

## THE 1<sup>ST</sup> ASIA PACIFIC MARITIME PILOTS' FORUM 28 – 30 August 2017 Dynasti Hotel & Resort, Bali – Indonesia



## THE BALI DECLARATION

- I. Maritime Pilots in Asia Pacific countries/region agreed to establish a Regional Forum called "Asia Pacific Maritime Pilots' Forum" which aims as a forum for Professional Maritime Pilots' to:
  - a. Improve Maritime Pilots Professionalism & Sustainability.
  - b. Advocates safety of Maritime Pilots of member countries/region.
  - c. Cooperation between Pilots for various issues related to Pilotage including among all members.
  - d. Enhance communication with the Government in each country as well as with the International Agency and other relevant stakeholders.
  - e. The forum agreed to hold meeting of member states in turn every two years.
  - f. Non-member and member of the International Maritime Pilots' Association (IMPA).
- Improving Maritime Pilots cooperation on information, knowledge, experience, expertise, technology and industry benchmarking for capacity building and professionalism of Maritime Pilots in the Asia Pacific region which in turn has the standard of guidance, and in improving pilotage efficiency, to support the global and regional shipping industry.
- 3. Supporting the Government of Indonesia's Program in enhancing its maritime role, especially in relation to safety, security, and maritime comfort for ships passing through its waters.
- 4. The 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting of 2019 will be held in October in Sydney, Australia, the time and date of implementation will be informed later by the host.



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5. Agreed to form a joint secretariat in Indonesia.

Participant / Declaration Maker

Indonesian Maritime Pilots' Association (INAMPA) President: Pasoroan Herman Harianja Korea Maritime Pilots' Association (KMPA) President: Capt. Na long Pal Japanese Pilots' Association President: Capt. Akikazu Fukunaga Australasian Marine Pilots Institute President: Capt. Rob Buck Maritime Pilots Malaysia (MPM) President: Capt. Martin Lim CM 6. Hong Kong Pilots Association Ltd President: Capt. Bruce Lee 7. Shanghai Maritime Pilots' Association President: Capt. Xue Yidong New Zealand Maritime Pilots Association 8. President: Capt. Lew Henderson

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9. Taiwan Maritime Pilots' Association
President: Capt. Henry H.L, Ding

10. United Harbor Pilots' Association
of The Philippines, INC (UHPAP)
President: Capt. Elmer M. Magallanes

11. Vietnam Maritime Pilots' Association (VMPA)
President: Capt. Quach Dinh Hung

12. PSA Marine PTE, LTD, (PSAM)
Chief Pilot: Capt. Jimmy Koh

13. Niugini Pilots LTD
President: Capt. Max T. Stoessel

Acknowledge By:
International Maritime Pilots' Association
(IMPA)
PRESIDENT,

**CAPT. SIMON PELLETIER**