

Document Review Status Report

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SUMMARY

Executive Summary: This document provides a summary of the status of WWNWS documentation

Action to be taken: 2

Related documents: None

1. This document provides information on the status of all WWNWS guidance documentation considered under WWNWS Agenda Item 4:

- Resolution A.705(17), as amended, Promulgation of Maritime Safety Information - Endorsed by COMSAR 17 and approved at MSC 92 in 2013; issued as MSC.1/Circ.1287/Rev.1, effective 1 January 2015.
- Resolution A.706(17), as amended, World-Wide Navigational Warning Service - Endorsed by COMSAR 17 and approved at MSC 92 in 2013; issued as MSC.1/Circ.1288/Rev.1, effective 1 January 2015.
- Joint IMO/IHO/WMO Manual on Maritime Safety Information – Endorsed by NCSR 1 and be approved at MSC 94 in 2014, effective 1 January 2016.
- IHO Publication S-53 Manual on Maritime Safety Information - This publication is maintained in parallel with the Joint IMO/IHO/WMO Manual on Maritime Safety Information, approved by IHO Member States 10 March 2014, effective 1 January 2016.
- IMO International SafetyNET Manual - Issued as MSC.1/Circ.1364. Editorial review at DRWG 12, submitted to WWNWS 6. Propose endorsement at NCSR 3 and approval at MSC 96 in 2016, becoming effective on 1 Jan 2018.
- IMO NAVTEX Manual - Issued as MSC.1/Circ.1403. English and French editions issued, Spanish edition awaited. Entered into force on 1 January 2013. Editorial review at DRWG 13, submitted to WWNWS 7. Propose endorsement at NCSR 3 and approval at MSC 96 in 2017, becoming effective on 1 Jan 2018
- IMO Resolution A.664(16), Performance Standards for Enhanced Group Call Equipment (EGC) - Review completed in 2009, approved by COMSAR 14 in 2010, adopted by MSC87 in 2010 as Resolution MSC.306(87). Note: MSC.306(87) applies

to equipment fitted after 1 July 2012, A.664(16) applies to equipment fitted before 1 July 2012.

- IMO Guideline on operational procedures for the broadcast of maritime safety information concerning acts of piracy and counter-piracy operations - Approved by COMSAR 14 in 2010, adopted by MSC87 in 2010 as resolution MSC.305(87).
 - Terms of Reference for the WWNWS Sub-Committee - Adopted by IHO Member States in IHB CL 46/2009, up-dated and amended at WWNWS 6. Due for annual review at WWNWS 7.
 - IMO resolution on the IMO/WMO World-Wide Met-Ocean Information and Warning Service (WWMIWS) - A draft resolution was prepared by COMSAR 15 in March 2011, endorsed by MSC89 in May 2011 and adopted by Assembly 27 in November 2011. Editorial review at DRWG 13, submitted to WWNWS 7. Propose endorsement at NCSR 3 and approval at MSC 96 in 2017, becoming effective on 1 Jan 2018
 - Inmarsat SafetyNET Users' Handbook - This is an Inmarsat publication which is currently under revision.
2. The Sub-Committee is invited to note the information provided.