

<u>Invitation to the 3<sup>rd</sup> ARHC meeting in Tromsø Norway October 9-11, 2012.</u>

Hydrographic Office J.nr. Ref. larsh July 10, 2012

To: Hydrographers of Canada, Norway, Russian Federation, United States, Finland, Iceland and the International Hydrographic Bureau

Dear Colleagues,

It is my pleasure to invite you to the 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Arctic Regional Hydrographic Commission. The meeting will be hosted by Norway and take place in the Fram Centre in Tromsø Norway on October 9-11, 2012. Details of venue and logistics are attached in annex b.

The meeting will start on October 9, with an open session scientific forum, where regional experts will present topics related to arctic hydrography. The draft program for the scientific forum is attached in annex d.

The ordinary ARHC-meeting will take place on October 10 and 11, in accordance with the statutes of the ARHC. The draft agenda and program is attached in annex a. You are invited to propose additional agenda items, preferably no later than **August 25**, **2012**.

A registration form is attached in annex c. It is to be completed by each participant and forwarded **before August 25, 2012,** to Noralf Slotsvik (<u>noralf.slotsvik@kartverket.no</u>) with a copy to Commander Lars Hansen at <u>larsh@kms.dk</u>. Any fax to be sent to Noralf Slotsvik +47 51858701.

**Best Regards** 

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Chair of ARHC

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