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NAUTICAL INFORMATION PROVISION WORKING GROUP

NIPWG Letter 1/2024

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NIPWG Members

NIPWG 11; Gdynia - Poland; 24th to 27th September 2024

Dear colleagues,

Please find this letter as your formal invitation to the **11**th **Meeting** of the Nautical Information Provision Working Group, which will be hosted by the Hydrographic Office of the Polish Navy (HOPN) in Gdynia, Poland, from **24**th **to 27**th **September 2022**.

The plan is to hold an in person only meeting at the venue of the HOPN in Gdynia. Neither online participation nor live streaming options will be possible.

All logistical information and the online registration link will be posted found on the NIPWG home page, as these become available, here: https://iho.int/en/nipwg11-2024.

The IHO Secretariat will open the NIPWG-11 registration through a new IHO on-line registration system, which needs to be tested in real conditions. This new one-line registration system is part of a more ambitious project, the IHO Portal, announced at the last Council meeting (<u>Action C7/42</u> refers). The IHO Secretariat plans to make a short demo on the new procedure at the NIPWG VTC01 meeting planned on 5 March 2024, while registration in NIPWG-11 should be open by the end of March.

Participants should make their registration **no later than 30 June 2024**. It is therefore requested that participants register as soon as they intend to participate but do not wait for the completion of their internal procedures for travel requests, invitation letters if needed in support of their visa requirements.

If you have any further questions, please contact Yves Guillam (yves.guillam@iho.int) CC'ing Eivind Mong (Chair) and James Weston (Secretary).

Best regards,

Eivind Mong, Chair, NIPWG