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LIAISON NOTE

Proposal for a Joint Seminar/Workshop Regarding S-100 Production Specification Management and Voyage Plan Development

# INTRODUCTION

During drafting of a seminar/workshop proposal regarding the technical aspects of S-100/S-200 product specifications, it was realised that there was a need to expand the scope of the discussion(s) to include other Organizations, such as IMO. However, after further consideration, the group realized that a separate seminar, more generic and high-level, should be conducted in 2020 and be jointly organized with all the main domain coordinating bodies (IMO, IHO, WMO, IALA, IMPA, IMHA) with participation of a broader audience. In this connection, the observer from IMO indicated that IMO facilities in London could be used for the delivery of such a seminar/workshop.

The Group identified that such a seminar/workshop would provide an opportunity to:

* share experiences regarding the development and definition of data elements under S-100;
* to discuss the further development of technical services associated with maritime services;
* harmonize and organize developmental work currently in progress;
* and to develop a voyage plan for future product specification development.

# ACTION REQUESTED

The IALA Secretariat is requested to liaise with IMO and other domain coordinating bodies in order to discuss organizing such a joint seminar/workshop in 2020.