


**SWaTHC- PROJECT SUMMARY SHEET and Prioritization for 2020**

Sponsor RHC	Year of Execution	Country/ Countries involved	Priority / Status	Project Name	Project Objective	Benefits	Assistance required	Total Cost	Allocation and Priority (to be filled by CBSC)	Contact Person
DHN Brazil	2020	Brazil and Bolivia.	Priority 1	Bolivia Technical Visit	To ensure SOLAS obligations related to MSI and Hydrographic Services are understood, and individuals recognize their responsibilities as well as how to get support to fulfill their hydrographic and MSI duties.	Increase Bolivian engagement within SWaTHC, especially with respect to its SOLAS obligations, with a possible establishment of an MSI National Coordinator position.	The CBSC fund contribution will cover travel and subsistence for one Commander or Captain, sent by DHN, to conduct the Visit.	€ 1.430		Capt. (Ret) LUIZ CLAUDIO Fonseca (DHN)
DHN Brazil	2020	Argentina, Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, Bolivia.	Priority 2	Seminar on Raising Awareness of Hydrography	To instruct countries in relation to how they should take the necessary steps to fulfill their hydrographic and MSI responsibilities, highlighting the benefits and opportunities available to SWaTHC associate members.	Participants will have a better understanding of the regulatory framework that supports hydrography and how this can be a benefit to the coastal state.	The CBSC fund contribution will cover travel and subsistence for 4 representatives (1 from each foreign country).	€ 4.370		Capt. (Ret) LUIZ CLAUDIO Fonseca (DHN)

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SHN Argentina	2020	Argentina, Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, Bolivia, as well as SEPRHC, and MACHC.	Priority 3	MSI Course	To improve the practical and theoretical skills developed by Latin American hydrographers to assess and disseminate significant navigation information for the maritime community in general.	Hydrographers with improve skills on MSI basic procedures in South American region, allowing the Hydrographic Services to develop better products related to safety of navigation in the maritime and waterways areas.	The CBSC fund contribution will cover travel, subsistence and local transportation for all foreign participants, including 1 instructor.	€ 11.720		Capt. Gustavo ALMAZAN (SHN)
DHN Brazil	2020	Argentina, Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, Bolivia, as well as SEPRHC, and MACHC.	Priority 4	Seabed Classification Workshop	To develop practical and theoretical activities to improve the capabilities of Latin American Hydrographic Offices on seabed classification.	Hydrographers with better technical qualification, in order to improve the nautical charts production and the maritime safety information.	The CBSC fund contribution will cover travel and subsistence for 10 students and 1 instructor.	€ 21.400		Capt. (Ret) LUIZ CLAUDIO Fonseca (DHN)

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SOHMA Uruguay	2020	Argentina, Brazil, Uruguay, Paraguay, Bolivia, as well as SEPRHC, and MACHC.	Priority 5	ENC Production and QA	To provide the participants an interactive training on IHO S-57 Electronic Navigational Chart (ENC) production using existing software tools at their organization, in order to increase the Latin American capability on Production of ENC.	Cartographers and hydrographers more qualified in the use of ENC tools, building a network of regional users prepared to support each other in solving common problems regarding the production of ENC, benefiting the final quality of the product.	The contribution from the CBSC fund will cover travel, subsistence and local transportation for 8 foreign students and 2 trainers.	€ 15.000		Cmdr. Niki SILVERA (SOHMA)

  
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