**15th MEETING OF THE IHO INTER-REGIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE**

**IHO-IRCC15**

**Tokyo, Japan, 12-14 June 2023**

**List of Actions, Decisions and Recommendations – Affecting CBSC**

**3. IRCC Highlights since IRCC14**

**3.1 IRCC Chair Report**

Action 1: Ask subordinate bodies to review the respective ROP and TOR based on Decision 9b of the Assembly on gender-inclusive language.

**6. Regional Hydrographic Commissions (RHCs)**

Decision 10: To take note of the importance of CB activities in the MBSHC and EAtHC regions and the need for additional funds to IHO CB funds.

Decision 11: To note the SWPHC Work Plan 2022-2023.

Decision 13: To note the importance of the need for IHO Capacity Building support within the MACHC region.

**7. Reports from IRCC Subordinate Bodies**

Decision 20: To approve the guidelines for the IHO eLearning Center

Action 2: Task CBSC to liaise with the RENCS and the IHO Secretariat to investigate which Member States are currently not contributing CATZOC data to the IHO Secretariat via the RENCS and to proceed with the proposed solution as given to IRCC11 (to populate C-55 Status of Survey for Safety of Navigation Purpose).

Action 3: Ask IHO Secretariat to issue a questionnaire on gender balance via Circular Letter every 3 years before the Assembly.

Recommendation 6: RHCs to ensure representation of their region in the CBSC and encourage other IHO Member States to join in the work of the CBSC.

Decision 21: To note the significant effort from CB Coordinators to assess the needs in the region, to identify national and regional projects that may contribute to the CBWP and to coordinate the support for countries in need.

Decision 22: To recognize the contribution of Republic of Korea, Nippon Foundation of Japan and the Canadian Hydrographic Service to the Capacity Building Activities of the IHO.

Action 4: Ask IHO Secretariat to issue a CL with the constitution of the ELC Steering Committee for the management of the eLearning Center inviting participation.

Action 5: IRCC to report to Council C-7 on the way ahead of the EWH project.

Decision 29: To endorse IHO C-17 version 3.0.

Decision 32: To take note of the IHO-EU Network Working Group review of the strategy and the way forward for the IENWG, and the proposal to connect the IENWG activities with other IRCC developments on extending CB funds.

**8. Strategic Issues of the IRCC**

**8.2 IRCC Strategy – Outcomes of Assembly 3**

Decision 41: To establish a scoping Team under the leadership of Dr. John Nyberg to investigate potential additional sources of funding and the Project Team’s objectives for the following presentation to C-7.