

**Meeting: ISO/TC8 (Ships and Marine Technology) Plenary, and**

**SC2 (Marine Environment Protection) WG2(Shipboard Garbage treatment) and WG3 (Oil skimmer)**

**Date: from 16 to 20 October, 2006**

**Venue: Germanischer Lloyd, Hamburg, Germany and**

**Federal Maritime and Hydrographic Agency (BSH), Hamburg, Germany**

**Participants: TC8: China, Denmark, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Republic of Korea, The Netherlands, Portugal, Sweden, The United Kingdom, The United States (14 members)**

**SC2WG2 and WG3: Germany, Japan, The United kingdom and The United States (7 members)**

**Participant from NMRI**

**Koichi Yoshida:** Director of Centre for International Cooperation



Photo-1 Appointment of K. Yoshida as TC8SC2 by TV8 Chairman Capt. C. Piersal



Photo-2 TC8 Assembly

**Major contribution**

Mr. Yoshida has been appointed as the Chairman of TC8/SC2 (Marine Environment Protection) (See photo-1). He reported the activities of SC2 as follows:

- Japan will submit a new work item proposal on ISO standard for Green House Gases (GHG) emission indexing from ships.
- SC2 made progress on ISO CD 21072-1: Oil skimmer static test and ISO CD 21072-2: Oil skimmer dynamic test; these go to DIS ballot stage.
- Comments to ISO CD 21072-3 Oil skimmers for high viscosity oil were resolved, and the text for DIS will be prepared by the SC2 secretary for DIS ballot.
- Comments to ISO CD 21070 Guide for garbage treatment onboard ships were resolved, and the text for DIS will be prepared by the project leader and the SC2 secretary for DIS to be decided at the next SC2 plenary.
- ISO 16565: Terminology of oil skimmer is under review.
- SC2 will keep the close liaison with IMO MEPC (Marine Environment Protection Committee) and keep providing necessary and relevant ISO standards for implementation of IMO mandatory instruments, such as SOx onboard water-wash system and standards relating ship recycle.

Yoshida presented TC8/SC2/WG2 (Shipboard garbage treatment) and WG3 (Oil skimmers).

- WG2 considered the comments to ISO CD 21070 Guide for garbage treatment onboard ships and resolved them. The project leader (Germany) and the SC2 secretary (US) will prepare the DIS text, which will be decided at the next SC2 plenary.
- WG3 considered the comments to CD 21072-3 Oil skimmers for high viscosity oil and resolved them. The SC2 secretary will prepare the text for DIS ballot.
- WG3 started review on ISO 16165. Comments from members to the review were considered. CD text will be prepared by the SC2 secretary for CD ballot.

**Major outcome**

TC8 plenary approved the reports from the Sub-Committees, Liaison officers and of IMO activities. TC8 agreed to continue the close liaison with IMO, and keep providing necessary and relevant ISO standards for implementing IMO mandatory instruments such as SOLAS and MARPOL Conventions. TC8 established new SC12 for Large Yacht (over 24 m in length) with the chairman and secretary from Italy.

TC8 appointed new SC2 chairman Mr. Yoshida, SC8 Chairman Prof. Kim and SC11 Chairman Prof. Lee. The TC8 Chairman Captain C. Piersal gave the letter of appointment to the new chairmen.

**Next meeting**

TC8 Chairman's Advisory Group will meet in Sao-Paulo, Brazil in June 2007.

TC8/SC2 will meet in Cyprus in May or June 2007.