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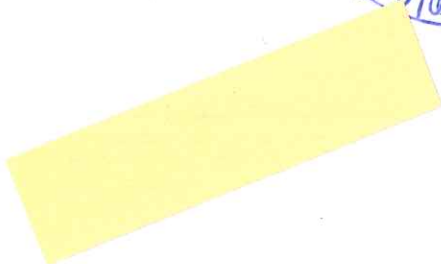
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Online Course on Maritime Regulation & Enforcement 17 -21, June 2024

1. This has reference to the Note No: MSs.2024.178 dated on 23.05.2024 received from the Secretariat of the Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA) regarding the above. (Annex - I)
2. The IORA Secretariat has invited the participants of Member States at the online course on Maritime Regulation & Enforcement, hosted by the Australian National Centre for Ocean Resources and Security (ANCROS), University of Wollongong, Australia.
3. Please see enclosed documents of Concept note, agenda (Annex 2 3) and the meeting link to be circulated to nominees in due course.
4. Appreciate if you could provide your inputs/feedback of the Concept note while sending us nominations of the relevant officials in order to participate in the course.


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Annex - 1

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The Secretariat of the Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA) presents its compliments to IORA Member States and has the honour to refer to activity 30 of the enclosed workplan of the Working Group on Maritime Safety and Security (WGMSS)– 'Identify existing training programs and develop IORA Training and capacity building programs based on the needs of MSS'.

In this line, the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Commonwealth of Australia has decided to host an online course on Maritime Regulation and Enforcement, scheduled to be held from 17-21 June 2024, as per details below:

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Event name	Online Course on Maritime Regulation and Enforcement online course
Date	17-21 June
Venue	Online, meeting link to be circulated to nominees.
Host and Partners	Australian National Centre for Ocean Resources and Security (ANCORS), University of Wollongong, Australia
Suitable participants	Maritime Security enforcement officers. We encourage nomination of both male and female officers.

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Aims	The maritime regulation and enforcement course aims provide on core maritime security issues in accordance with international law including the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea and a tabletop exercise to apply international law in the Indian Ocean region.
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The concept paper for the online course is enclosed for your inputs/feedback by 31st May 2024 to Angelica.casado@dfat.gov.au with CC to Teelotma.ghoorah@iora.int, noting that no input/feedback would mean concurrence.

The Secretariat of the Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA) avails itself of this opportunity to renew to IORA Member States the assurances of its highest consideration.

Mauritius, 23 May 2024

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