

Annotation to Agenda Item 4.1(d) AMSA I(A) AMSA Recommendation I(A) AOR Final Report Recommendation 3 USA Views on Specific Areas of Cooperation with IALA

Recommendations

The USA recommends that PAME I-2015 decide that the shipping expert group:

- is to initiate intersessional discussions with IALA to further flesh out the two areas of possible cooperation identified in the IALA paper entitled "Possible Cooperation Between PAME and IALA" submitted to PAME II-2014 and develop a draft project plan for consideration at PAME II-2015;
- is to reach out for input to the Joint WMO-IOC Technical Commission for Oceanography and Marine Meteorology (JCOMM) Expert Team on Sea Ice (ETSI) and the International Ice Charting Working Group (IICWG) on e-Navigation maritime services from shore as these groups are actively looking at the development and harmonization of electronic sea ice charts and associated Ice Objects Catalogue for input into navigational Electronic Chart Systems; and
- is to explore working with IALA on the development of a portfolio of Arctic or ice navigation AIS Application Specific Messages.