

ANNEX 3

**ROAD MAP FOR THE COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW
OF THE STCW CONVENTION AND CODE**

Session	Action
REVIEW STAGE	
HTW 10 (February 2024)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Finalize preliminary list of specific areas identified for review. – Finalize road map for the comprehensive review of the STCW Convention and Code. – Agreeing and finalizing a methodology for proposing and considering amendments for review to the STCW Convention and Code. – Invite proposals for review of the STCW Convention and Code to ISWG-STCW 1, subject to MSC 108's approval of areas identified and methodology for the comprehensive review, as applicable. – Consideration of the option to convening an ISWG and agree to ToR. – Report of HTW 10 to MSC 108.
MSC 108 (May 2024)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Approval of preliminary list of specific areas identified for review. – Approval of a road map for the comprehensive review of the STCW Convention and Code. – Approval of methodology for the Comprehensive review of the STCW Convention and Code. – Approval of the convening of ISWG-STCW 1.
Council 132 (summer 2024)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Endorsement of the convening of ISWG-STCW 1.
ISWG-STCW 1 (2024-2025)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Consideration of phase 1 (proposals for the review stage). – Development of a list of identified gaps based on proposals received. – Revise road map if necessary. – Report of ISWG-STCW 1 to HTW 11.

Session	Action
HTW 11 (spring 2025)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Consideration of the report of the ISWG-STCW 1. – Consideration of phase 1 (proposals for the review stage). – Finalization of a list of identified gaps based on proposals received. – Examine prioritization, if necessary/if applicable. – Finalize the methodology for the revision. – Invite proposals for revision of the STCW Convention and Code. – Consideration of the convening of an intersessional working group and agree to its ToR for ISWG-STCW 2. – Revise road map if necessary. – Report of HTW 11 to MSC 110.
MSC 110 (summer 2025)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Approval of the convening of ISWG-STCW 2.
Council (summer 2025)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Endorsement of the convening of ISWG-STCW 2.
REVISION STAGE	
ISWG-STCW 2 (2025-2026)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Consideration of phase 2 (proposals for the revision stage). – Revise road map if necessary. – Report of ISWG-STCW 2 to HTW 12.
HTW 12 (spring 2026)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Consideration of the report of the ISWG-STCW 2. – Preparation of draft text of amendments. – Consideration of the convening of an intersessional working group and agree to ToR for ISWG-STCW 3. – Consideration of the type of meeting to adopt amendments of the STCW Convention and Code for advice to MSC 111. – Consideration of the development or revision of the model courses. – Revise road map if necessary. – Report of HTW 12 to MSC 111.

Session	Action
MSC 111 (2026)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Consideration of the type of meeting to adopt amendments of the STCW Convention and Code for final decision.– Approval of the convening of ISWG-STCW 3.
Council (2026)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Endorsement of the convening of ISWG-STCW 3.
ISWG-STCW 3 (2026-2027)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Finalization of draft text of amendments.– Preparation of draft resolutions.– Revise road map if necessary.
HTW 13 (spring 2027)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Consideration of the report of the ISWG-STCW.3– Finalization of the draft text of amendments of the STCW Convention and Code and the draft resolutions.– Report of HTW 13 to MSC 113.
MSC 113 (2027)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Approval of the draft text of amendments to the STCW Convention and Code in accordance with the procedure set out in the Convention.
Meeting to adopt amendments (autumn 2027)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Holding of the meeting to adopt draft amendments to the STCW Convention and Code and the associated draft MSC resolutions.
