



**Open-ended intersessional Working Group (OEIWG) on the Status of the IOC
Regional Committee for the Central Indian Ocean (IOCINDIO)**

First (1st) Meeting

Monday, 28 February 2022, 11:30 to 13:30 (CET/Paris time)

Connection details for the Zoom meeting

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Ref.: IOC Decision A-31/3.5.6.IOC.

Background document: IOC Circular Letter 2872 dated 4th January 2022 (including the attachments and links), inviting Member States to nominate members of the open-ended intersessional Working Group (OEIWG) on the Status of the IOC Regional Committee for the Central Indian Ocean (IOCINDIO).

Co-Chairs of the OEIWG: IOC Chair, Captain Ariel Troisi
IOCINDIO Chair, Rear Admiral (Retd) Khurshed Alam.

Provisional agenda for comments

1. Welcome by the Executive Secretary (5min).
2. Presentation and adoption of the agenda (5 min).
3. Introduction and discussions of the Terms of Reference (TORs) of the OEIWG by the co-Chairs: Ultimate goal, programme of work, expected deliverables, procedures and working methods, schedule of the OEIWG meetings (30 min).
4. Presentation of existing programmes, projects and activities in the IOCINDIO region by the IOCINDIO Chair and the IOC Vice-Chair for Group IV (25 min).
5. Discussions on programmatic perspectives in the region (50 min).
6. Conclusions by the Co-Chairs (5 min).