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Report to IRCC16

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Key Achievements

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- The collaboration and technical exchange within the NHC is very active and productive.
- To support IHO SP review work the Commission has discussed the matter and provided input to IRCC-16.
- The Member States of the Commission signed the MoU between NHC and the SEABED2030 project.





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Important Findings (RHC top 3 challenges)

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- Some technical challenges needs to be solved and additional resource allocations to be found in order to start S-101 and S-102 production.
- How to better serve Sub-ECDIS customers with reliable, affordable and easy to access digital navigational products?



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Lessons Learned

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- In NHC Member States, there have been actions related to a national coordination on S-100 implementation. It is important to report and learn from others about best practices.
- NHCs two expert groups are tasked to prioritize their work based on guidance from the Commission e.g. to address S-100 implementation in the region.



- Note the report of the Nordic Hydrographic Commission



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