

# Memorandum of Understanding Signing Ceremony for the support of the IHO Capacity Building Programme

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Vice Admiral Alexandros Maratos, the President of the Directing Committee of IHO and Mr. Sung-Jin KIM, the Minister of Maritime Affairs and Fisheries of the Republic of Korea signed a MoU to make financial contributions on a yearly basis to the IHO Capacity Building Fund on 1st May 2006.

In addition, this financial contribution will be used to conduct the IHO capacity building work programme and to support many of nationals from the developing countries in acquiring hydrographic surveying, oceanographic observations and etc.



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It is expected that these funds will enhance the Capacity Building efforts of the IHO for establishing and improving the hydrographic and cartographic capabilities of them.

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