



MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEAS HYDROGRAPHIC COMMISSION

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Subject: Risk mitigation for ensuring safety of navigation in waters under Libya's jurisdiction.

Reference: MBSHC IHO Disaster Response Framework (April 2022).

Dear colleagues,

We would like to draw your attention to the estimated navigation risks associated with the terrible flooding that occurred recently in Libya and some proposals to reduce them.

First, please note that after careful considerations, it has been decided not to activate the MBSHC Disaster Response Plan (Reference) since the conditions to do so are not met.

However, for risk mitigation, we are attaching two documents received from UKHO for your consideration and possible reaction. If you are able to provide any support in terms of what UKHO is looking for, you can contact Mr. Nick Rodwell directly (Nick.Rodwell@UKHO.gov.uk).

As Chair of the MBSHC I take this opportunity to thank Mr. Nick Rodwell from the United Kingdom Hydrographic Office for his involvement and the excellent and professional material provided by the UKHO.

Best regards,



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