Circular Letter 2026/13

10 August 2026

Subject: **INVITATION TO THE 5th SESSION OF THE IALA COUNCIL**

To: Council Members and Member States

Dear Members,

We are pleased to invite you to the 5th session of the IALA Council which will take place at the Guangdong Yingbin Hotel, Guangzhou, China from Monday 30 November to Friday 4 December 2026.

The Finance and Audit Group will meet on Monday 30 November. Attendance at the meeting is limited to the members of the Finance and Audit Group.

Input papers may be submitted by Member States no later than Wednesday 21 October 2026. Comments on these submitted papers will be accepted until Tuesday 10 November 2026.

Input papers will be available here: https://www.iala.int/meetings/05/

Registration must be made here (for in-person and online participants): https://www.iala.int/product/council05/ as well as on the attached form for social events, by 30 September 2026.

A provisional programme for the week is attached for information.

Request of invitation letters for visa purposes must be addressed to Luo Ziwen: hschc@nhhb.org.cn.

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