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Chair of the IHO Capacity Building Sub Committee

Subject: **RSAHC Capacity Building Projects**

Reference: IHO CBSC Procedure 1

**Dear Mr. DEHLING,**

During last ROPME Sea Area Hydrographic Commission (18-20 February 2019, Islamabad Pakistan), the Capacity Building Plan for years 2019 till 2021 was approved, this can be seen at Annex A. In the meanwhile NIOHC CB Coordinator had proposed some joint CB events between NIOHC and RSAHC which was accepted by us. These training courses are MSI training course and MSDI and database Managements for the year 2020. One of our first priorities was Technical Visit to Iran which was agreed after CBSC16, that's why we are submitting it once more as the extraordinary submission to CBSC17.

According to the CBSC procedures, I submit to IHO CBSC one project to be carried out during 2019, and two projects to be carried out during 2020 and 2021, which may be found at Annex B, with the accompanying PROC 4 forms for these projects at Annex C.

On behalf of the RSAHC member states, I take this opportunity to thank the IHO CBSC in advance for their support of this Regional Hydrographic Commission.

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**Chairman of the ROPME Sea Area Hydrographic Commission**

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Annexes:

- A) RSAHC Capacity Building Plan
- B) 3 ( Three) CB Projects
- C) 3 (Three) PROC 4 forms