

# 2012 CAPE TOWN AGREEMENT:

*From declaration to ratification - Where we are and what is next in Asia*

09:00 – 09:15  
GMT  
19 October  
2021

19 OCTOBER 2021\*

## > OPENING OF THE WEBINAR

(Webinar Moderator: Bekir Sitki Ustaoglu, Head, Asia and Pacific Section, Technical Cooperation Division, IMO)

### Opening Address

Speaker: Heike Deggim, Director, Maritime Safety Division, IMO

## > INTRODUCTION OF THE AGREEMENT

Video by Pew followed by a brief introduction of the 2012 Cape Town Agreement

Speaker: Ari Gudmundsson, Maritime Safety Expert

Status of the Torremolinos Declaration and ratification of the 2012 Cape Town Agreement

Speaker: Cagri Kucukyildiz, Technical Officer, Maritime Safety Division (IMO)

Lessons learned from the ratification of the 2012 Cape Town Agreement

Speaker: Ragnhildur Hjaltadóttir, Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Transport and Local Government (Iceland)

Discussions and Q/A

Coffee break

## > IDENTIFICATION OF ISSUES RELATED TO THE RATIFICATION OF THE AGREEMENT

Video by Pew and panel discussion

Moderator: Tahiana Fajardo Vargas, The Pew Charitable Trusts

Speakers: Matthew Camilleri, Head, Fishing Operations and Technology Branch (FAO)  
Brandt Wagner, Head, Transport and Maritime Unit, Sectoral Policies Department (ILO)  
Brice Martin-Castex, Acting Head, Department of Member State Audit and Implementation Support (IMO)

Discussions and Q/A

Moderator: Tahiana Fajardo Vargas, The Pew Charitable Trusts

Conclusions and final remarks of the day

09:50 – 10:05

10:05 – 10:20

10:20 – 11:35

10:35 – 11:45

11:45 – 12:00

12:00

\* There will be an hour-long testing session (08:00 to 09:00 GMT) before the actual programme starts on both days, in order for the participants to familiarize with KUDO conferencing platform, and to test their connectivity and equipment. Simultaneous interpretation for Chinese-English will be provided.

**20 OCTOBER 2021\***

**09:00 – 09:20**

**> FISHERIES MANAGEMENT**

Effects of fisheries management policies on fishing safety

Speaker: TBC (Please contact the IMO Secretariat ([fvs@imo.org](mailto:fvs@imo.org)) if you would like to nominate speaker(s) not later than 15 October 2021.)

**09:20 – 10:30**

**> IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AGREEMENT**

Panel discussion on how best the Agreement can be implemented and major benefits of implementation

Moderator: TBC

Speakers: TBC (Please contact the IMO Secretariat ([fvs@imo.org](mailto:fvs@imo.org)) if you would like to nominate panelists not later than 15 October 2021.)

**10:30 – 10:45**

Discussions and Q/A

**10:45 – 11:00**

**Coffee break**

**11:00 – 11:45**

**> STATEMENT**

Presentation of the draft statement of the participants, to be issued after the Webinar

**11:45 – 12:00**

**> CLOSING OF THE WEBINAR**

Speaker: Joseph Westwood-Booth, Senior Deputy Director, Maritime Safety Division, IMO

