



GENERAL ASSESSMENT OF CB TRAINING

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Background

1. Establishment of Hydrography in Kenya
 - Legal Framework
 - Operational Structure
 - Membership to IHO

2. Personal- Academic, Professional and work experience

Course Content & Delivery



- Training course undertaken
 - Marine Cartography, Hydrographic Data Processing and Specialism
Electronic Navigation Charts
- Duration and venue
- Course content
- Approach/Method of Delivery
- Evaluation-Knowledge gained

Continuity & Experience



- 1. Continuity- Deployment
 - Duties & Responsibilities
 - Facilitation
- 2. Experience-Technical
 - Administrative
- 3. Challenges-Operational structure-hindering growth
 - Limited facilitation due to competing resources & priorities-inexperience
 - Poor cooperation
 - Lack of awareness & Political interference

Conclusions



1. Organizational structure of the Hydrographic service in Kenya hampers the operation & coordination of Hydrographic activities
2. Status Quo-National responsibility & relevance of activities is challenged due to complete assistance in terms of production
3. Lack of awareness of Stakeholders has led to less emphasis in terms of resource allocation



Recommendations

- Staff exchange/attachment programme
- Enhanced engagement of IHO with the Government to create awareness at the National level
- IHO membership
- Establishment of the Hydrographic office as an independent state office to increase its visibility, resource allocation and capacity to coordinate hydrographic activities



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