REPORT OF THE MEETING

ELEVENTH PROJECT CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE MEETING UNDER THE CO-OPERATIVE MECHANISM BETWEEN THE LITTORAL STATES AND USER STATES ON SAFETY OF NAVIGATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION IN THE STRAITS OF MALACCA AND SINGAPORE

GRAND HYATT HOTEL, SINGAPORE

27-28 SEPTEMBER 2018

1.0 OPENING OF THE MEETING

- 1.1 The eleventh meeting of the Project Co-ordination Committee (11th PCC), under the Co-operative Mechanism between the littoral States and user States on safety of navigation and environmental protection in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore was held on 27-28 September 2018 at Grand Hyatt Hotel, Singapore.
- 1.2 The 11th PCC was chaired by Capt. M. Segar, Assistant Chief Executive (Operations), Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore, and attended by representatives from the littoral States, the People's Republic of China, Japan, Asian Shipowners' Association, Malacca Strait Council (MSC) and The Nippon Foundation. The list of participants is attached at **Annex 1**.

2.0 ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

2.1 The 11th PCC considered the provisional agenda proposed in document PCC 11/2. The respective Project leads informed that the two proposed Technical Working Groups (on Project 10 and Project 11) would not be convened. In light of this, the 11th PCC agreed to remove the two agenda items on convening of the Technical Working Groups and on reports of said Technical Working Groups. The 11th PCC adopted the revised agenda as shown in **Annex 2**.

3.0 PROGRESS UPDATE ON STRAITS PROJECTS UNDER THE CO-OPERATIVE MECHANISM

- 3.1 Progress updates on the Straits Projects under the Co-operative Mechanism were given as follow:
 - 3.1.1 PCC 11/3/1: Straits Project 1 Removal of Wrecks in the Traffic Separation Scheme (TSS) in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (by Mr. Abdul Majid Rais, Principal Assistant Director, Marine Department, Malaysia)
 - (i) The 11th PCC noted the updates by Malaysia on Straits Project 1 on Removal of Wrecks in the TSS in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.

- (ii) The 11th PCC noted that Germany will be preparing and conducting a training workshop on MYWREMS in November 2018. Details of the workshop will be advised at a later date. Straits Project 1 will be completed after the conclusion of the aforementioned workshop.
- 3.1.2 PCC 11/3/2: Straits Project 5 Replacement and Maintenance of Aids to Navigation in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (by Mr Lalu Rano, Officer, Directorate of Navigation, Directorate General of Sea Transportation, Indonesia)
 - (i) The 11th PCC noted the updates by Indonesia on Straits Project 5 on the Replacement and Maintenance of Aids to Navigation on the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.
- 3.1.3 PCC 11/3/3: Straits Project 10 Study of the Blueprint for the Future Development of Safety of Navigation and Marine Environment Protection in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (by Mr. Nanditya Wardhana, Head of Section, Directorate General of Sea Transportation, Indonesia)
 - (i) The 11th PCC noted the updates by Indonesia on Straits Project 10 on Study of the Blueprint for the Future Development of Safety of Navigation and Marine Environment Protection in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.
 - (ii) Indonesia informed the meeting that Straits Project 10 can be considered concluded, given that the Study of the Blueprint has been completed.
 - (iii) Indonesia clarified that the Indicative List of Proposed Projects were general ideas and invited interested stakeholders to consider developing the proposed projects.
 - (iv) Malaysia also encouraged the littoral States to attend the 1st ASEAN-Japan Regional Meeting on the Guideline for Safety Measure with Ship's Routeing in ASEAN Region to be held from 5-7 December in Tokyo, Japan, as it appears to cover the same areas as the proposed projects on "Routeing System Rationalization" and "Joint Surveillance of Straits of Malacca and Singapore Routeing System".
- 3.1.4 PCC 11/3/4: Straits Project 11 Development of Guidelines on the Places of Refuge for Ships in Need of Assistance in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (by Mr. Mohd Fairoz Rozali, Senior Principal Assistant Director, Marine Department, Malaysia)
 - (i) The 11th PCC noted the updates by Malaysia on Straits Project 11 on the Development of Guidelines on the Places of Refuge for Ships in Need of Assistance in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.
 - (ii) Among the recommendations made, arising from the first workshop, the 11th PCC agreed to Malaysia's proposal of having the littoral States respond to a "Coastal State Fact Finding Questionnaire" instead of the original

- recommendation for an "IMO expert to visit Indonesia, Malaysia and Singapore" due to financial and time constraints. Malaysia also informed the 11th PCC of a second workshop funded by the IMO Malacca and Singapore Straits Trust Fund to be held in 2019. Malaysia also requested the littoral States to update their Focal Points.
- (iii) On the recommendation to develop the Guidelines on the Places of Refuge for ships in the SOMS, Singapore proposed holding such development in abeyance until after the IMO's Maritime Safety Committee's (MSC) 100th session had dealt with the submission from the European states on amending the IMO resolution A.949(23) on Guidelines on Places of Refuge for Ships in Need of Assistance. The 11th PCC further agreed that the responses to the proposed fact-finding questionnaire can also be submitted after the 100th session of MSC. Consequently, the window for submission of the "Questionnaire" was adjusted to January to March 2019. It was also agreed that the second workshop will be deferred, depending on the outcomes of the 100th session of the MSC.
- 3.1.5 PCC 11/3/5: Straits Project 12 Marine Oil Spill Monitoring System in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (by Mr. Mohd Fairoz Rozali, Senior Principal Assistant Director, Marine Department, Malaysia)
 - (i) The 11th PCC noted the updates by Malaysia on Straits Project 12 on Marine Oil Spill Monitoring System in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.
 - (ii) Malaysia reported that Straits Project 12 can be considered completed following the successful conclusion of the two workshops on marine oil spill risk assessment and monitoring from 18-24 March 2018 in Guangdong, China.
 - (iii) Malaysia proposed for the balance of US\$9,107 from the funds for Straits Project 12 be used to fund the Maritime Safety Administration (MSA) of the People's Republic of China's proposed capacity building activity "Workshop on the Maritime Smart Technology on Safety of Navigation and Marine Environment Protection in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore" to be convened in 2019. The 11th PCC agreed to the proposal and noted that Malaysia will safeguard the balance from Straits Project 12 in the meantime.
- 3.1.6 PCC 11/3/6: Straits Project 13 New Study for the Safety of Navigation in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore (by Mr Akira Ohmori, Malacca Strait Council (MSC))
 - (i) The 11th PCC noted the updates by MSC on Straits Project 13 on the New Study for the Safety of Navigation in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore. MSC informed that more simulation studies will be carried out. MSC further informed that the Project is expected to be concluded in 2019, and that they will be consulting the littoral States on the results of the simulation studies in due course.

4.0 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

4.1 The 11th PCC noted that no matters were raised under this agenda item.

5.0 CONSIDERATION AND ADOPTION OF THE REPORT

5.1 The 11th PCC considered and adopted the report of the meeting.

6.0 CLOSING REMARKS

- 6.1 On behalf of the three littoral States, the Chairman thanked all participants present for their cooperation in making the 11th PCC meeting a success. The Chairman highlighted that the continued commitment and cooperation of the littoral States, user States and stakeholders was essential for the enhancement of navigational safety and environmental protection in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.
- 6.2 The Chairman stated that Indonesia will host the 12th PCC meeting in 2019. The venue and date will be communicated in due course.
- 6.3 Indonesia and Malaysia thanked and expressed their appreciation to Singapore for hosting the meeting, for the arrangements and hospitality, and to Capt. M. Segar for chairing the meeting.

List of Annexes

Annex 1 List of participants

Annex 2 11th Project Co-ordination Committee Meeting Agenda

11th Project Co-ordination Committee (PCC)

Co-operative Mechanism on Safety of Navigation and Environmental Protection in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore

27 September – 28 September 2018 Grand Hyatt Singapore

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11TH MEETING OF THE PROJECT CO-ORDINATION COMMITTEE

Grand Hyatt Hotel, Singapore 28 September 2018

REVISED AGENDA

- 1 Opening Remarks
- 2 Adoption of the Agenda
- 3 Progress Update on Straits Projects under the Co-operative Mechanism
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 - 3.5 Straits Project 12: Marine Oil Spill Assessment and Monitoring System in the SOMS (By Mr Mohd Fairoz Rozali, Senior Principal Assistant Director, Marine Department, Malaysia)
 - 3.6 Straits Project 13: New Study for the Safety of Navigation in the SOMS (By Mr Akira Ohmori, Manager, Malacca Strait Council of Japan)
- 4 Any Other Business
- 5 Consideration and Adoption of the Report
- 6 Closing Remarks