Reference: ARM6-9.5.2 (ARM5-12.2.17)

# Purpose

This document should be used to submit proposals for additions, amendments or deletions of terms in the International Dictionary of Marine Aids to Navigation (Dictionary). Proposals will be considered by the Dictionary Working Group (DWG) of the IALA Policy Advisory Panel (PAP) and the Dictionary will be amended if the proposal(s) is approved.

# Proposed amendment of the Dictionary

Please use the following table to submit proposals for additions, amendments or deletions of terms in the Dictionary.

| **Term** | **Dictionary Number** | **Source**  **(meeting/**  **document/**  **person)** | **Old definition** | **Proposed definition** | **Reason for change** | **Proposal**  **Date** | **Accept/**  **Reject** |
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| Term example | 5 | ENG3 | Old definition | Proposed definition English:  Définition propose French:  Definición propuesta Spanish: | CIE | 2015-11-22 |  |
| Fog Signal |  | ARM5 | (Sound) Fog signal  A sound signal intended to warn or guide ships in low visibility. | (Sound) Fog Signal  An audible signal intended to warn or guide vessels in low visibility | As per IALA Guideline No. 1090 On The Use of Audible Signals Edition 1 December 2012 | 2016-10-27 |  |
| Audible Signal |  | ARM5 | New Definition | (Sound) Audible Signal  Audible signals may be used to augment buoys, both lighted and unlighted, to enhance their effectiveness to the mariner in reduced visibility. Audible signals on buoys are most often powered by the motion of the sea and include bells, gongs, and whistles. Buoys may also be fitted with electronic horns.  Audible signals on buoys should be used to warn mariners of a particular hazard, such as proximity to shoals, rocks or other hazards; or to alert the mariner to a change in navigational requirements, such as the entrance to a restricted channel. | Audible Signal not defined in dictionary. As per IALA Guideline No. 1090 On The Use of Audible Signals Edition 1 December 2012 | 2016-10-27 |  |
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