

## IALA COUNCIL 79<sup>th</sup> session



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### 15 –MEMBERSHIP

#### *15.3 –Terminations and update on suspensions of membership*

Note by the Secretariat

#### 1. BACKGROUND

Since the last Council session and after the Secretariat had exhausted all efforts to have the outstanding contributions settled with no success, the following organizations are in position to have their membership terminated. The Council may also note that **three** members have reacted to their suspension and **one** to its termination by paying their dues. Therefore, their rights and membership were restored.

#### 2. TERMINATIONS OF MEMBERSHIP

- **Wenzhou Lighthouse Electronic, People's Republic of China (4CHIN13)**: this organization has been a member since. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Shanghai Spaceflight of TT&C., People's Republic of China (4CHIN15)**: this organization has been a member since 2018. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Maritime Atlantic Global SAS, Colombia (4COLO01)**: this organization has joined IALA in 2020. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Invelco SA, Spain (4ESPA11)**: this organization has joined IALA in 2020. They owe three years of contributions.
- **CV Sarana Samudra Raya, Indonesia (4INDO05)**: this organization has been a member since 2014. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Keira Surya Kencana, PT, Indonesia (4INDO10)**: this organization has been a member since 2019. They owe three years of contributions.
- **PT Lestari Marina Utama, Indonesia (4INDO12)**: this organization has been a member since 2020. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Offshore Maritime Subsea Advance Technologies Inc., Philippines (4PHIL04)**: this organization has been a member since 2020. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Geo System Research Corporation; Rep of Korea (4RCOR11)**: this organization became a member in 2020. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Keumha Naval Technology Co., Ltd, Rep of Korea (4RCOR14)**: this organization has been a member since 2017. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Anayurt Savunma San Ltd. Sti, Türkiye (4TURQ08)**: this organization has been a member since 2020. They owe three years of contributions.
- **Port of Melbourne Corporation, Australia (3AUST02)**: this organization has been a member since 1979. They owe three years of contributions.

- **Nigerian Marine coast Guard, Nigeria (3NIGE01):** this organization has not paid any contribution since they joined in 2020. They have informed IALA of their difficulty to pay due to corruption and political situation in the country.
- **Matlev Consulting, Morocco (3MARO03):** this organization has been a member since. They owe three years of contributions.

### 3. UPDATE ON SUSPENDED MEMBERSHIP

- **Office National de Signalisation Maritime, Algeria (1ALGE01).** This organization has been a member since 1963 and was suspended at Council 69. They remain silent. It is believed that when IALA becomes an IGO, this will facilitate the administrative payment process.
- **Direction Générale de la Marine Marchande, Rep of Congo (1RCON01).** This organization was suspended by Council 69. However, the Minister attended the Signing ceremony and signed the Convention on 26 January. They also attended the Conference in Rio but could not vote at the General Assembly. We were informed that they are preparing to ratify the Convention.
- **Fremantle Ports, Australia (3AUST06):** this organization has been a member since 2009 and was suspended by Council 77. However, due the payment of their whole debt, their rights were reinstated by the Secretary-General.
- **Instituto Nacional de Canalizaciones, Venezuela (3VENE01):** this organization has been a member since 1982. They owe five years of contributions. They have recently informed IALA of their difficulties to pay due to embargo. They are in the process to find a way to settle their dues and hope that the Council will take this situation into consideration.
- **Institute of High-Performance Computing, Singapore (3SING03):** this organization was suspended by Council 77. However, by 07 September, due the payment of their whole debt, their rights were reinstated by the Secretary-General. They finally merged with the member A\*STAR-I2R - Singapore (3SING02).
- **European Space Agency, (3ESA01):** this organization was suspended by Council 77. Further to the payment of their debt by 30 August, their rights were reinstated by the Secretary-General.
- **Electronics and Telecommunication Research Institute, Republic of Korea (3RCOR02):** this organization has reacted to its membership termination by Council 76. They have settled two years fees. The Secretary-General has decided to forgive one year and to restore their membership.

### THE COUNCIL IS INVITED TO

Decide on the terminations of the organizations listed under 2 and note the updates on suspension above under 3.