

**7TH KOREA/US HYDROGRAPHIC TECHNICAL MEETING
HELD IN INCHON, REP. OF KOREA
16 - 19 NOVEMBER 1993**

The 7th ROK/US Hydrographic Technical Meeting was held at the Office of Hydrographic Affairs in Inchon, Republic of Korea, from 16 to 19 November 1993. The following participants attended the meeting:

Korea participants:

- Mr. Suh, Jung Sub, Director General, ROKOHA,
- Mr. Huh, Ho Wook, Director of General Affairs Division,
- Mr. Cho, Se Yun, Director of Maritime Safety Division,
- Mr. Choi, Young Sub, Director of Survey Division,
- Mr. Paik, Sung Kee, Director of Nautical Charts Division,
- Mr. Lee, Sang Eop, Deputy Director of Oceanographic Division.

US participants:

- Rear Admiral John Chubb, Commander, US Naval Oceanography Command,
- Mr. Landry Bernard, Technical Director, NAVOCEANO,
- Mr. Ken Cooper, HYCOOP/Training Division Head, NAVOCEANO,
- Mr. David Somers, Depot Maintenance Branch Head, NAVOCEANO,
- Mr. John Kreamer, Far East Regional Coordinator, NAVOCEANO,
- Ms. Sharon Stanish, Technical Liaison, Defense Mapping Agency,
- Lt. John Dimento, Radm Chubb's aide.

Before the meeting, on 15 November 1993, Rear Admiral John Chubb with other participants called on Dr. Song, Director of Korean Ocean Research Development Institute (KORDI), and Radm Chubb and members of KORDI discussed on the exchange of oceanographic data, information and views each other. This visit to KORDI was the second time to him, the

first time visit having been made at the time the 5th meeting was held in Korea.

In the morning of 16 October 1993, all of the US participants called on Mr. Suh, Director General, Office of Hydrographic Affairs, in his office room, and in ROKOHA conference room, Mr. Cho, Se Yun, Director of Maritime Safety Division, ROKOHA, opened the meeting, and this was followed by opening remarks by Mr. Suh and Radm Chubb as representatives from both sides, respectively. At the 1st session, both sides presented the status of ROK/US joint survey and nautical charting for 1994. Both sides agreed that US Naval Oceanographic Office (NAVOCEANO) side would provide various equipments with electronic technicians and the Korea side provide the survey vessel and technical personnel for the 1994 joint survey.

In addition, Defense Mapping Agency (DMA) Liaison reported to DMA Headquarters that DMA would provide the ROKOHA with training in nautical cartography and data base management.

On 17 October 1993, the 2nd session was held and in this session, NAVOCEANO agreed to provide technical information and possible sources for use on the new ROKOHA survey vessel and exchanged ECDIS related matters and views each other.

On the same day, Radm Chubb visited Pusan Branch Office by military airplane with other three participants and a technical tour was arranged for them to visit the survey vessels of ROKOHA at Pusan Port and Kanjolkap light for shore station reconnaissance, and Mr. Kim, Chang Hoon, Head of Pusan Branch Office, explained in brief about the procedure, in which the ROK/US joint survey has been carried out at its site.

On 18 October 1993, the participants designated by both sides prepared the minutes of the meeting, and the last day, on 19 October 1993, both representatives signed it, and the 7th meeting was closed by closing remarks made by both representatives.

On 19 October 1993, the US participants of NAVOCEANO with Radm Chubb left Korea for the United States.

It was agreed that the 8th Korea/US Hydrographic Technical Meeting would be held in the U.S.A. in October/November in 1994.

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