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Liaison Note

Comments on Updating of Recommendation O-104 – Off station signals for major floating aids

# Introduction

The EEP Committee thanks the ANM Committee for the opportunity to comment on papers ANM17/output/17 & ANM17/output/18, regarding off station signals for major floating aids, were provided to EEP18 for general review and comment.

# Comments

EEP has the following comments related to the review undertaken at EEP18:

1. Most authorities may find it impractical to display spherical daymarks on major floating aids, especially in remote locations. The introduction of new daymarks as an off station marker on major floating aids may create some confusion as it will not be practically possible to remove any existing daymarks, which would be necessary to prevent conflicting visual information to the mariner.
2. Use of vertically placed red lights has proved to be a practical application.
3. A track changes version of ANM17/output/18 is at EEP18/output/5A

# Action requested

The ANM Committee is requested to consider the comments provided and the track changes suggestions made in EEP18/output/6.