## 16th MEETING OF THE IHO INTER-REGIONAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE

## IHO-IRCC16

## Santa Cruz Island - Galapagos, Ecuador, 10-12 June 2024

**[\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_] HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSION**

**[\_\_\_\_\_\_] HC report to IRCC16**

**1. Chair**

**Chair:** [name], ([country]) from [month][year]

[name], ([country]) from [month][year]

 [name], ([country]) from [month][year]

**Vice-Chair:** [name], ([country]) from [month][year]

[name], ([country]) from [month][year]

[name], ([country]) from [month][year]

**2. Membership**

Members: [list of the members]

Associate member(s): [list of the associated member(s)]

Observers: [list of observers]

**3. Meetings:**

Following [RHC] meetings have taken place:

NNth Meeting – [city], [country] ([starting day] - [ending day] [month] [year])

PPth Meeting – [city], [country] ([starting day] - [ending day] [month] [year])

QQth Meeting – [city], [country] ([starting day] - [ending day] [month] [year])

RRth Meeting – [city], [country] ([starting day] - [ending day] [month] [year])

Next meeting: SSth [RHC] will take place [starting day] - [ending day] [month] [year] in [city], [country]

**4. Current [RHC] Working Groups:**

1. [name] WG (acronym)
2. [name] WG (acronym)
3. [name] WG (acronym)
4. [name] WG (acronym)

**5. Status of IRCC actions and recommendations to RHCs**

**a) Status of actions (relevant for the [\_\_\_RHC]):**

*IRCC15/nnn: action.*

[status].

 *IRCC15/nnn: action.*

[status].

Note: Action list is available from:

<https://iho.int/uploads/user/Inter-Regional%20Coordination/IRCC/IRCC15/IRCC15-12_Draft_List_of_Actions_Decisions_Recomendations_v2.pdf>

**b) Status of Recommendations to RHCs:**

*IRCC15/Recommendation 1 - review the ROP and TOR (Statutes) based on Decision 9b of the Assembly on gender-inclusive language.*

[status]

*IRCC15/nnn*

[status]

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**6. Agenda Items:**

Agenda item 1

[description].

Agenda item nnn

[description].

Note: agenda items to include, but not limited to, Marine Spatial Data Infrastructure (MSDI), Crowd-sourced Bathymetry (CSB), Satellite Derived Bathymetry (SDB), Worldwide ENC Database (WEND) matters, Capacity Building (CB), performance indicators (PI), engagement with stakeholders, use of SDB and risk assessment methodologies in uncharted or poorly charted areas in their respective regions as a way of developing survey priority areas as part of attracting donor funding, response to natural disasters, implementation of mechanisms that encourage the widest possible availability of all hydrographic and particularly bathymetric data, so as to support the sustainable development, management and governance of the marine environment (see A-1 Decision No 21), identification and recommendations on whatever actions may be required to incorporate the Statement of Shared Guiding Principles for Geospatial Information Management in the work programmes (see A-1 Decision No 22), etc.

**7. [RHC] cooperation with stakeholders (organizations, industry, etc.):**

[description]

**8. Difficulties encountered and challenges yet to be addressed**

a) Difficulties:

b) Challenges:

**9. Achievements and lessons learned:**

[Achievements and lessons learned].

**10. Conclusions:**

[conclusion].

**11. Actions required of IRCC:**

The IRCC is invited to:

a. endorse ……….

b. agree ………….

c. note …………...

et cetera.

[name]

[\_\_\_\_RHC] Chair