

### ANNEX 3

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

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

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

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

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