

Fwd: IACS and UDEF

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Dear Bill,

I refer to your e-mail dated 16 April related to submission MSC 95/21/6 by IACS on format for electronic exchange.

The submission refers to two documents:

- the "RO Code": Code for recognized organizations - resolution MSC.349(92);
- MSC 95/INF.13: IACS Recommendation No. 75 on the Format for Electronic Exchange and Standard Reports (copy attached for ease of reference).

The RO Code sets out the framework applicable to the organizations (classification societies) to which flag States delegate the statutory inspection and surveys of ships in accordance with international and national regulations.

The IACS submission addresses the adoption of a standard format for the electronic exchange of ship class and statutory data between IACS Member Societies and flag States.

As detailed in MSC 95/INF.13, the relevant data is specific and I do not see any disconnect or any significant risk of interference with the development of the Common Maritime Data Structure based on S-100.

The first version of IACS Recommendation No. 75 was published in 2001.

Thank you for keeping an eye out.

Best regards,

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