

International Association of Marine Aids to Navigation and Lighthouse Authorities

High-level conference on Inland Water Transport



The Maritime Buoyage Agreement

IALA A and IALA B

During the IALA conference in November 1980 two navigation marking systems, ie the System A (red color for the left hand of the ship) and the System B (red color for the right hand of the ship), were combined into one - the IALA System.

UNECE Resolution No. 1 of 28 August 1957 on Standardization of Signaling Systems on Inland Waterways, amended in 1982 (SIGNI) and 2010 to take the IALA Buoyage Agreement into account.



The Committees

The "Power House" of IALA

- AtoN Requirements and Management (ARM)
- Engineering and Sustainability (ENG)
- Vessel Traffic Services (VTS)
- e-Navigation (ENAV)





Shore services and connectivity

Communications, harmonised data models, positioning





Vessel Traffic Service (VTS)

Operational safety and efficiency benefits from eNavigation development

IALA Recommendation V-120 of June 2001 (2013) and UNECE, ITC Resolution No. 58 OCT 2004





IWT and autonomous ships

Legal and operational challenges and opportunities for shore authorities





QUESTIONS?

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