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**CIRCULAR LETTER 47/2024**

**20 December 2024**

**CUMULATIVE LIST OF IHO CIRCULAR LETTERS ISSUED IN 2024**

*(Including Finance Committee Circular Letters and  
Council Circular Letters)*

Dear Hydrographer,

1. Please find enclosed herewith the cumulative lists of the IHO Circular Letters (CL), Finance Committee Circular Letters (FCCL) and Council Circular Letters (CCL) sent out to IHO Member States during the year 2024.

2. IHO CLs <https://iho.int/en/circular-letters-2024>
3. IHO FCCLs <https://iho.int/en/finance-circular-letters-0>
4. IHO CCLs <https://iho.int/en/circular-letters-0>

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Annex A: List of IHO Circular Letters issued in 2024

Annex B: List of Finance Committee Circular Letters issued in 2024

Annex C: List of Council Circular Letters issued in 2024

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DATE	No.	TITLE	FILE No.
08 January	1	Theme for World Hydrography Day 2024 and media outreach	S1/1900/A
09 January	2	Adoption of Amendments to the Terms of Reference and Rules of Procedure of the Hydrographic Services and Standards Committee (HSSC)	S3/8151/HSSC
16 January	3	Call for applications for training under the IHO - Nippon Foundation Geospatial Marine Analysis and Cartography (GEOMAC) Project, UKHO, Taunton, UK	S3/4505-S1/3022
17 January	4	16 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Hydrographic Services and Standards Committee (HSSC-16), 27 – 31 May 2024, Tokyo, Japan.	S3/8151/HSSC
02 February	5	Master of Science Programme in Hydrographic Science at the University of Southern Mississippi (USA) Sponsored by the Republic of Korea – Selection of candidates (12 <sup>th</sup> Course, 11 August 2024 to 6 August 2025)	S1/3023 & CBSC-1
08 February	6	Call for the approval of the IHO Resolution on the Proposed <i>Ex Abyssis ad Alta – IHO Award for Hydrographic Excellence</i>	S1/1207 & S3/6000
09 February	7	22 <sup>nd</sup> meeting of the Capacity Building Sub-Committee (CBSC22) 5 to 7 June 2024, Santa Cruz Island - Galapagos, Ecuador and the 16 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the Inter-Regional Coordination Committee (IRCC16) 10 to 12 June 2024, Santa Cruz Island - Galapagos, Ecuador.	S3/0104 & CBSC
12 February	8	IHO-IAG Advisory Board on the Law of the Sea (ABL0S) - IHO Representatives.	S3/2630
12 February	9	Empowering Women in Hydrography - NOAA (USA) at Sea Experience - Call for applications.	S1/1900/A
13 February	10	FIG/IHO/ICA International Board on Standards of Competence for Hydrographic Surveyors and Nautical Cartographers (IBSC) - IHO Nomination.	AB-2
19 February	11	Empowering Women in Hydrography Project and Gender Balance in Hydrography, Shom (France) Hydrographic and Oceanographic Surveys and Hydrographic Training - Internship Selection.	CBSC-1 & S1/1900

DATE	No.	TITLE	FILE No.
21 February	12	IHO-IOC Nippon Foundation / GEBCO Training Project. Call for applications for 21st graduate certificate in Ocean Mapping.	S3/2620
23 February	13	Announcement of the selection of new Assistant Director at the IHO Secretariat.	S1/0502
28 February	14	IRCC Workshop on Crowdsourced Bathymetry (CSB) 26 April 2024, IHO Secretariat - Monaco, Hybrid Event.	S3/2649
29 February	15	Category "B" Hydrographic Survey Programme sponsored by the Republic of Korea - (17 June - 1 November 2024)- Selection of Candidates.	S1/3023 & CBSC-1
18 March	16	IHO Fund Generation Project Team - Nominations	S3/0106/FGPT
20 March	17	IHO - Nippon Foundation GEOMAC Project – Successful nomination of candidates for the 16th course.	S3/4505-S1/3022
25 March	18	Call for the approval of edition 5.2.0 of IHO Publication S-100 - IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model.	S3/8151/S-100
03 April	19	Adoption of the IHO Resolution - The Ex Abyssis ad Alta - IHO Award for hydrographic excellence.	S1/1207 & S3/6000
08 April Rev 1	20	IHO-IOC GEBCO Guiding Committee (GGC) - New IHO representative.	S3/2620
22 April	21	Ukraine's request for assistance.	S1/3074
23 April	22	Joint Canada - IHO Project Empowering Women in Hydrography - NOAA (USA) at-sea experience - internship selection.	CBSC-1
30 April	23	Empowering Women in Hydrography - IC ENC eLearning Creation - Call for applications.	CBSC-1 & S1/1900
21 May	24	100th New IHO Member State - Republic of Kiribati.	S1/4839 & S1/3106
27 May	25	Empowering Women in Hydrography Project - UK <i>Improving Gender Balance Fund</i> - Call for applications.	CBSC-1 & S1/1900
05 June	26	Publication of the Annual Report of the IHO for 2023	S1/1001
07 June Rev 1	27	Adoption of edition 5.2.0 of IHO Publication S-100 - <i>IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model</i> .	S3/8151/S-100
19 June	28	Increasing participation in activities of IHO bodies	S1/1001

21 June	29	The <i>Ex Abyssis ad Alta</i> – IHO Award for Hydrographic Excellence - 2024 Recipient.	S1/1900
25 July	30	Call for the approval of Edition 2.0.0 of S-66 – Facts about Electronic Charts and Carriage requirements, Edition 4.4.0 of S-57 Appendix B.1, Annex A – Use of the Object Catalogue for ENC and Edition 8.0.0 of S-58 – ENC Validation Checks.	S3/8151/ENCWG S3/8151/HSSC
26 July	31	FIG/IHO/ICA International Board on Standards of Competence for Hydrographic Surveyors and Nautical Cartographers (IBSC) - Update of the Standards.	AB-2
31 July	32	IHO Project Empowering Women in Hydrography IC-ENC eLearning Creation Selection.	CBSC-1 & S1/1900
07 August	33	Empowering Women in Hydrography - IBSC Internships - Call for nominations.	CBSC-1
11 September	34	Master of Science Programme in Hydrographic Science at the University of Southern Mississippi (USA) sponsored by the Republic of Korea. Call for Nominations (13th Course, August 2025 - August 2026).	S1/3023 & CBSC-1
01 October	35	Call for the approval of edition 6.2.0 of S-44 - IHO Standards for Hydrographic Surveys.	S3/7190
10 October	36	Empowering Women in Hydrography – IBSC Internships -Selection of candidates.	CBSC-1
17 October	37	Former President Rear Admiral Giuseppe Angrisano.	S1/0402
23 October	38	Invitation to participate in the Strategic Plan Review Working Group as established by the 8th Meeting of the IHO Council.	SPRWG
28 October	39	Call for Approval of S-100-Based Product Specifications Phase 1– S-101, S-102, S-104, S-111, S-129.	S3/8151/S-100
05 November	40	Adoption of IHO Publications: Edition 2.0.0 of S-66 – Facts about Electronic Charts and Carriage requirements, Edition 4.4.0 of S-57 Appendix B.1, Annex A – Use of the Object Catalogue for ENC and Edition 8.0.0 of S-58 – ENC Validation Checks.	S3/8151/ENCWG & S3/8151/HSSC
07 November	41	Composition of the Strategic Plan Review Working Group (SPRWG).	SPRWG
07 November	42	Call for candidates to join the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Project Team.	CBSC-1
12 November	43	World Hydrography Day- Report on Member States' activities in 2024 and the proposed theme for 2025.	S1/1900/A

13 November	44	Announcement of the new IHO Portal.	1/1006
11 December	45	Category "B" Nautical Cartography Programme Sponsored by the Republic of Korea (16 June 2025 - 31 October 2025). Call for Nominations.	S1/3023 & CBSC-1
13 December	46	Nominated candidates to join the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Project Team.	CBSC-1
20 December	47	Cumulative list of IHO Circular Letters issued in 2024	S1/1900/A

**LIST OF FINANCE COMMITTEE CIRCULAR LETTERS ISSUED IN 2024**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>FILE No.</b>
29 April	FCCL01	Finance Committee Officers' Hybrid Meeting – 26 April 2024.	FO/599/01
20 September	FCCL02	Submission of the Proposed Budget Estimate 2025 to the IHO Council.	FO/599/01

## LIST OF COUNCIL CIRCULAR LETTERS ISSUED IN 2024

<b>DATE</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>FILE No.</b>
05 April	CCL01	Announcement of the Eight Meeting of the IHO Council and Provisional Agenda	S1/6200/C-8
29 April	CCL02	IHO Annual Report for 2023 and Approval of the Finance Report for 2023.	S1/6200/C-8
12 June	CCL03	Call for comments on the Proposals to be considered at the 8 <sup>th</sup> meeting of the IHO Council (C-8).	S1/6200/C-8
16 August	CCL04	Practical arrangements for the 8 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the IHO Council.	S1/6200/C-8