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| From: VTS Committee | VTS 42-12.1.8 |
| To: ENAV Committee and Joint WG VTS-ENAV | 05 August 2016 |

Liaison Note

**VTS Response to ENAV Papers on Roadmap**

# Introduction

VTS Committee welcomed the papers VTS42.3.4.1 Liaison Note Draft IALA e-Navigation road map, VTS42.3.4.2 ENAV A road map for 2016 and beyond, from ENAV and supports the proposal for a pan-IALA roadmap within the ENAV context. VTS Committee has looked at the eight High Level Themes which project timelines up to 2019 and has aligned these with the current Tasking being undertaken by VTS Committee during current 2014-2018 Work Programme

# Recognised tasks being undertaken by VTS (further tasks might be identified subsequent to VTS 42, and these will be forwarded to ENAV Committee by correspondence)

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| **VTS 2014 -2018 Task** | **VTS Task Description** | **Alignment with Themes on ENAV Roadmap Paper VTS42.3.4.2** | **Comment** |
| Task 1.1.4 | Produce a Guideline on Maritime Service Portfolios for VTS | Theme No. 3  (Develop MSPs for Vessel Traffic Services) | VTS task may apply partially to Bullet points 1&2 |
| Task 1.1.6 | Produce a Guideline on Measures to Evaluate the Effectiveness of a VTS | Theme No. 3  (Develop MSPs for Vessel Traffic Services) | VTS task may apply partially to Bullet points 2,6 &7 |
| Task 2.1.1 | Produce a Recommendation on Portrayal of VTS Information and Data | Theme No. 3  (Develop MSPs for Vessel Traffic Services) | VTS task partially applies to Bullet points 6 & 7 |
| Task 2.2.1 | Develop Guidance on the Technical Acceptance of a VTS System | Theme No 2  Scope IALA’s share in the MSPs domain | VTS task partially applies to Bullet Point 4 |
| Theme No 6  Develop a Maritime Digital Infrastructure | VTS task partially applies to Bullet Point 4 |
| Task 2.3.1 | Provide a Guideline on the Technical Interface between VTS systems and the systems of other Stakeholders | Theme No 2  Scope IALA’s share in the MSPs domain | VTS task partially applies to Bullet Point 4 |
| Theme No 6  Develop a Maritime Digital Infrastructure | VTS task partially applies to Bullet Point 4 |
| Task 3.3.1 | Develop guidance on human factors and Ergonomics in VTS | Theme No 3  Develop MSPs for Vessel Traffic Services | VTS task partially applies to Bullet Point 7 |
| N/A | N/A | Theme No 3  Develop MSPs for Vessel Traffic Services | Bullet Point 5 refers to the “concept of electronic manuals for VTS equipment”. The ENAV Committee is requested to clarify why there is a perceived need for electronic manuals for VTS equipment. |

# Action requested

1. ENAV Committee to consider observations of the VTS Committee,
2. Joint WG VTS-ENAV to discuss and ensure there is no duplication in the work programme of the IALA Committees.