

IALA COUNCIL 79th session



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15 –MEMBERSHIP

15.1 –Applications for membership

Revised Note by the Secretariat

1. BACKGROUND

Since the last posting, the Secretariat received 6 new applications. Then total number of applications are **24**: **one** for National membership, **17** for Industrial membership and **6** for Associate membership. **17** were provisionally accepted and are now in the need of the Council endorsement. **7** are awaiting Council approval.

2. APPLYING ORGANIZATIONS PROVISIONALLY ACCEPTED

2.1 For National Membership

- **Ministry of Public Works and Transport, Cambodia (1CAMB01)**: Cambodia has been showing interest in IALA for many years now and they attended the Diplomatic Conference as Observer. The application was submitted on 19 July. They are now in the process to accede to the Convention.

2.2 For Industrial Membership

- **Adolpha Maritime Group, Bahamas, (4BAHA01)**: This organization supplies marine aids to navigation equipment. Their application was submitted on 03 June after they attended the Rio Conference. The fee for this year is paid.
- **Grupo Acquaplan, Brazil (4BRES06)**: this group of companies provide and develop a wide range of services and products in the maritime domain, especially to support oceanography area, coastal engineering works, with the aim to protect the environment. Their application was submitted on 10 August after they attended the Rio Conference. The fee for this year is paid.
- **Compañía Internacional de Integración Ci2 S.A, Colombia (4COLO02)**: this organization provides technological solutions for marine aids to navigation. The application was submitted on 19 October.
- **India Navigations Aids, India (4INDE09)**: This organization manufactures marine lanterns and buoys since 2004. The application was submitted on 12 May, but the provisional acceptance was proceeded on 12 June for additional information.
- **MSZ Offshore and Underwater Services LLP, India (4INDE10)**: As a provider of a wide range of aids to navigation products and offshore services. The application was submitted on 30 June.

- **AIVeNautics Corp., Republic of Korea(4RCOR20):** This newly established company is leading a project on Maritime Artificial Intelligence and Data Science with the aim to develop Maritime Messaging Service and Maritime Connectivity Platform. The application was submitted on 25 July and is endorsed by the national member. The fee for this year is paid.
- **TM One, TM Technology Services SDN BHD, Malaysia (4MALA03):** This organization is a national connectivity and digital infrastructure provider, as well as GMDSS and LRIT. Their application was submitted on 25 July. The fee is paid.
- **Integral Project IT, S. de R.L de C.V, Mexico (4MEXI03):** This organization provides technologies solutions and services for Marine Aids to Navigation. The application was submitted on 22 June. The fee is paid for this year.
- **Horizonte AS, Norway (4NORV11):** This organization develops software and system integration of Vessel Traffic Systems and River Information. The application was submitted on 01 August. The fee is paid.
- **National Polyethylene Company-NPC Marine Saudi Arabia (4ARAB03):** This organization is specialized in buoys manufacturing. The application was submitted on 03 October. The fee is paid.
- **NCS Pte. Ltd, Singapore (4SING06):** This organization provides technologies systems and services in the maritime domain. The application was submitted on 17 August.
- **PMS Polietilen Mamulleri San Tic. A.S, Türkiye (4TURQ05):** This organization was formerly a member from 2017 to 2019. Their membership was terminated for non-payment. The new management is willing to fully fill out their obligations as a member. The application was submitted on 02 August and the fee is paid for this year.
- **Carrocerias Mariara C.A, Venezuela (4VENE02):** This organization is a manufacturer of marine aids to navigation equipment. The application was submitted on 12 October.
- **WAMS, Brazil:** this company is a provider of innovative technology in the field of offshore surveying and subsea operations. The application received the support from the Brazilian Councilor.

2.3 For Associate Membership

- **Antwerp Maritime Academy, Belgium (3BELG04):** This organization is an established academy and research center within the Maritime Domain and intends to broaden their knowledge and training capacity towards the VTS & ATON-sector. The application was submitted on 21 August and the fee is paid for this year.
- **Johor Port Authority, Malaysia (3MALA04):** They provide full range of marine services for all vessel within the Pasir Gudang Port Limits in Malaysia. The application was submitted on 27 August. The fee is paid for this year.



3 Organizations awaiting Council approval:

3.1 For Industrial membership

- **Liaocheng Huazhong New Material Technology Co., Ltd, People's Republic of China:** This organization is specialized in navigation buoys manufacturing. The application was submitted on 06 November. Support is expected from China MSA.
- **PT Multiintegra, Indonesia:** This organization is focused on navigation inspection, lighthouse, and classification. The application form was submitted on 29 November.
- **Danphone A/S, Denmark:** This organization provides coastal radio solutions, Maritime Safety Information systems. They decided to join IALA after they attended the Workshop on Maritime Digital Communication in Tokyo. The application was submitted on 21 November.

3.2 For Associate Membership

- **Hydrographic and Oceanographic Service, Dominican Republic:** The application was submitted on 12 October during a mission of the World -Wide Academy Capacity Building and Resources Manager mission in the region and as a first step before they can join as a national member.
- **Mokpo National Maritime University, Republic of Korea:** This organization provides maritime education and training. The application was submitted on 17 November and has received the support from Korea Councilor.
- **Consortio de Gestion del Puerto de Bahia Blanca (CGPBB), Argentina:** This organization responsible for administration, maintenance, control of common areas. The application was submitted after the Latin-American Regional seminar hosted by Argentina and IALA in November in Buenos Aires.
- **PT Biro Biro Klasifikat, Indonesia:** This organization provides a wide range of aids to navigation products and services. They were however informed that Industrial membership category was most appropriate to their activity. The application was submitted on 29 November.

THE COUNCIL IS INVITED TO

Endorse acceptance of all organizations listed above under **2 and 3**.