



MEMORANDUM IMM 002(26)

Title:	Resignation of the Director of Technical and Seafarer Services		
To:	Deputy Registrars, Recognized Organizations & Other Stakeholders		
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As we begin the new year, on behalf of IMMARBE, we extend our best wishes to you for a successful and prosperous year ahead.

We also take this opportunity to share an important organizational update.

We wish to advise that Mr. Eduardo Simon has resigned from the position as Director of Technical and Seafarer Services, effective January 15, 2026. We accept his decision with respect and extend our profound gratitude for his exceptional service over the past 16 years.

Mr. Eduardo's contributions have been instrumental in the advancement and integrity of IMMARBE's operations. His tenure was marked by significant dedication, notably through his:

- Instrumental role in enhancing our technical and seafarer service frameworks.
- Critical support as the Single Focal Point for the successful IMO Member State Audit Scheme (IMSAS) audit conducted in November 2025.
- Steadfast service as our European Representative and as a Designate to the National Maritime Committee.

We are deeply appreciative of his commitment and expertise, which have left a lasting positive impact on our organization. We sincerely wish him all the very best in his future professional and personal endeavours.



Please be assured that measures are in place to ensure continuity of leadership and operations. The responsibilities associated with this role have been appropriately reassigned to guarantee that our governance standards, service delivery, and commitment to our partners remain uninterrupted and of the highest quality. We will provide more detailed updates on our operational structure and points of contact.

We value your continued confidence and collaboration and look forward to working closely with you throughout the year.

