



**BALTIC SEA HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSION (BSHC)
BSHC SEAT FOR THE IHO COUNCIL**

References:

- A. [The Statues of the Baltic Sea Hydrographic Commission](#) - Annex A, *Procedure for The selection of Member States by the BSHC for the IHO Council*
- B. BSHC Circular Letter 3/2022 - *Baltic Sea Hydrographic Commission (BSHC) call for candidates for the IHO Council seat*
- C. Sweden Council nomination - *A letter from Sweden for candidacy for the IHO Council seat*

Dear Hydrographer,

1. The selection procedures for Member as representative of the IHO Council are laid down in The Baltic Sea Hydrographic Commission statues (see reference A).
2. Reference B invited eligible Member States to indicate if they wish to be considered as candidates for the selection of the IHO Council seat. Please find the letter attached.
3. By the given deadline, no other than Sweden has indicated to be a candidate for the IHO Council seat from BSHC (see Reference C). Please find letter of nomination of candidate by Sweden attached.
4. As a Chair of the BSHC, I'm happy to conclude that **Sweden will take possession of the BSHC seat in the IHO Council** for the becoming season 2023 - 2026.

Yours sincerely

Rainer Mustaniemi

Chair of the Baltic Sea Hydrographic Commission