

SafeSeaNet Workshop 21

Revision of the IFCD (v1.1)

Agenda item 21.3.2

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Introduction

HLSG 10 - Agrees to initiate a revision of the SafeSeaNet Interface and Functionalities Control Document (IFCD) to reflect:

➤ The changes that will be carried out to SSN due to the **implementation of the Reporting Formalities Directive**

➤ **Previous decisions of the HLSG**

➤ **Outcome of pilot projects**

- HLSG is tasked to approve the IFCD and any amendments
- Version 1 of the IFCD was approved by the HLSG 8 (Dec. 2012) following the submission of a proposed draft prepared by the SSN Group
- Any amendment to the IFCD should follow the same procedure

Scope of the amendment/adjustment

- a) **Exchange of Waste and Security information** (chapter 2.3): changes deriving from Directive 2010/65/EU
- b) **Inclusion of the “National Single Window”, “Waste” and “Security” roles** and their access rights (chapter 3.3 and 3.4): this is related to point (a) above
- c) **Management of information on exemptions** (chapters 2.3 and 5.2)
- d) **Inclusion of the streaming mechanism for data distribution** (chapter 2.5.2): this is an option for distributing SSN data (enriched AIS);
- e) **Use of reference databases** (chapter 5.2.3): following the developments of the Ship Database pilot project and the Hazmat Database project

Methodology and Plan

- EMSA coordinated the preparatory work by correspondence with the **SSN Group**
- Two drafts were distributed and the comments by SSN Group were incorporated. The time plan agreed was followed.

Date	Task	Resp.
3 Feb.	Distribute a first draft to the SSN group	EMSA
17 Feb.	Provide feedback to the first draft	SSN Group
24 Feb.	Prepare a second draft based on feedback from SSN group	EMSA
10 Mar.	Provide feedback on the second draft	SSN Group
17 Mar.	Prepare draft IFCD v1.1 for validation by the SSN Group	EMSA
8 May	SSN 21: validate the draft IFCD v1.1	SSN Group
28 May	Send draft IFCD v1.1 to HLSG	MOVE
23 Jun.	HLSG 11: approve IFCD v1.1	HLSG

Action required

- **The SSN Group is invited to validate the draft IFCD in Annex**
- **11th HLSG [23 June 2014 tbc] - Formal approval of the IFCD v1.1 to enter into force on 1 June 2015**