



26 – 27 June 2019

# SEMINAR ON THE REVISION OF IMO RESOLUTION A.857(20) GUIDELINES FOR VESSEL TRAFFIC SERVICES

IALA Headquarters, Saint-Germain-en-Laye, Paris, France

## SEMINAR PROGRAMME

DAY 1 – Wednesday, 26 June 2019

Time	Activity	
1000 – 1200	<b>Seminar Management Meeting (Event organisers only)</b>	
1100 – 1300	<b>Registration</b>	
1300 – 1430	<b>Session 1 – Opening and setting the scene</b>	<b>Chair: Monica Sundklev, VTS Committee Chair</b>
1300 – 1315	Welcome and opening address	Francis Zachariae, IALA Secretary-General
1315 – 1415	Setting the scene – experiences gained from the current Resolution	Competent Authorities and VTS Authorities
1415 – 1430	Question Time	
1430 – 1500	Coffee break / Group Photo	
1500 – 1700	<b>Session 2 – Presentations by key stakeholders</b>	<b>Chair: Monica Sundklev</b>
1500 – 1600	Expectations and best practices related to VTS	Invited key stakeholders
1600 – 1615	Question Time	
1615 – 1655	Status of the proposed revision to the Resolution	Trond Ski, VTS Committee WG1 Chair
1655 – 1700	Summary of day 1	Chair and IALA secretariat
1700	Close	
Evening event 1930 onwards	Cocktail Dînatoire Venue: Mercure Hotel Dress code: Smart Casual	



Time	Activity	
0900-1300	<b>Session 3 – Key areas and panel discussions</b> <b>(Including coffee break at a suitable time)</b>	<b>Chair: Monica Sundklev</b>
	A panel session with explanation on how to address the key issues identified in the submission (MSC99/20/3): <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Role of the Competent Authority/VTS Authority</li><li>• Changing traditional boundaries</li><li>• Recognition of IALA Standards</li><li>• Types of Service (Information Service, Traffic Organisation Service and Navigational Assistance Service)</li><li>• Result-oriented instructions</li><li>• VTS qualifications, training and certification</li><li>• VTS and future developments</li><li>• Administrative amendments</li></ul> Note: Each session will be followed by an open discussion.	Invited expert panel
1300-1430	<b>Lunch</b>	
1430-1530	Continue panel session	See above
1530-1600	<b>Coffee break</b>	
1600-1640	Seminar results, conclusions and next steps	Trond Ski, VTS Committee WG1 Chair
1640-1650	Closing remarks	Monica Sundklev, VTS Committee Chair
1650-1700	Closing the Seminar	Francis Zachariae, IALA Secretary-General