



MACHC Letter 11/2017

Date, 16-03-2017

To: RAdm. Fernando Alfonso Rodriguez Angli
DIGAOHM

Subject: Handing over of MACHC Chairmanship

Dear Admiral,

As outgoing Chair of the Meso American & Caribbean Sea Hydrographic Commission (MACHC) I hereby thank Mexico (vice chair MACHC) for the support and assistance throughout my chairmanship over the past two years.

At the 17th MACHC meeting 14-17 December 2016, in Belém Brazil, Mexico and the United States, were elected respectively as incoming chair and vice chair of the MACHC.

In accordance with Article 5 of the MACHC Statutes, I hereby officially hand over the chairmanship of the MACHC to Mexico on 16th March 2017.

It was a great honour to serve the MACHC region as chairman during these past two years and I am convinced that the MACHC will grow further under your capable leadership.

Yours sincerely,

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Director Netherlands Hydrographic Office
Hydrographer of the Royal Netherlands Navy
Chairman, Meso American & Caribbean Sea Hydrographic Commission

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