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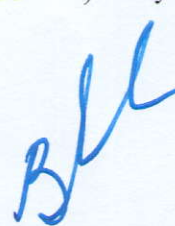
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Subject: Call for articles for “Blue Waters” Newsletter on Marine Environment Protection

1. The Indian Coast Guard publishes a biannual newsletter, “Blue Waters” covering issues related to marine environment protection. Every edition of “Blue Waters” touches upon a pertinent issue to provide in-depth information and critical analysis on contemporary issues related to environment protection which requires closer attention. Marine environment legislation, pollution incidents and issues deliberated at the International Maritime Organization and other international organizations are also included in “Blue Waters”. Previous editions of “Blue Waters” may be accessed on the official website of the Indian Coast Guard at www.indiancoastguard.gov.in.
2. The next edition of “Blue Waters” will be published in bilingual in Feb 2019. Thought provoking contributions (English or Hindi) are invited for publication on the following subjects:-
 - (a) “Sustainable Shipping” - the challenges and opportunities that lies ahead
 - (b) Importance of Seafarers’ mental health and wellbeing towards development of healthy marine environment.
 - (c) Modalities for integrating maritime stakeholders to enhance India’s Pollution Response mechanism
 - (d) Essential capabilities for monitoring marine pollution in Indian waters.
 - (e) Coastal Shipping in preserving environment.
 - (f) Impact of interlinking inland waterways through Sagarmala Project towards Marine Pollution Preparedness and Response.
 - (g) Sharing of experience on incident at sea.
 - (h) Any article of general interest related to marine environment and its protection.
3. Articles (accompanied with good photographs in .jpeg format) may be e-mailed to dte-fe@indiancoastguard.nic.in by 21 Dec 2018.


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