LIAISON NOTE TO THE   
INTERNATIONAL HYDROGRAPHIC ORGANISATION (IHO)

Coordination and collaboration in the development of MSPs

# INTRODUCTION

Over the last two years IHO and IALA have established several arenas and mechanisms for coordination and collaboration in the development of MSPs. With reference to IHO response reflected IHB File No S3/3103 of the 10th February, we share the view of IHO concerning the IMO proposed list of MSPs.

# DETAILS

A working group within IALA has been tasked to prepare a guideline on services for IALA members. The view of IHO regarding refining the MSPs will be included in our work. We are of the opinion that this guideline would benefit from input from IHO especially. This will be one of the subjects to be discussed during the upcoming workshop in Lisbon. In order to maximise the outcome IALA encourages all those service providers to take part especially IHO and WMO

We note with appreciation the planned participation and keynote speech by the IHO director.

We further note the invitation of IHO to participate actively in the development of S-124 and we encourage our members to do so.

# ACTION REQUESTED

The IHO is requested to note the information provided