



# SOUTH EAST PACIFIC REGIONAL HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSION (SEPRHC)

Report to IRCC16

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# Key Achievements

## XV South East Pacific Regional Hydrographic Commission Conference, Chile November 2023 (SEPRHC).

- -Report on the Activities carried out by the SEPRHC between the period 2020 -2023.
- Change of command from Perú to Chile
- Review and changes of statutes.
- Establishment of 24 cooperation agreement by member states.
- The invitation to “Instituto Hidrográfico de la Marina”. España





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# Important Findings (RHC top 3 challenges)

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- **S-100** : Generate Regional strategy for the implementation of the new S-100 standard and its derivatives, focused on financing, training and incorporation of new technologies.
- **GEBCO**: A coordinator is appointed, and it is agreed that member states will provide bathymetric data to the GEBCO-Seabed 2030 project.
- **CBSC**: Implement the 3-year capacity building plan for the region SEPRHC.
  - a) Migration to the OHI S-100 standard and its derived standards.
  - b) Data infrastructures, management, processing and quality control.
  - c) Use of new technologies in hydrographic surveys.



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# Lessons Learned

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- The close relationship between the members of our commission allows for permanent communication and exchange of information.
- This cooperation is critical in order to promote an understanding of hydrographic priorities, resulting in opportunities for collaboration and mutual assistance



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# Proposals

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- Taking note of the SEPRHC report.
- The CBSC is invited to take any action considered appropriate.