

**Seventh meeting of the International Steering Committee
of the Second International Indian Ocean Expedition
2015-25**

IIOE-2 SC7

ACTION TAKEN REPORT

By

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| Recommendations | Action | Action Taken |
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| The IIOE-2 SC-7 recommended that the ECSN website should be given a wide publicity through IIOE-2 newsletter and other possible modes | PO to give wide publicity to ECSN website and communicate with ECSN core committee to update the website content. | The ECSN website was given wide publicity through email circulation and the newsletter. The online registration form is open for Early Career Scientists to join ECSN. |
| The IIOE-2 SC-7 recommended endorsement of both the projects i.e. EXPAND and EKAMSAT | PO to complete the necessary formalities and communicate to the principal investigators. | Completed |
| The IIOE-2 SC-7 recommended that the Working Group and Science Themes leads should put efforts in getting articles for newsletter and India Ocean Bubble | PO to communicate with the leads of the WG and ST to get articles in newsletter and Indian Ocean Bubble | Regular communications are being made with the leads of the WG and ST to get articles in newsletter and Indian Ocean Bubble. |
| Change the membership of Prof. Raden Dwi Susanto from ST-3 to ST-2 | PO to complete the necessary formalities and communicate to Prof. Raden Dwi Susanto. | Completed |
| Getting bio-sketch of Dr Ben Webber and obtain his willingness to co-chair ST-3 | PO to obtain the necessary details and send to the SC for consideration. | Communication is sent to Dr Ben Webber. Response is awaited. |
| The co-chairs of the respective working groups and science themes to nominate the members along with their bio-sketch | PO to communicate with the leads of the WG and ST to get necessary details and send them to SC for consideration. | Action pending. |
| The IIOE-2 SC-7 recommended that the addendum to the IIOE-2 science plan and the revised implementation strategy should be finalized and circulated to | PO to obtain and circulate the addendum to the IIOE-2 science plan and the revised implementation strategy | Completed. |

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| the IIOE-2 WG & ST cochairs and members for review | | |
| The IIOE-2 SC-7 recommended ECSN to prepare Terms-of-Reference for newly proposed WG | PO to communicate with ECSN core committee and obtain Terms-of-Reference and send to SC for consideration. | The constitution of the new WG for ECSN is on hold and SC recommended for the nomination of ECSN in each WG & ST. It has been communicated to the ECSN core committee for nomination in WG & ST. |
| The IIOE-2 SC-7 recommended to circulate a poll to find an appropriate date for the major Indian Ocean Science Conference | PO to circulate the poll | The poll was circulated, and based on the majority of the responses, the date for the major IIOSC-2025 is finalised for 01-05 December 2025. |
| The IIOE-2 SC-7 recommended communicating with IOC through IOGOOS secretariat to obtain modus operandi for funding IIOE-2 | PO to communicate with IOC through IOGOOS secretariat to obtain modus operandi for funding IIOE-2 | To be discussed during the IOGOOS meeting |
| Explore the possibility of organizing IIOE-2 SC 8 at Mauritius in consultation with IOGOOS secretariat. | PO to liaise with IOGOOS secretariat | Completed |