N. Cherkis to investigate the history of Naletov Ridge vs Brass Ridge to find the appropriate name for the feature and report back at SCUFN-27.	Complete
SCUFN26/42	4.5.1 (ref. SCUFN-26 Report)	Secretary to ask the proposer to provide a modified proposal for Weddell Basin and include further details such as min and max depths, relief and dimensions.	Done. See additional information from the proposer.
SCUFN28/04		Secretary to provide the GEBCO Bathymetry Editor with digital data provided by K. Dobrolyubova relating to Egiazarov Seamount, Kolbasin Hill, Kulyndyshev Seamount, Sen'kov Seamount and K. Dobrolyubova to provide the Sec. with polygon coordinates.	Complete

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SCUFN26/64	5.2 (ref. SCUFN-26 Report)	K. Dobrolyubova, Y. Ohara and N. Cherkis to investigate names in the Russian Arctic Gazetteer and make recommendations to the Sub-Committee on how to incorporate these names in the GEBCO Gazetteer.	SCUFN-29
SCUFN26/73	7.1 (ref. SCUFN-26 Report)	N. Cherkis/ J . Nerantzis to provide the Secretary with central/submit coordinates and an improved encircling polygon for Woolsey Mound by Dec. 2015 .	Complete. Email J. Nerantzis 18 Nov. 2015
SCUFN27/02	4.2.1	Proposal for Madiba Seamount is ACCEPTED. Chair to request AWI to include track lines, to improve the colors in the diagram, in order to adjust and complete the background information, The polygon should be reduced and closed. Justification of the specific term to be slightly revised.	By end of Oct. 2015 Complete
SCUFN27/33	4.6.1	Proposal for Crean Deep is ACCEPTED. Secretary to request from the proposer complementary information (coordinates on the graphic, deepest point).	Name ACCEPTED. Complete
SCUFN27/34	4.6.1	L. Taylor to check the geometry of Hikurangi Sea Channel.	Complete. Email from V. Stagpoole to Sec. dated 12 May 2016.
SCUFN27/36	4.6.2	Proposal for Tāwhatiwhati Guyot is NOT ACCEPTED due to the existence of L'Atalante Seamount in the vicinity which is likely to be the same feature. Further work is deemed necessary. Secretary to contact the proposer and V. Stagpoole to investigate and provide relevant complementary data to resolve the ambiguity prior to SCUFN-28.	Complete. Name L'Atalante Seamount is kept.
SCUFN27/75		Besides, ACUF (J. Nerantzis) to examine the possibility of harmonizing definitions of "knoll" and "hill" with SCUFN definitions.	Done. See SCUFN29-03.2B
SCUFN27/77		Following the issue raised by the NZGB Undersea Names Committee, the SCUFN is in the view that the use of acronyms for naming is not desirable in general but can be considered on case by case basis.	Sec. to take a note for future Ed. of B-6. Done. See SCUFN29-06A
SCUFN27/88		K. Dobrolyubova to provide additional information on Konstantinov Ridge which will be considered at SCUFN-28 SCUFN-29.	By end of Dec. 2015 Complete. See SCUFN29-07.2A Annex A

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SCUFN28/97		Proposals for Aniva Seamount, Bezrukov Ridge, Neprochnov Seamount, Zhuze Seamount are kept as PENDING. Specific terms are accepted (former Decisions SCUFN27/69 to 72). Complementary data (track lines, steepness, location of the minimum depth) to be provided in accordance with B-6 by K. Dobrolyubova in liaison with the proposer, by end of December 2015 . After deadline, names will be considered as <u>withdrawn</u> by the proposer.	Complete
	3.2	Report and recommendations of the SCUFN Generic Term Group (Yas, Vaughan, Han)	
SCUFN28/05	3.2	SCUFN Generic Term Group to provide the Sec. with a proposal for a new Ed. of the section II of B-6 including new definitions – GENERIC TERMS USED FOR HARMONIZATION WITH OTHER GAZETTEERS AND DEFINITIONS by end of Oct. 2015	Complete. Will be part of the revised B-6.
SCUFN28/06	3.2	SCUFN Generic Term Group to provide Han with all the generic terms and definitions (including those above) that need to be added to scufnterm.org by end of Oct. 2015	
	3.3	Final Approval of the report from SCUFN-27	
SCUFN28/07		Sec. to make editorial corrections in Annex D of SCUFN27 Report and upload a Rev 1 version by end of Dec. 2015 .	Complete. Report Rev 1 available on SCUFN webpage
	4	Proposals Submitted during Intersessional Period	
	4.1	From Malaysia, NHC	
SCUFN28/08		Proposal for Rafflesia Hill is ACCEPTED (Note from SCUFN Member Lin to be inserted in the report).	Complete
SCUFN28/09		Proposal for Kenyalang Hill is ACCEPTED (Note from SCUFN Member Lin to be inserted in the report).	Complete
SCUFN28/10		Proposal for Iban Ridge is ACCEPTED (Note from SCUFN Member Lin to be inserted in the report).	Complete
SCUFN28/11		Proposal for Santubong Seamount is ACCEPTED (Note from SCUFN Member Lin to be inserted in the report).	Complete

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SCUFN28/12		<p>Proposal for Raja Jarom Shoals is NOT ACCEPTED. [for the following reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This feature is chartered as an area which may cover and uncover (drying contour line, grey tint <u>above</u> chart datum), with a sounding of - 0.3 m; - Minimum height provided by NHC in the proposal form is 0.0 m; <p>The naming of this type of “non-undersea” feature is considered as not being in the remit of SCUFN.]</p>	Complete
SCUFN28/13		<p>Proposal for Rentap Shoal is NOT ACCEPTED [for the following reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - It appears that names such as Friendship Bank, Mengyi Ansha already exist for this feature and that they have been used on charts and in scientific publications at least since 1983; - In accordance with B-6, Ed. 4.1.0, Sept. 2013 (Section E), <i>authorities involved are invited to resolve the matter</i> prior to any further submission to SCUFN.] 	Complete
	4.2	From USA, Schmidt Ocean Institute, Mr Leighton Rolley	
SCUFN28/14		Proposal for Falkor Seamount is ACCEPTED. Proposal for Engineer Ridge, received on 25 Sept. 2015, to be examined at SCUFN29	Complete
	4.3	From Brazil, Fluminense Federal University, Mr Filipe Japiassú Leitão	
SCUFN28/15		Proposal for Ferraz Peak is ACCEPTED with the main feature to be reported (Deception Island). Discovery facts to be added in the information section.	Complete
	4.4	From The Republic of Korea, KHOA/KCGN	
SCUFN28/16		Proposal for Dalpaengi Knoll is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/17		Proposal for Gokkal Hill is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/18		Proposal for Maisan Hills is ACCEPTED.	Complete
	4.5	From Brazil, DHN	
SCUFN28/19		Proposal for Amazon Channel is ACCEPTED with the relative depths to be changed.	Complete
SCUFN28/20		Proposal for Baião Guyot is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/21		Proposal for Cabugi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/22		Proposal for Frevo [Hill] is ACCEPTED with the generic term changed to Hills.	Complete
SCUFN28/23		Proposal for Guarani Guyot is ACCEPTED.	Complete

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SCUFN28/24		Proposal for Iracema [Bank] is ACCEPTED with the generic term changed to Guyot.	Complete
SCUFN28/25		Proposal for José de Alencar Hill is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/26		Proposal for Maracatu [Seamount] is ACCEPTED with the generic term changed to Guyot..	Complete
SCUFN28/27		Proposal for Maximiano Guyot is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/28		Proposal for Peri Seamount is kept as PENDING. Specific term is accepted. Complementary bathymetric data is requested from DHN (AA. Alberoni) prior to SCUFN-29.	Complete. See SCUFN29-07.2B Annexes A & B
SCUFN28/29		Proposal for Touros [Bank] is ACCEPTED with the generic term changed to Guyot.	Complete
SCUFN28/30		Sec. to update the Gazetteer changing Amazon Canyons to Amazon Canyon (Doc. SCUFN28-04.5B refers).	Complete
	4.6	From Japan, JHOD/JCGN/JAMSTER	
SCUFN28/31		Proposal for Deschamps Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/32		Proposal for Jugoya Ridge is ACCEPTED with total relief to be modified.	Complete
SCUFN28/33		Proposal for Hangetsu Ridge is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/34		Proposal for Zangetsu Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/35		Proposal for Shinjuboshi Escarpment is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/36		Proposal for Kazahayahoshi Escarpment is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/37		Proposal for Kazahayahoshi Basin is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/38		Proposal for Kazahayahoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/39		Proposal for Nishi-Kazahayahoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED, with polygon to be changed in the West around the 3700 m contour line.	Complete
SCUFN28/40		Proposal for Nansei-Kazahayahoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/41		Proposal for Hoburehoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/42		Proposal for Hamuronohoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/43		Proposal for Tobarinohoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/44		Proposal for Habunohoshi Terrace is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/45		Proposal for Yanbaruohoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete

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SCUFN28/46		Proposal for Yutsumanohoshi Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/47		Proposal for Tochinohoshi [Seamount] is ACCEPTED with the generic term changed to Seamounts.	Complete
SCUFN28/48		Proposal for Hahirohoshi Seamounts is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/49		Proposal for Hahirohoshi Basin is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/50		Proposal for Parece Vela Knoll Province is kept PENDING and will be reconsidered definitely at SCUFN-29. Y. Ohara to provide complementary information that give evidences for adopting the generic terms (knoll, province), the polygon, additional information such as existing maps using this name already.	Done. See SCUFN29-07.2B Annexes A & B
SCUFN28/51		Y. Ohara to provide the Sec. with complementary information (polygon, etc.) for updating Parece Vela Basin in the Gazetteer database.	Complete
SCUFN28/52		Proposal for Konotori Fracture Zone is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/53		Proposal for Rasa Ridge is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/54		Proposal for Rasa Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/55		Proposal for Kiyan Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/56		Proposal for Matsuzaki Guyot is ACCEPTED. Y. Ohara to provide Sec. with a new shp file corresponding to a reduced polygon.	Complete
SCUFN28/57		Proposal for Magoshichi [Guyot] is ACCEPTED with the generic term changed to Guyots.	Complete
SCUFN28/58		Proposal for Kawakami Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/59		Proposal for Iiyama Seamount is ACCEPTED. Y. Ohara to provide Sec. with a new shp file corresponding to a reduced polygon.	Complete
	4.7	From Russian Federation, GINRAS	
SCUFN28/60		Proposal for Shkolnik Guyot is ACCEPTED.	Complete
	4.8	From China, CCUFN	
SCUFN28/61		Proposal for Qiluo Guyot is NOT ACCEPTED. CCUFN to consider the possibility of making a new proposal at SCUFN-29 (generic term to be justified, extension, etc.).	Complete
SCUFN28/62		Proposal for Wuyang Seamounts is NOT ACCEPTED, as the group of features belong already to the Mid-Pacific Seamounts.	Complete
SCUFN28/63		Proposal for Huigong Spur is NOT ACCEPTED as the main part of the feature is considered being part of Allison Guyot.	Complete

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SCUFN28/64		As a consequence, proposal for [Echi] Seamount made at SCUFN27 is ACCEPTED with the specific term changed to Huigong.	Complete
SCUFN28/65		Proposal for Echi Seamount is ACCEPTED, with the generic term changed to Ridge.	Complete
SCUFN28/66		Proposal for Zhangbingxi Ridge is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/67		Proposal for Zhengtingfang Seamounts is ACCEPTED, with adjusted polygon around the two main summits, to be provided by S. Lin .	Complete
SCUFN28/68		Proposal for Gongzhen Knolls is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/69		Proposal for Suxun Knoll is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/70		Proposal for Sushi [Knoll] is ACCEPTED, with the generic term changed to Hill.	Complete
SCUFN28/71		Proposal for Suzhe Knoll is ACCEPTED	Complete
SCUFN28/72		For most of the CCUFN proposals, S. Lin to provide new wording for “associated features”, if any, as the justifications given in the proposals are usually unhelpful.	Complete. See SCUFN29-07.2A Annex A
SCUFN28/73		Proposal for Daxitong [Seamount] is ACCEPTED, with the generic term changed to Knoll, and S. Lin to provide a polygon redefined around the main feature.	Complete
SCUFN28/74		Proposal for Niaoluo [Knolls] is ACCEPTED, with the generic term changed to Hills, and S. Lin to provide a polygon reduced around the main hills.	Complete
SCUFN28/75		Proposal for Xunmei Knoll is NOT ACCEPTED, as considered as not significant enough being part of the Mid-Atlantic Ridge, and in the absence of information at small scale, providing a larger context view.	Complete
SCUFN28/76		Proposal for Chukochen Fracture Zone is kept as PENDING. Complementary information to be provided by S. Lin to assess specific and generic terms.	Complete. See SCUFN29-07.2B Annexes A & B
SCUFN28/77		Proposal for Wocan Ridge is NOT ACCEPTED, as this feature is part of the Carlsberg Ridge.	Complete
SCUFN28/78		Proposal for Chongya Ridge is kept as PENDING. Complementary information to be provided by S. Lin to assess the feature in the larger context of the Southwest Indian Ridge.	Complete. See SCUFN29-07.2B Annexes A & B

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SCUFN28/79		Proposal for Heming Ridge is NOT ACCEPTED. Proposer to be invited by S. Lin to consider making a new proposal for Gagua Ridge instead, as this feature is likely part of the Gagua Ridge	Complete. See SCUFN29-07.2A Annex A
SCUFN28/80		Proposal for Jinghao Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/81		Proposal for Tianbao Seamount is ACCEPTED.	Complete
SCUFN28/82		Proposal for Yang'e Ridge is ACCEPTED.	Complete
	4.9	From Sweden, Stockholm University	
SCUFN28/83		Proposal for Oden Trough is ACCEPTED.	Complete
	5	Liaison with Other Geographical Name Bodies	
	5.2	NZGB Undersea Names Committee, New Zealand	
SCUFN28/84		SCUFN Members approved the provision of already-charted feature names by NZGB and decided to use it as a test for an experimental fast-track procedure.	
SCUFN28/85		SCUFN review sub-group (V. Stagpoole, Y. Ohara W. Reynoso-Peralta, S. Lin) for already-charted feature names to provide comments on www.scufnreview.org by the end of Feb. 2016.	Complete
SCUFN28/86		<p>If, by the end of Feb. 2016, there is a single negative comment for an undersea feature name (UFN), this UFN must be considered at the next SCUFN plenary meeting (normal route).</p> <p>If no comment is received by the <u>leader</u> from a member of SCUFN review sub-group prior to the deadline, it means that there is no objection. The UFN is therefore considered as approved at the sub-group level ; after the deadline, the sub-group <u>leader</u> can task the SCUFN Sec. to add the feature, with a READY status, into the Gazetteer database (i.e with all Gazetteer database attributes!).</p> <p>Then, SCUFN Sec. presents a formal report with all approved-UFN to the next SCUFN meeting during the inter-session period. If no concern is raised at the SCUFN meeting, all of the UFN are moved to the ADOPTED status.</p>	
SCUFN28/87		SCUFN Members and Observers (such as ACUF) to provide V. Stagpoole and Sec. with their inputs/comments on Doc. SCUFN28-05.2C by the end of Dec. 2015.	Email from Lin, dated 28 Dec. 2015

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SCUFN28/88		SCUFN Members to make some additional research and provide the Sec. with their comments by March 2016 on the proposal made by V. Stagpoole for accepting the use of dual names separated by “/”.	Done. See SCUFN29-05.2B&05.2C. Decision to be made at SCUFN29
	6	Standardization of Undersea Feature Names: IHO-IOC Publication B-6	
SCUFN28/89		SCUFN, as well as the GEBCO Guiding Committee, support the S-100WG recommendations, and stands ready to provide expertise on feature cataloguing.	
SCUFN28/90		CA (K. Fadaie) in liaison with CN (Lin) and Yas Ohara , to prepare the ToR of an Undersea Feature Names Project Team (scope - incl. provision for Minor Feature Names - , main tasks, work items). ToR to be circulated to SCUFN Members by Dec. 2015 , then submitted to HSSC for further consideration and guidance.	Complete. See SCUFN29-06C
SCUFN28/91		Han supported by V. Stagpoole to consider the proposals made in Doc. SCUFN28-06C and report back at SCUFN-29 taking into account lessons learned from SCUFN-28 experimentation and resources available at Kigam.	
SCUFN28/92		Sec. to upload on the IHO website the English-Spanish and English-Chinese version of B-6, provided respectively by W. Reynoso Peralta and Lin , as well as the list or reserved-specific terms.	Complete
SCUFN28/93		Sec. to upload on the IHO website the list or reserved-specific terms and to consider the possibility of informing the national geographic boards.	Complete. IHO website updated
	8	Any other business	
	8.1	Open Discussion on the Promotion of SCUFN Activities (call for submissions, circular letter from parent organizations, publications, etc.)	
SCUFN28/94		V. Stagpoole, HW Schenke, Y. Ohara to prepare, by end of Feb. 2016 a paper on “new web tools help naming undersea feature”, to be published in EOS or other scientific publications, and a second one by May 2016 , for Hydro International.	Complete

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SCUFN28/95		Sec. to provide all SCUFN Members with their GEBCO Gazetteer Editors username and password so they can log in and assess the new proposed feature names in the general context.	<i>Post meeting:</i> On hold due to discussions with NOAA on the maintenance of Gazetteer
SCUFN28/96		Periodic status report on this list of decisions and actions, to be requested/distributed by the Secretary on 30 Dec. 2015 , 30 March 2016 , and 30 June 2016 .	Complete