

## Meeting: 7<sup>th</sup> SSN / LRIT Group Meeting

**Place and date: Video conference, 24 June 2020**

**Agenda item: EMSWe databases – day 2**

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**Submitted by EMSA**

Summary	The objective of this document is to: - provide EMSA's answers to Member States' comments received during the meeting of 12 May and by correspondence; - present the updated technical specifications, standards and procedures for the EMSWe Ship Database, EMSWe Common Location Database and EMSWe Common Hazmat Database.
Action to be taken	As per paragraph 3.
Related documents	HLSG DMSS 3.d – Mandate for the EMSWe Databases Team: EMSWe Ship Database, Common Locations Database and Common Hazmat Database

## 1 Background

The EMSWe Regulation foresees that an EMSWe Ship Database (ESD), a Common Location Database (CLD) and a Common Hazmat Database (CHD) shall be established and be made available to the Maritime National Single Windows (MNSW) in order to facilitate ship reporting.

The Commission shall adopt implementing acts laying down the technical specifications, standards and processes for the setting up of each database with respect to collecting, storing, updating and provision of the ship identification information and particulars, records on ship reporting exemptions, location and port facilities codes and hazmat reference information.

At its 6th meeting on 20 January 2020, the HLSG agreed to entrust the SSN Group with specific tasks in relation to the provision of technical advice and expertise on the substance of the implementing regulations that the Commission intends to adopt in respect of provisions in articles 14 (ESD), 15 (CLD) and 16 (CHD) of the EMSWe Regulation.

EMSA had prepared the first drafts of the documents to specify the technical specifications, standards and procedures for each of the EMSWe databases and presented these documents during the 7th SSN / LRIT Group meeting held via video conference on 12 May 2020. Member States were invited to review the documents and provide their feedback.

## 2 Current Status

Member States provided their comments to the documents by correspondence and during the meeting on 12 May 2020.

All the comments received were analysed by EMSA and divided into 3 groups:

- Comments to the EMSWe Ship Database,
- Comments to the EMSWe Common Location Database,
- Comments to the EMSWe Common Hazmat Database.

All comments received and answers are provided in Annexes 1 to 3.

EMSA has updated the documents to reflect the comments received. They are provided in Annexes 4 to 9. All changes are marked.

### 3 Actions required

Member States are invited to take note of the above information, review the responses to the comments, review the updated documents and provide their feedback.

The work done by the SSN group on the EMSWe databases will be reported to the EMSWe expert subgroup for further consultation. The SSN group will also inform the HLSG on the progress made.

#### List of Annexes:

Annex 1: EMSA responses to comments and questions related to the EMSWe Ship Database

Annex 2: EMSA responses to comments and questions related to the EMSWe Common Location Database

Annex 3: EMSA responses to comments and questions related to the EMSWe Common Hazmat Database

Annex 4: EMSWe Ship Database – Technical specifications, standards and procedures

Annex 5: Data elements of the EMSWe Ship Database

Annex 6: EMSWe Common Location Database – Technical specifications, standards and procedures

Annex 7: Data elements of the EMSWe Common Location Database

Annex 8: EMSWe Common Hazmat Database – Technical specifications, standards and procedures

Annex 9: Data elements of the EMSWe Common Hazmat Database