



# Register of Expert Groups and Other Similar Entities

## Commission Expert Group

**Name:** Expert group on Marine Equipment Directive (E02653)  
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

**Abbreviation:** MED

**Policy Area:** Transport

**Lead DG:** MOVE - DG Mobility and Transport

**Type:** Informal, Permanent

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** Assist the European in all questions related to Marine Equipment

**Task:** Assist the Commission in the preparation of legislation or in policy definition

**Composition:** National Administrations

**Publication in RegExp:** 24 May 2011

**Last updated:** 30 Jul 2014

## **Additional Information**

### **Activity Report**

11 June 2014 - Agenda and Summary report - Expert group on Marine Equipment Directive

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 53 kb)

[Document 2](#)

(approx. 52 kb)

### **Activity Report**

18 July 2012 - Agenda and Summary report - Expert group on Marine Equipment Directive

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 29 kb)

[Document 2](#)

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### **Activity Report**

The expert group on Marine Equipment met on 12 July 2011 and discussed the 8th amendment of the technical annex of the marine equipment Directive (Directive 96/98/EC). This meeting was aimed at preparing the document for submission to the COSS Committee. The next meeting of the expert group will be held in July 2012.

### **Activity Report**

Every year in July an expert meeting is convened to discuss amendments to the annex of the Marine Equipment Directive. The annex contains the requirements (international standards) which equipment that is placed on board ships has to comply with. Due to technical developments, these requirements change continuously. Therefore it is necessary to update the annex of the Directive every year.

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### **Selection Procedure (members)**

It is up to the Member States to nominate their representatives. Norway and Iceland may attend the meeting as observers.

### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

The MED does not have any internal rules of procedure, they operate in an informal framework without internal rules of procedures.

## Members

### Organisation

Name of Organisation	Category	Countries/Areas represented	Membership Status
Maritime Administration of Iceland	International organization	Iceland	Observer
Norwegian Coastal Administration	International organization	Norway	Observer

### National administrations

Country		Membership Status
Austria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Belgium	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Bulgaria	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Croatia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Cyprus	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Czech Republic	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Denmark	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Estonia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Finland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
France	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Germany	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Greece	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Hungary	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Ireland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Italy	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Latvia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Lithuania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Luxembourg	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Malta	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Netherlands	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Poland	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Portugal	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Romania	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovakia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovenia	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Spain	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Sweden	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
United Kingdom	1 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member

### Subgroups

No Subgroups assigned to this group.

## Statistics

### Number of Members: 28

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	0		
National administrations:	28		

### Number of Alternate Members: 0

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	0		
National administrations:	0		

### Number of Observers: 2

Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Individual expert appointed as representative of an interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Organisation:	2		
National administrations:	0		