



15th September 2021

To : Vice Admiral Agung Prasetiawan, incoming Chair of the North Indian Ocean Hydrographic Commission (NIOHC)

Subject : Handing over of NIOHC Chair

References : A. Article 4(d) of the Statues of NIOHC.
B. Item No 24 of draft Minutes of the Meeting of NIOHC 20.

Dear Sir,

1. As concluded during the NIOHC 20 and adhering to the Statues of NIOHC, I am pleased to hand over the responsibilities of the Chair, NIOHC and would like to inform that both List of Actions and Minutes of the Meeting pertaining to NIOHC 20 is now uploaded to NIOHC page of IHO website.
2. Further, kindly note that the nomination of Thailand has been accepted and Thailand will act as the Vice Chair for the period ahead.
3. It was indeed a pleasure to steer the NIOHC with you as the Vice Chair for past two years and your generous support was instrumental for the successful completion of NIOHC 20.
4. I congratulate for your new position as the Chair of the NIOHC and wish you all the very best for successful conduct of NIOHC 21.

Yours sincerely,

YN JAYARATHNA, RWP*, RSP, USP, ndu, psc
Rear Admiral
Chief of Staff & Chief Hydrographer of the Sri Lanka Navy
Out Going Chair, NIOHC