

MSDIWG7, Action No. 04/2016, Agenda Item 2.6

Subject: *SDI RFI*

Actions: *Arctic SDI “request for information” document to be provided to all MSDIWG Members for comment.*

Dear Mr. Hartmann (Chair) and Mr. Pepper (Secretary),

I am writing to confirm that MSDIWG 7 Action No. 04/2016 was completed 26 FEB 2016 with clarification and correspondence from Trevor Taylor of the Open Geospatial Consortium (OGC) distributed to the participants of MSDIWG7 (attached to this letter's containing email).

This action referred to the OGC Arctic Spatial Data Pilot (SDP) which can be found at the following link: <http://www.opengeospatial.org/projects/initiatives/arcticsdp>

Among the entire list of contributors to this RFI (also attached) included two MSDIWG-participating Hydrographic Offices (HOs) from the United States: NGA Maritime Safety Office and NOAA Coast Survey. Both HOs offered web-accessible and publically available, open data to be used in the Arctic SDP.

According to the above website, the final demonstration meeting of the Arctic SDP is scheduled to take place on 15 MAR 2017. If a report is made publically available after the final demonstration, it can be provided to the MSDIWG for information.

Respectfully,

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