



SUB-COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS OF
TRAINING AND WATCHKEEPING
35th session
Agenda item 2

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DECISIONS OF OTHER IMO BODIES

Decisions of A 23 and C/ES.22

Note by the Secretariat

SUMMARY

<i>Executive summary:</i>	This document contains the decisions of the twenty-third session of the Assembly and the twenty-second extraordinary session of the Council which are of relevance to the Sub-Committee
<i>Action to be taken:</i>	Paragraph 5
<i>Related documents:</i>	A 23/5(b)/2 and C/ES.22/D

1 The Council held its twenty-second extraordinary session on 21 November 2003 and the Assembly held its twenty-third session from 24 November to 5 December 2003. The decisions of relevance to the work of the Sub-Committee are given in the following paragraphs.

Implementation of the STCW Convention

2 The Assembly noted the efforts made towards achieving a wide and effective implementation of the revised STCW Convention, in particular, the confirmation of STCW Parties found to be giving 'full and complete effect' to the provisions of the Convention and their inclusion in the so-called "white list", which by the conclusion of MSC 77, consisted of 111 STCW Parties and one Associate Member.

Resolutions adopted

3 The Assembly adopted the following resolutions related to the work of the Sub-Committee:

- .1 Recommendation on Training and Certification and operational procedures for maritime pilots other than deep-sea pilots;
- .2 Amendments to the Principles of Safe manning; and
- .3 Human element vision, principles and goals of the Organization.

Reports of meetings of sub-committees

4 The Council agreed that, until further notice, sub-committees should produce an approved final summary of decisions to enable the Committee(s) to take action as may be requested at the first opportunity after a sub-committee's session, as done by SLF 46 and DSC 8.

Action requested of the Sub-Committee

5 The Sub-Committee is invited to note the above information and decide accordingly.
