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To: Members and Observers of the IHO Southern African and Islands Hydrographic Commission (SAIHC) INT Chart Coordinating Work Group (ICCWG)

Subject: **REQUEST FOR NEW INT CHART NUMBERS IN REGION H**

The INHO have produced 8 INT charts covering Mauritius Waters in Region H and are requesting 3 additional national charts covering the area to be included into the INT chart series for the purpose of enhancing coverage for International Mariners. INT chart numbers previously allocated to IN charts consist of 5-digits due to limited availability of INT numbers for the region.

The table below provides details of the charts published in the INHO national series considered for allocation of new 4-digit INT numbers:

IN Chart No.	Chart Title	Chart Scale 1:	CHART LIMIT				Remarks
			South	North	West	East	
2529	Northern Islets of Mauritius	50,000	20°03.00'S	19°45.50'S	57°27.00'E	57°55.00'E	Published ENC coverage: IN42529N.
2530	Approaches to Grand Port	30,000	20°30.00'S	20°14.00'S	57°41.50'E	57°52.50'E	Published ENC coverage: IN52530A.
2531	Rodrigues Island	50,000	19°52.50'S	19°35.00'S	63°09.00'E	63°37.00'E	Published ENC coverage: IN42531R.

The following INT numbers are proposed for consideration by the ICCWG:

IN 2529: allocate INT number **7601**
IN 2530: allocate INT number **7602**
IN 2531: allocate INT number **7603**

The SAIHC ICCWG are invited to comment on the proposed allocation of INT numbers as requested by India and provide feedback by 15 February 2023. Should there be no objections or comments by the ICCWG, the charts will be included into the INT Chart Scheme upon final acceptance by the IHO and Chairman of the NCWG.

Yours sincerely,



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