## Hydrographic Survey Observation Mission of China visited JHOD

The hydrographic survey observation mission who consisted of six people including Mr. Zheng Heping, Deputy Director of China Maritime Safety Administration (CMSA) visited Japan Hydrographic and Oceanographic Department (JHOD) on June 29, 2004. The observation mission paid a courtesy call on Dr. Kunio Yashima, Director General of JHOD (Chief Hydrographer), and Mr. Zheng Heping presented a copper plate of "Great Wall" as commemoration.



Left side: Observation Mission of China



From left: Dr. Kunio Yashima, Mr. Zheng Heping

This observation was performed in order to know the Japanese hydrographic survey system about the role apportionment etc. of government and civilian enterprises. The mission observed each system of marine shortwave radar and ENC compilation as well as JICA group training "Hydrographic Survey Course" which was practicing in the seminar room of JHOD.



Observation scene: ENC compilation room



Exchange of opinion scene

Then, the mission got the detailed explanation of the Japanese hydrographic survey system which took into the chart the results of hydrographic survey which civilian enterprises etc. had created under the Japanese Law.

After that, exchange of opinion and active question and answer were performed in both China and Japan.