

## **INTERNATIONAL HYDROGRAPHIC REVIEW – REPORT**

Mr Keith Brown of the Oman National Hydrographic Office is the RSA regional editor. He reports that no response was received after the Riyadh presentation to the request for papers. This is very disappointing and all attendees are requested to consider authoring a suitable paper for publication. It is a fact that the ROPME region is probably the most hydrographically dynamic area in the world. Sadly few in the wider hydrographic community are aware of this. A paper from this part of the world would be received with great interest and would also raise the profile of ROPME internationally. Anyone interested in writing an article is invited to contact Keith to discuss the subject and obtain more details and guidance. All attendees are also requested to kindly inform their office colleagues about this.

### **REMINDER**

1. The IHR is a publication produced by professionals for their fellow specialists in the Hydrographic Community.
2. Reading it allows readers to benefit from the knowledge and experience of industry and institutes of learning. In particular it allows readers to be aware of the latest technologies in what is a fast changing environment.
3. Reading back numbers also gives a unique and interesting history of hydrography and related subjects. This provides the opportunity to learn from other peoples' experience. This is particularly valuable for organisations still in the development stage, of which there are several in the ROPME sea area. Remember 'those who ignore history are condemned to repeat it'.