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Background

This documents contains a description of an emergency towing equipment. It is an emergency towing dreggen that is installed on four German Emergency Towing Vessels. The dreggen can be used as the last resort when a casualty not under command drifts towards the coast with its anchorchain disposed.

A first exercise using the emergency towing dreggen was conducted in September 2019. Further exercises, also in the Baltic Sea, will follow in 2020.

Action requested

The Meeting is invited to take note of the information.