

TRANSITION COUNCIL
3rd session



10-13 December 2024
Headquarters, France

15 –MEMBERSHIP

15.1 –Applications for membership

Note by the Secretariat

1. BACKGROUND

Since the June Council session, the Secretariat received **9** new applications for membership to be considered in the IGO and effective from 1st January 2025: **1** is for National Membership to be transferred to the IGO as Associate member, **7** are for Affiliate Industrial membership and **1** is for Affiliate membership. They are in the need of the Transition Council acceptance.

2. APPLYING ORGANIZATIONS AWAITING COUNCIL APPROVAL

2.1 For National membership in the Association to be transferred as Associate in the IGO

- **Libyan Ports & Maritime Transport Authority, Libya:** This organization has been showing interest last year. They would like to join IALA now while their country is taking the necessary steps to accede to the Convention. The application was received on 18 November.

2.2 For Affiliate Industrial Membership

- **Navtec S. A, Argentina:** this organization. This organization is a consulting company which provides support in VTS networks to Argentina Coast Guard. They work in close relations with some of the IALA Affiliate industrial members. The application was submitted on 9 September for an effect from 1st January 2025.J.
- **American Consulting Group S.A, Argentina:** This organization belongs to the same group of companies as above. It specializes in Marine Electronics and Aids to Navigation. The application was submitted on 3 December.
- **Aurora Control Inc, Canada:** This organization provides technologies systems to support the maritime domain. The application was submitted on 2 December.
- **Chengdu Dixin Technology Co., Ltd, People's Republic of China:** This organization manufactures a wide range of aids to navigation equipment such as integrated AIS, light devices, base stations, terminals. The application was submitted on 10 July and is awaiting China endorsement.
- **Whenzou Weixun Technology Co. Ltd., People's Republic of China:** This organization develops innovative technologies emphasizing on sustainability. The application was submitted on 6 December and is subjected to China endorsement.
- **SabetoFlex, Denmark.** This organization provides plumbing industries, solar collectors and solar cell suppliers, electricians with ready-made flashings and other technologies. They have

made a presentation last year at ENG and decided to formalize their interest. The application was received on 9 December.

- **Sea Marine Technology M.S, Venezuela:** This organization offers a wide range of products and services in bathymetry, marine cartography, navigation aids and aquatic signalling. The application was signed during a mission of the World-Wide Academy on 5 December.

2.3 For Affiliate Membership

- **Japan Ship Technology Research Association, Japan:** this organization was introduced by Japan Coast Guard. It is aiming to promote Research and Development of international regulations and standards by international organizations such as IMO, ISO and IEC, to ensure the safety of navigation and the preservation of the global environment in the maritime field. **A letter of recommendation was received from Japan Council on 22 November.**

THE COUNCIL IS INVITED TO

Endorse acceptance of all organizations listed above under **2**.