

IALA COUNCIL
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8 – STRATEGY AND POLICY

8.1 – Current Drivers and Trends

Note by the Secretariat

INTRODUCTION

At the Council meeting in December 2019 (C70) in New Caledonia the draft Strategy White Paper developed during C69 in Rotterdam was agreed and renamed “Current Drivers and Trends ED 1.1”. The document can be downloaded from the web site

<https://www.iala-aism.org/content/uploads/2020/04/Important-Drivers-and-Trends-ed1.1-Clean.pdf>

DISCUSSION

The Swedish councillor noted that the paper does not address environmental drivers and requested that IALA develops a position on environmental issues. It was agreed that the Secretariat should look into the matter.

The Secretariat suggests adding a new “trend” as number nine to the document:

High demand for sustainable and environmentally friendly operations and development

- Sustainability is a core area of interest for IALA members
- Marine Aids to Navigation services are expected to be provided in an environmentally responsible manner
- Activities need to be in line with and support the UN Sustainable Development Goals

The proposed changes are marked in track change in document C71 8.1.1.

THE COUNCIL IS REQUESTED TO

Approve the Current Drivers and Trends Ed 1.2.