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Background

In order to ensure the coherence of maritime spatial plans in the context of data interpretation the BSR MSP Data Expert Sub-group would like to propose additions to the current "Country Fiche" template. Proposal includes the following suggestions:

- 1) In the chapter 1 "General Information" additionally include national (and/or regional) MSP data focal point which is responsible for MSP Output data and can consult on specific/technical data issues;
- 2) In the chapter 4 "Spatial Plans" extend the sub-section "Designation" with description of the structure of the particular spatial plan regarding designation categories (e.g., priority uses, reserved uses, allowed uses, restricted uses, forbidden uses etc.) and planned sea uses within the maritime spatial plan.
- 3) In the chapter 4 "Spatial Plans" extend the sub-section "Electronic resources" with an information about where to access the MSP data (via pan-Baltic and/or national web services (wfs, wms etc.)).

Action requested

The Meeting is invited to <u>consider</u> the proposed suggestions and <u>agree</u> to amend the Country Fiches accordingly.

Country Fiche Country

1. General information

- Internal sea waters: covered area
- Territorial sea (12-nm zone): covered area
- Exclusive Economic Zone: covered area

1.1. Governance

1.2. Contacts

1.2.1 EEZ

MSP in general:

MSP Data Focal point:

Espoo contact point:

1.2.2 Internal Waters and Territorial Sea

MSP in general:

MSP Data Focal point:

Espoo contact point:

- 2. General information on legislation
- 3. General applicability (e.g. territorial Sea, EEZ, other distinctions)
- 4. Spatial Plans
 - 4.1. Title of Maritime Spatial Plan
 - 4.1.1.Legal basis
 - 4.1.2.Legal impact
 - 4.1.3. Area covered
 - 4.1.4. Historic development
 - 4.1.5. Objectives of the plan
 - 4.1.6.Map
 - 4.1.7. Designation

Designation categories

Planned Sea-uses

- 4.1.8. Regulations
- 4.1.9. Adoption
- 4.1.10. SEA
- 4.1.11. Public participation
- 4.1.12. Transboundary consultation
- 4.1.13. Harmonisation with other plans

- 4.1.14. Monitoring
- 4.1.15. Electronic resources

Additionally: information about where to access the MSP data (via pan-Baltic and/or national web services)

- 5. What countries want to share
 - 5.1. Pilot plans
 - 5.2. Good practices
- 6. New developments / current status
- 7. How coastal and marine Baltic Sea protected areas (HELCOM MPAs) are taken into account in MSP