







IMO CARES

Coordinated Actions to Reduce Emissions from Shipping

 GEOGRAPHIC FOCUS	Global
 TOTAL BUDGET	0.4 Million USD (design phase)
 DONOR	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
 IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS	IMO
 PROJECT DURATION	Jan - Dec 2022
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THE ISSUE

There is an urgent need for acceleration of R&D, technology transfer, demonstration, diffusion and uptake to achieve maritime decarbonization. This needs to be done in a coordinated and inclusive way, so that no one is left behind during the technology/ alternative fuel driven decarbonization journey of the maritime sector. This is especially important for the developing countries and in particular SIDS and LDCs. Current R&D efforts are mostly either in closed or semi-closed networks in developed countries.

OUR SOLUTION

IMO CARES will connect the dots by bringing together the various low/zero carbon R&D centres, the Maritime Technology Cooperation Centres, financial institutions, donors, IMO GHG initiatives and the private sector. The aim is to accelerate the demonstration of low/zero carbon technologies and alternative fuels in the field and promote their deployment in a manner that facilitates blue economic growth in developing regions while creating new technology markets. The design phase of IMO CARES will identify various stakeholders and donors who may wish to become part of this ambitious programme.

IMPACT

- ✓ Accelerate low/zero carbon transition of maritime sector in developing countries.
- ✓ Demonstration of scalable solutions thereby creating new technology/alternative fuel markets.
- ✓ Faster implementation of IMO GHG strategy.

Accelerating technology transfer for a voyage together



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