



**TRAFICOM**

**Agenda update 11.3.2020**  
**MWG21 meeting 24.3.2020**  
**Helsinki, Finland**

Dear BSHC MWG recipient!

In reference to the MWG21 meeting agenda, sent on 3.2.2020 I have received information from Member states participants.

There has also been travel restriction information from some Member states and more might come quickly, depending on the Corona (COVID-19) virus spreading.

Finnish Government will inform on the effects on Government activities tomorrow, on Thursday.

Would you consider participating a SKYPE meeting from your own office at the agreed date at 08:30 (CET) / 09:30 (EET). I would send the invitation and SKYPE link at Outlook invitation.

I will return with information latest on Friday 13.3.2020 morning.

Members, You may well send a substitute or have a wider participation, if you wish to broaden the participation in your Hydrographic Offices.

Registrants so far (11.3.2020):

DK: Jesper Vedel  
EE: Peeter Väling  
FI: Seppo Mäkinen  
SE: Anders Åkerberg, Hans Öiås

Information lacking:

GE: Cindy Niemeyer  
LV: Aigars Gailis, Bruno Spels  
RU: ?

Regrets:

LT: Emilis Tertelis, Mindaugas Zakarauskas  
PL: Witold Stasiak

**VENUE:** Finnish Transport and Communication Agency, Pasila office building  
(entrance: Opastinsilta 12 A 2<sup>nd</sup> floor reception, 00520 Helsinki)

We will pick you up at the reception at 08:25 (EET), A-staircase 2<sup>nd</sup> floor. Stairs from the indoor arcade or elevator up to 2<sup>nd</sup> floor at A staircase. The reception is common with VÄYLÄ (Finnish Transport Infrastructure Agency).

If we decide to have a SKYPE meeting, then we will have a short agenda, dealing with agenda items:

### Draft agenda

1. Opening of the meeting and agenda [Seppo]  
Chair and secretary;
2. Minutes of the MWG meeting 20 at Radisson Blu hotel, Gdansk [chair];
  - sent on 25.9.2019.
3. IHO S-44 HSPT S-44 ed 6 ver 1.8.0 [Hans Öiås, Anders Åkerberg];
  - Outcome of the HSPT5 meeting (2.-6.3.2020) in Stockholm
  - Nest version to be sent out as soon as available for and by HSPT members. Not to be circulated outside MWG group!;
  - Discussion on Member States comments to the HSPT work;
  - see also: <https://iho.int/en/hspt5> and the document HSPT5-5.
4. BSHC HELCOM re-survey plan and assessment report;
  - Chair will update the report material and send it on Wednesday 18.3.2020 (after HELCOM Maritime 19A meeting)
  - Excel sheet: **MWG\_HELCOM\_re\_survey\_assessment**, **figure estimates** to be filled and updated;
5. Report for BSHC25 meeting in Stockholm, Sweden on 23.-24.9.2020 [chair];
  - Report to be sent to BSHC25 about 1 month prior the meeting.
  - Excel sheet: **Re\_survey\_statistics** ... both **areas & time estimates** to be updated;
  - SE to fill in the BSHC-HELCOM Harmonized Re-Survey Scheme on Cat III areas and provide areas & time estimates.
  - current hydrographic activities members wish to report and discuss;
6. ~~BSHC22 task 14: Some samples of AIS statistical data from SMA [SE] is in waiting in order to analyze the SOLAS traffic in the South-East corner of the Baltic Sea. This to reason and give background to the importance of assigning HELCOM cat I and II areas and perform the hydrographic surveys.~~
  - ~~PL: windfarms, continue 2019 and 2020 safety of navigation surveys to cover the current scheme Cat I & II areas. Additional Cat II areas 2020.~~
  - ~~LT & PL & RU need to discuss the Cat I & II routes ending at each others border;~~
  - ~~A sample www.ais.lv also historical data (5 years), normal display of 10 days;~~
7. Chair of BSHC MWG (to be vacated latest at the end of 2020)
  - Proposals for the chair and vice-chair are welcome;
  - BSHC25 will decide on the MWG proposal on the chair, if proposed;

8. Other items to be discussed

- next meeting reservation in Sept 2020 back to back with BSHC25 (23.-24.9.2020) in Stockholm, Sweden. Proposal is on Tue 22.9.2020 early in the morning.
- If a meeting is needed with Re-Survey Scheme update with Cat III areas and MWG report to BSHC25, we could have a SKYPE meeting in early August, say during week 32 or latest on Mon/Tue on week 33 to finalize the MWG report document for approval at BSHC25.
- chart background presentations and permits from Member states to SE on HELCOM re-survey scheme portal;

The SKYPE meeting will cease at 11:00 CET / 12:00 EET for lunch and continue at 12:00 CET / 13:00 EET if needed.

Best Regards

senior expert Seppo Mäkinen

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