9th ARF ISM on Maritime Security International Maritime Organization – Security and Safety

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International Maritime Organization (IMO)

- The United Nations specialized agency with responsibility for the
 - safety and security of shipping and
 - the prevention of marine pollution by ships.



IMO Presence in Asia-Pacific

- Technical Cooperation Division initiatives (next slide)
- Participate in ASEAN sessions (when invited)
- Search and Rescue ICAO/IMO Joint Working Group
- Partner organization on piracy matters (Regional Cooperation Agreement on Combating Piracy and Armed Robbery against ships in Asia (RECAAP) Info Sharing Centre)
- Your delegation at IMO meetings

Technical Cooperation Division (TCD)

- Technical cooperation and capacity building to assist developing countries through national or regional activities
- IMO Coordinator in Manila, the Philippines
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- Security, Search and Rescue (SAR), Safety, and more
- IMO is a dialogue partner in the ASEAN Maritime Transport Working Group (Kuala Lumpur Transport Strategic Plan)

IMO is there to help handle heavy seas in your region – for safety and security.

