



**REGIONAL ACTIVITY CENTRE / REGIONAL MARINE POLLUTION EMERGENCY,
INFORMATION AND TRAINING CENTRE - WIDER CARIBBEAN REGION**

ELEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF THE
RAC/REMPEITC-CARIBE STEERING COMMITTEE

OSC 11/1/2
30 April 2024
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AGENDA ITEM 1/2

11th Ordinary Steering Committee Meeting DAY 1: Tuesday May 7th, 2024, Renaissance Hotel, Willemstad, Curacao Conference Rooms A & B		
08:30-09:30	Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting Chairperson, Ms. Gisette Seferina • Host, Honorable Charles Cooper, Ministry of Traffic, Transport & Urban Planning of the Government of Curacao • Coordinator, Cartagena Convention Secretariat, Mr. Christopher Corbin, UN Environment Program • Deputy Director, Marine Environment Division, Ms. Patricia Charlebois, International Maritime Organization • Introduction of the Participants 	MC
09:30-09:45	Group Photo - Ground Floor	
09:45-10:00	Tea & Coffee	
10:00-10:15	11/1: Adoption of the Agenda	Chairperson
10:15-10:45	11/2: Summary Report of Activities	LT Matthew Martin
10:45-11:15	11/3: Status of Ongoing Projects: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digitization Efforts: Website Updates, Social Media & Office 365 Migration, and Virtual Webinars • Ballast Water Management Harmonization Procedures • Regional Port Reception Facility Working Group • Caribbean Island Regional OPRC Plan 	LT Matthew Martin
11:15-12:15	11/4: Sustainability of the Center: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> .1 Director's Comments on the Sustainability of the RAC .2 Institutional Arrangements in Curacao .3 Cartagena Convention Secretariat – Vision for the Future .4 Status of IMO Consultants 	Ms. Carla Bikker Ms. Giselle Hollander Mr. Christopher Corbin Ms. Patricia Charlebois
12:15-13:30	Lunch	
13:30-15:00	11/5: Development of the 2025-2030 Strategic Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Break-Out Discussions 	LT Matthew Martin All
15:00-15:15	Tea & Coffee	
15:15-16:15	11/6: Development of the 2024-2026 Work Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Break-Out Discussions 	LT Matthew Martin All
16:15-16:30	11/7: Closing Remarks and Day 1 Summary	Chairperson



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11th Ordinary Steering Committee Meeting DAY 2: Wednesday May 8th, 2024, Renaissance Hotel, Willemstad, Curacao Conference Rooms A & B		
08:30-08:45	11/8: Opening Remarks / Review of Day 1	Chairperson
08:45-10:00	11/9: Partner Presentations (Case Studies)	
	.1 Trinidad and Tobago Oil Spill Review (IMA)	Ms. Nikia Gooding
	.2 Bonaire Oil Spill Response	Mr. Gunther Flanegin
	.3 HNS Management in Mexico and the Region	Mr. Carlos Sagrera
10:00-10:15	Tea & Coffee	
10:15-12:00	11/9: Partner Presentations (Strategic Partnerships)	
	.4 OilMAP Capabilities to Support the WCR	Dr. Eric Comerma
	.5 COCATRAM	Mr. Jose Dopeso
	.6 ARPEL	Mr. Miguel Moyano
	.7 Dutch Caribbean Coast Guard	Mr. Mirko Kessen
	.8 IPIECA Caribbean Interim Support Project	Mr. Michael Hernandez
	.9 Caribbean Maritime University's Center for Blue Economy	Dr. Stephan Rodan
	.10 Maritime Technology Cooperation Centre (MTCC) Caribbean	Dr. Vivan Rambarath-Parasram
	.11 Caribbean Disaster and Emergency Management Agency (CDEMA)	TBD
12:00-12:30	11/10: Presentation of the 2024-2026 Work Plan	LT Matthew Martin / Ms. Nadia Gour
12:30-14:00	Lunch	
14:00-14:15	11/11: Election of Officers	Chairperson
14:15-15:00	11/12: Any other Business	Chairperson
	.1 Water Ballast on Ocean Going Vessels	Mr. J.M. Kooijman
15:00-15:45	11/13: Report of the Meeting Recommendations	Chairperson
15:45-16:00	Tea & Coffee	
16:00-16:30	11/14: Closing	Chairperson