# Actions arising from IRCC4

Singapore

7-9 June 2012

#### Minutes of IRCC4

- Denmark presented The ARHC report to IRCC4
- Minutes of the meeting are now available at the IHO web site.

http://www.iho.int/mtg\_docs/com\_wg/IRCC/I RCC4/IRCC4-Final Minutes.pdf

#### LIST OF ACTIONS

No	ACTION	RESP.	DEADLINE	STATUS
IRCC4/01	Encourage the approval of pending applications for IHO membership.	RHCs	Permanent. Report to IRCC Chair Dec 2012	Ongoing
IRCC4/02	Continue to engage pending applicants in their region to encourage the ratification of the IHO Convention.	EAtHC MBSHC	Permanent. Report to IRCC Chair Dec 2012	Ongoing
IRCC4/03	Continue to engage suspended Member States in their region to encourage their re-insertion in IHO.	EAtHC and MACHC	Permanent. Report to IRCC Chair Dec 2012	Ongoing
IRCC4/04	Nominate a representative to the IHR Editorial Board and report to the IHB.	EAHC, MBSHC, NHC and RSAHC	30 Dec 2012	

IRCC4/05	Create / introduce Region N in the IHO INT Chart Scheme	ARHC/IHB/ CSPCWG	Oct 2012	
IRCC4/06	Comply with the CBSC Procedures and ensure the timely provision of the appropriate documentation that justify expenses associated to CB projects, and to demand refund, if needed, not later than one month after the event has finalized.	RHC	Permanent	Ongoing
IRCC4/07	Invite GEBCO Guiding Committee / Bathymetric Regional Project Chairs to attend corresponding RHCs meetings, aiming at strengthening collaboration with a priority on improving high resolution shallow water bathymetry at the regional level.	RHCs/ GEBCO	Permanent	
IRCC4/08	<ul> <li>a) Circulate draft C-55 framework developed by Australia.</li> <li>b) RHCs to provide comments to Chair.</li> <li>c) Chair to provide final version to IHB</li> </ul>	a) Chair b) RHCs c) Chair	a) 15 June b) end June c) 15 July	
IRCC4/09	Consider amending Statutes of the RHCs in order to allow non-IHO MSs to host RHCs conferences, when and if applicable.	RHCs	As soon as applicable	

No	ACTION	RESP.	DEADLINE	STATUS
IRCC4/10	Compile the RHCs best practices to be uploaded to the IHO Web site	UK	Dec 2012	
IRCC4/11	Investigate mechanisms for raising external funds.	Chair/IHB	?	
IRCC4/12	Complete document identifying achievements prepared at the meeting, to be included in the report. Complete statistical information.	Canada All	2 weeks 2 weeks	(to be included in the meeting report)
IRCC4/13	Provide written feedback on Annexes B and C of WEND Principles (CONF.18/WP3) according to 18th IHC Decision 13	RHCs	?	
IRCC4/14	Provide revised Annexes B and C of WEND Principles (CONF.18/WP3) to the IHB for approval by MS	WEND WG	Dec 2012	
IRCC4/15	<ul> <li>a) Investigate, produce and provide the Chair with a draft straw paper highlighting ENC issues required to be reported to IMO and other high level organizations.</li> <li>b) Chair to circulate it to IRCC Members for comments.</li> <li>c) Provide this input to IHB for consideration.</li> </ul>	a) UK b) Chair /IRCC Members c) Chair	a) ? b) ? c) Sep 2012	

IRCC4/16	Review and propose amendments to the WEND WG ToR if necessary	WEND Chair	Dec 2012	
IRCC4/17	Circulate the paper "A Blueprint for Ocean and Coastal Sustainability" to RHCs to be used as a raising awareness tool.	Chair RHCs	As soon as practicable	
IRCC4/18	Provide the IRCC Chair with their report on the progress of the relevant tasks of the IHO 2012 Work Programme.	RHCs and IRCC subsidiary organs	by the end of Jan 2013	
IRCC4/19	Provide the IHB with the IRCC Annual Report for 2012	IRCC Chair	by the end of Feb 2013	
IRCC4/20	Review the relevant tasks of the IHO 2013 Work Programme in their respective work plans and report on suggested updates, if any, to the IRCC Chair	RHCs and IRCC subsidiary organs	by the end of Oct 2012	
IRCC4/21	Report suggested updates to the IHO 2013 Work Programme, if any, to the IHB	IRCC Chair	by the end of Nov 2012	
IRCC4/22	Request HSSC to task MSDIWG to develop an "introduction to MSDI" training course	IRCC Chair	Jun 2012	
IRCC4/23	Investigate the possibility to deliver a MSDI courses with IOC and/or other organizations	CBSC Chair	Oct 2012	
IRCC4/24	Report on the revision of the IHO CB Strategy	CBSC Chair	IRCC5 IRCC6	Final report to be submitted to 5th EIHC

#### Action 8 C-55

#### **User Requirements for C-55**

- 2.3 Discussion amongst the IRCC Members generally agreed that it was necessary that the information in C-55 could be used to support to following functions:
- a) Raise awareness of the status of hydrography,
- b) To assist with the targeting of hydrographic resources and hydrographic capacity building resources,
- c) To support regional harmonization and prioritization of hydrographic survey efforts,
- d) To engage with stakeholders as to where hydrographic information supported and did not support safe navigation,
- e) To assist hydrographic planning and reporting,
- f) To inform governments of the need for hydrographic efforts,
- g) As an input to the national survey planning process,
- h) To help convince coastal States of the need to focus on hydrography, and

## What goes in to C-55

- Information Component Requirements for C-55
- a) Chart and ENC Coverage, scale and survey quality information
- b) Survey data coverage and quality and estimate of resurvey requirement date
- c) General depth information
- d) Maritime Activities1; user needs information such as shipping routes, vessel
- draughts, port location, cargo types etc
- e) The availability of MSI information

#### Data for C-55

- CATZOC from ENC's
- Digitised info from Source diagrams
- Aditional data from HO's

 This document is offered by IRCC as an initial user requirement statement for the development of a new C-55 framework within the new IHO information system.