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## Introduction

Public events are organized to inform and disseminate project objectives and results, as well as to involve relevant stakeholders.

The target groups will be first identified (citizens, technical experts, journalists, institutional stakeholders), and then each group will be addressed through dedicated communication tools, events such as meetings, ad-hoc seminars, conferences, focus groups, press releases.

The project logo, as well as a clear reference to the EU co-financing has to be used on agendas, list of participants, related publications, promotion materials and presentations. (Regulation (EU) No 1303/2013). During the events, the project visual material (poster, roll-up) is supposed to be placed in a readily visible place (e.g. the front of the meeting room).

Four public dissemination events are planned during the project, two in Italy (hosted by PP2 in Venice and PP6 in Bari) and two in Croatia (hosted by PP3 in Rijeka, and PP4 in Ploče). The final event will be held in Italy (hosted by PP1 in Ancona) with the aim to promote project results and raise awareness on intermodal services and traffic flows between the two shores of the Adriatic Sea.

This document concerns the third public dissemination event, held in Venice on the 27<sup>th</sup> of November 2018 within the framework of the Mediterranean AIS Expert Working Group.

# 1. 3<sup>rd</sup> Dissemination Event: context and results

As a follow-up to the 14th meeting of the Mediterranean AIS Expert Working Group (Rome, 6 December 2017), the Italian Coast Guard (ICG) invited EMSA and experts designated by the Countries involved in MAREΣ to a technical meeting.

Such meeting has been organised in Venice on the 27<sup>th</sup> of November within the framework of the Interreg CHARGE project. The North Adriatic Sea Port Authority is partner of CHARGE, whose main objective is to foster traffic flows and sustainable connectivity between Italian and Croatian ports.

The objectives of the meeting were to: introduce CHARGE to further relevant stakeholders; evaluate the progress achieved since the last session; discuss about the further challenges and perspectives of MAREΣ.

The meeting was attended by representatives of MAREΣ Members States: Malta, Croatia, Slovenia, Italy, Greece, Spain, Romania and Portugal as well as Montenegro as MAREΣ participant state. Representatives of Norway attended the meeting as observers and North Sea/Atlantic AIS Regional Servers. Representatives of Jordan, Morocco and Tunisia attended as beneficiaries in the SAFEMED IV project and Georgia and Ukraine as beneficiaries in the Black and Caspian Sea project (BCSEA). Representatives of Elman, the contractor who developed the Italian AIS network on behalf of the Italian Coast Guard have also attended the meeting.

During the meeting Captain Giuseppe AULICINO, Head of the Department VII - Information Technology, traffic monitoring systems and communications of the General Command of the Harbor-Coast Guard Authorities, intervened and highlighted the latest upgrades of the MAREΣ platform as well as the road map of the forthcoming developments.

Cap. Antonio Revedin, Strategic Planning and Development Director of the North Adriatic Sea Port Authority as the hosting body opened the meeting presenting the institutional greetings. He presented the CHARGE project (Interreg Italy-Croatia Programme) explaining how its scopes and objectives are currently being pursued in strong cooperation with the Italian Coast Guard with regards to the use and sharing of AIS data for the development of MoS services in the Adriatic area.

During the development of the pilot activity of the CHARGE project, the North Adriatic Sea Port Authority will take into great consideration the directions given by the Mediterranean AIS Expert Working Group, involved in the MAREΣ initiative, through the support of the technical team in the Italian Coast Guard.

On top of this, the meeting was carried out with the goal to achieve the following objectives:

- Update the group on initiatives conducted by EMSA or other EU bodies;
- Present the general activities and the progress achieved by MAREΣ and other regional AIS servers;
- Acquire information on the participant Countries' AIS network status;
- Discuss the 2nd phase of the pilot project on T-AIS data sharing between individual MAREΣ Member State(s) and Observer State(s);
- Discuss about technical issues related to the AIS data buffering affecting the quality of AIS data.

## 2. Agenda



### Annex 2 – Workshop Agenda Agenda: 15<sup>th</sup> Mediterranean AIS Expert Working Group meeting

NASPA premises, building 12, Committee Room – Venice, Italy, 27 November 2018

Tuesday, 27 November 2018

Time	Agenda Item	Speakers
<b>MAREX EWG meeting</b>		
09:00	Registration and coffee	
09:15	Greetings and Charge Project presentation	
09:30	<b>Agenda Item 1:</b> Opening of meeting and approval of agenda	EMSA/Italy
09:45	<b>Agenda Item 2:</b> Wrap up of previous meeting/approval of minutes	EMSA
10:00	<b>Agenda Item 3:</b> Follow – up actions of the previous meeting	EMSA
10:20	<b>Agenda Item 4:</b> MAREX network activity and monitoring	Italy
11:00	Coffee break	
11:20	<b>Agenda Item 5:</b> Status of AIS at the MAREX Member states	MAREX Member states
12:20	<b>Agenda Item 6:</b> Status of AIS at the MAREX Participants States and Observers States	MAREX Participant States / Observer States
13:00	Lunch break	
14:30	<b>Agenda Item 7:</b> Status and developments of other regional AIS servers	Norway
14:45	<b>Agenda Item 8:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Status of the SAFEMED and the Maritime Safety, Security and Environmental Protection in the Black and Caspian Sea Regions projects</li> <li>• Launching the 2<sup>nd</sup> phase of the pilot project on T-AIS sharing T-AIS data between individual MAREX Member, State(s) and Observer State(s)</li> </ul>	EMSA  MAREX Member States / Observer States
16:00	Coffee break	
16:20	<b>Agenda Item 9:</b> AIS data buffering	EMSA
16:30	<b>Agenda Item 10:</b> Any other business	All
17:00	End of meeting	

### 3. Pictures





## 4. Annexes

Annex 1. Detailed Workshop Report

Annex 2. PPT Presentation by NASPA. The use of AIS network to improve nautical accessibility