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CARRIAGE OF CARGOES AND CONTAINERS

Report of the third session of the Sub-Committee

Note by the Secretariat

SUMMARY

<i>Executive summary:</i>	The Committee is invited to take action on matters emanating from CCC 3
<i>Strategic direction:</i>	As specified in documents considered by CCC 3
<i>High-level action:</i>	As specified in documents considered by CCC 3
<i>Output:</i>	As specified in documents considered by CCC 3
<i>Action to be taken:</i>	Paragraphs 2 and 3
<i>Related document:</i>	CCC 3/15

General

1 The Sub-Committee on Carriage of Cargoes and Containers (CCC) held its third session from 5 to 9 September 2016 and its report on that session has been circulated under the symbol CCC 3/15¹. The Committee, at its ninety-seventh session (21 to 25 November 2016), considered urgent matters emanating from CCC 3 and took action as recorded under section 10 (Carriage of Cargoes and Containers (urgent matters emanating from the third session of the Sub-Committee)) of its report (MSC 97/22).

Action requested of the Committee

2 The Committee is invited to take action on the remaining matters emanating from CCC 3:

- .1 endorse the Sub-Committee's decision to authorize E&T 27 to prepare the draft amendments (39-18) to the IMDG Code, for submission to CCC 4 (paragraph 6.37);

¹ References are to paragraphs of, and annexes to, the report of CCC 3 (document CCC 3/15).

- .2 approve the holding of the twenty-ninth meeting of the E&T Group in the first half of 2018 to prepare draft amendments (05-19) to the IMSBC Code (paragraph 12.7); and
- .3 approve the report in general.

3 The Committee is also invited to note that the Sub-Committee authorized E&T 26 to finalize the draft amendments (04-17) to the IMSBC Code (excluding matters related to HME substances and paragraphs 4.5.1 and 4.5.2 of the Code), for submission to MSC 98 under agenda item 3 (Consideration and adoption of amendments to mandatory instruments) with a view to adoption (see document MSC 98/3/Add.1, annex 1). In this context, the Committee is invited to also note that the Sub-Committee further instructed E&T 26 to prepare related recommendations and circulars for submission to MSC 98 for approval, together with the adoption of amendments to the IMSBC Code (see document MSC 98/3/1, annex 3).
