

November 11, 2022.

MACHC Letter 25/2022

To: MACHC Members and Observers

Subject: **Revised Agenda for the 23rd Conference of the MACHC, Updated Minutes of the MACHC22, MACHC22 Revised List of Actions and List of IRCC Action and Recommendations for MACHC.**

References: a) Statutes of the MACHC;
b) MACHC Letter 18/2022 – Registration, Logistics Information, Provisional Agenda and National Reports to the 23rd Conference of the MACHC; and
c) MACHC Letter 08/2022 – Invitation to the 23rd Conference of the MACHC.

Dear Esteemed Colleagues,

I am pleased to announce that the United States has kindly offered the use of the Interactive virtual meeting platform in order for us to conduct the 23rd Conference of the MACHC in hybrid mode. This event will be managed mainly as an in-person event (agenda, timetable), but participation through VTC will remain possible for those unable to travel. This is a great opportunity for all Members and Observers to follow and participate in discussions on matters of interest to our Commission.

The Revised Agenda for the 23rd Conference of the MACHC, the updated Minutes of the MACHC22, the MACHC22 Revised List of Actions and the List of IRCC Action and Recommendations for MACHC are provided below.

1. MACHC23 Agenda Rev1

Please find attached a Revised Agenda based on comments received from Members and Observers to MACHC Letter 18/2022.

2. Final Minutes of the MACHC22

An updated copy of the final Minutes of the MACHC22 is also attached for your reference. They include the comments received and better distinguish between “Decisions” and “Actions” within the text.

3. MACHC22 Revised List of Actions

The attached MACHC22 List of Actions includes relevant citations and comments, where appropriate.

We ask Members to provide updates on remaining outstanding actions **by November 25, 2022**. This will allow time to incorporate your input and finalize the list for distributing a “clean” version in advance of MACHC23.

4. List of IRCC Action and Recommendations from IRCC14 for MACHC

A list of the most recent action and recommendations resulting from the last IRCC meeting for the MACHC is attached for information on what else we are expected to discuss at MACHC23.


Registration for the MACHC23 Conference is strongly encouraged and is now available via the IHO Online Registration website (<https://online.iho-khoa.kr/registration>).

Additionally, it is an imperative that you submit the National Reports, and any other reports/presentations, in advance so that they are available to all on the IHO MACHC website. This will also greatly help avoid last-minute challenges in queuing reports/presentations in a timely manner. Therefore, please submit these documents in advance to both Leonel.Manteigas@iho.int and obino@marinha.mil.br.

Please let me know if you have any further questions or concerns.

I look forward to seeing you all in Saint Louis !

Sincerely,


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Annexes:

A - MACHC23 Agenda Rev1

B - Final Minutes of MACHC22

C - MACHC22 Revised List of Actions

D - List of IRCC Action and Recommendations from IRCC14 for MACHC