



NIOHC12-02b

**12th NORTH INDIAN OCEAN  
HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSION MEETING**

**Colombo, Sri Lanka,  
20 – 23 March 2012**

**Draft Annotated Agenda ENC Workshop**

**1530-1700 Tuesday 20 March 2012**

**Chaired by UK**

A workshop of current and prospective ENC producing nations within the NIOHC region will report on status of ENC coverage within the region.

This is a technical workshop and requires participants with a technical background to attend to ensure maximum results.

**Workshop participants:**

- Australia
- Bangladesh
- Burma
- France
- India
- Indonesia
- Malaysia
- Oman
- Pakistan
- South Africa
- Thailand
- UK

**The purpose of the ENC workshop is to look at the current ENC coverage of the region and assess the following:**

1. Agreement of NIOHC region ENC scheme for Bands 3, 4, 5 and 6.
2. Reduction of overlaps within cells
3. Reduction of gaps in coverage within usage band 3
4. Analysis of coverage for emerging ports
5. EPNM's: their implications and outstanding items in NIOHC region. These will be sent individually to nations and if not resolved prior to meeting can be discussed here.
6. WEND-WG correspondence and feedback of coverage status to chair
7. Discussion on the adoption of HSSC proposal (Action HSSC1/24) for NIOHC Paper INT Charting coordinator to take on the NIOHC ENC coordinator role and rename as the North Indian Ocean International Charting Coordination Working Group (NIOICCWG)

**Proposed outcomes:**

1. Report to NIOHC Plenary
2. Report to WEND-WG Chair on status of ENC's within the NIOHC region for them to include in their report to IRCC4.

The UK has been able to provide the graphics in Annexes A and B to assist participants during the workshop.