





# **About IALA**

International Association of Marine Aids to Navigation and Lighthouse Authorities

#### **IALA Strategic Vision**



#### Goal 1

Marine Aids to Navigation are developed and harmonized through international cooperation and the provision of standards.

#### Goal 2

All coastal States have contributed to a sustainable and efficient global network of Marine Aids to Navigation through capacity building and the sharing of expertise.







That all coastal States can fulfil the obligations related to Marine Aids to Navigation placed upon them in SOLAS Chapter V; and

that all coastal States can claim conformance with relevant IALA Standards.



#### The Committees



The "Power House" of IALA

- AtoN Requirements and Management (ARM)
- Engineering and Sustainability (ENG)
- Vessel Traffic Services (VTS)
- e-Navigation (ENAV)



## IALA Standards – an integrated framework





S1010 ATON PLANNING AND SERVICE REQUIREMENT



**S1020** ATON DESIGN AND DELIVERY



\$1030 RADIONAVIGATION SERVICES



**\$1040** VESSEL TRAFFIC SERVICES



\$1050 TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION



S1060 DIGITAL COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES



S1070 INFORMATION SERVICES

#### IMSAS Audit Summary – October 2021



#### **Finding**

The State had not taken necessary measures to ensure the availability and maintenance of AtoN in the waters under the jurisdiction of the State. No assessment had been made on the requirement of AtoN based on volume of traffic and degree of risk (SOLAS 1974, regulation V/13; III Code, paragraph 47).

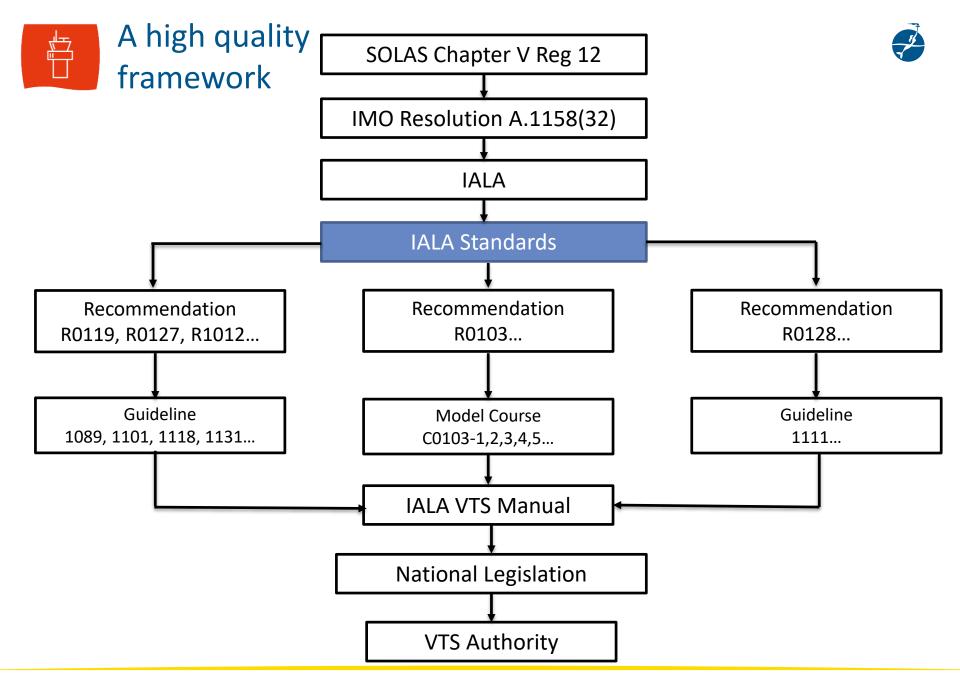
#### **Root cause**

There was a lack of financial resources and there was no clear responsibility assigned with regard to the establishment and maintenance of Aids to Navigation (AtoN) services.

#### **Corrective action**

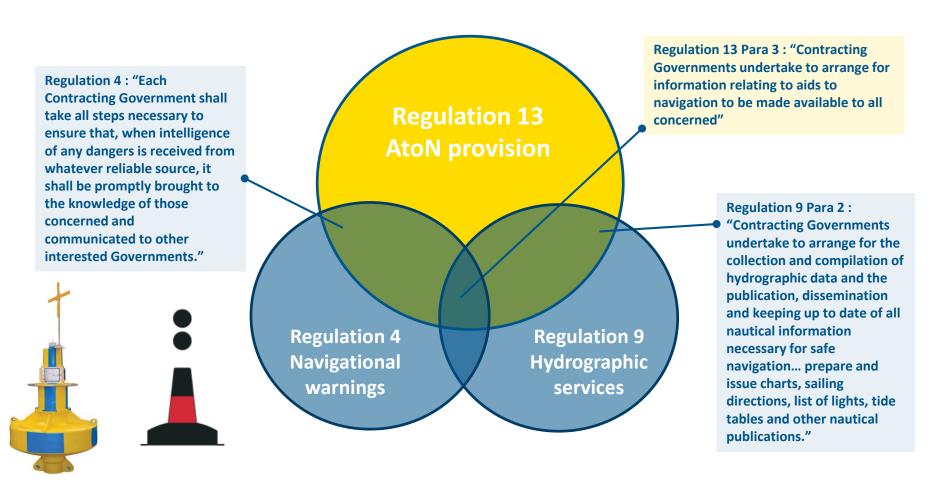
The responsible entity will implement the following actions:

- conduct a comprehensive risk assessment to determine the requirements for all AtoN;
- 2. based on the aforementioned assessment, install AtoN;
- 3. create a database to ensure the service and maintenance of AtoN; and
- 4. establish an AtoN maintenance fund to provide required financial resources.



## SOLAS V Regulation 13 – Links to Regulations 4 and 9





Regulation 13 is a key clause within SOLAS V relating to the provision of AtoN. Specific requirements of Regulation 13 also link to other regulations of Chapter V. Provision of an AtoN system under Regulation 13 should be considered **together with Regulations 4 and 9.** 





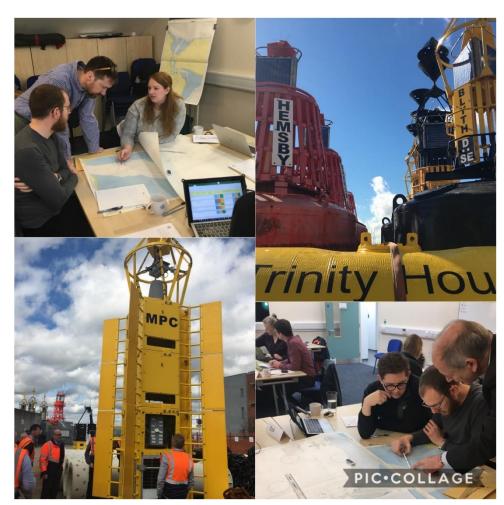
Training is available through a network of Accredited Training

Organisations.

35 ATO for VTS model courses in 22 countries

15 ATO for AtoN model courses in 14 countries

AtoN Management training available by distance learning

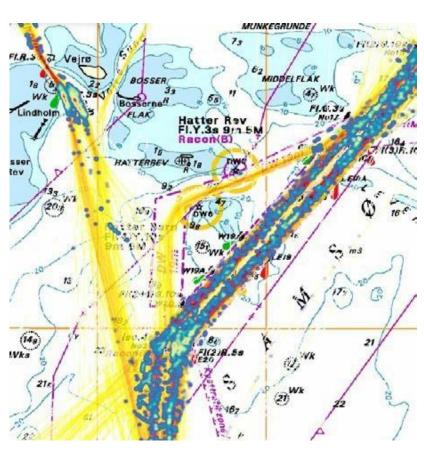




#### Risk management training

The IALA Risk Management Toolbox training is configured for online learning and adopts a new modular approach.

- Concepts of risk management
- Risk assessment using SIRA
- Risk assessment using IWRAP Mk2
- Advanced IWRAP MK2 modelling
- Conducting a PAWSA workshop

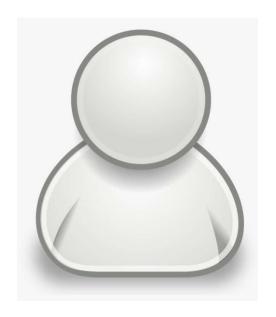


## The Academy is much more than the three of us









+ the secretariate and an army of consultants
Jacques, Jean-Luc, Sarah, Dawn, Roger, Colin, James, Colin ++

## Assisting coastal States worldwide





Technoical Cooperation
Visit
Risk Assessment,
AtoN planning,
AtoN Governance and
policy,







# Technical cooperation needs in EAtHC



Democratic Rep. of Congo: visit to IALA HQ, technical mission including Congo river

Guinea Bissau: technical mission

Cameroun: visit to IALA HQ, targeted mission to Kribi

Liberia: visit to IALA HQ, signed membership

Cote d'Ivoire: review of technical mission2023

Gambia: review of technical mission

GHANA, MOROCCO, SOUTH AFRICA: AtoN training



#### IALA YouTube: technical webinar, Academy News





**Mooring Components** 



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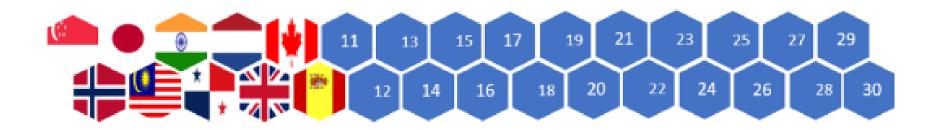
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RECALLING Article 15(j) of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization concerning the functions of the Assembly in relation to regulations and guidelines concerning maritime safety and the prevention and control of marine pollution from ships,

### **Transition to an Inter-Governmental Organization**



- Convention was signed by the French Government (depositary) on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2021
- Open for signature for 12 Months
- 51 signatures by now.
- Now 10 States have ratified the IALA Convention
- When 30 States have <u>ratified</u> the convention,
   IALA transforms into an <u>Inter-Governmental Organization</u>





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