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Selection of the IALA Heritage Lighthouse of the Year

INTRODUCTION

The Heritage Lighthouse of the Year was established to celebrate the World Marine Aids to Navigation Day in 2019. Cordouan Lighthouse of France was selected as the inaugural recipient of the accolade of Heritage Lighthouse of The Year 2019 by the ENG Committee following detailed consideration.

DISCUSSION

At the tenth session of the ENG Committee, it was agreed that nominations should now be open for future years' IALA Heritage Lighthouse of the Year award.

In a review of the process, the ENG Committee agreed that the nominations will be considered at the spring ENG Committee meetings (usually in April). For 2020, all nominations received as of 28th February (however long ago received) would be considered and that a request should be then made to IALA Council for it to make a formal determination of the selected Heritage Lighthouse of the Year each on an annual basis at its June Council Meeting.

To assist the IALA Council in making its decision, the ENG Committee propose to narrow the nominations to three in each year and provide the IALA Council with these nominations together with its recommendation for Heritage Lighthouse of the Year.

THE COUNCIL IS REQUESTED TO

1. Consider the new selection process; and
2. If appropriate, select the IALA Heritage Lighthouse of the Year in the future.