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Ja

Nee

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Your meeting, your decisions

The motions are in (see overleaf) but have you booked your place for GM2015?

Full members from all national branches of Nautilus are invited to attend to vote on key policies for the Union’s work over the next four years. There will also be a full agenda of interesting and informative speakers including Frances O’Grady, general secretary of the TUC, and Guy Platten, director general of the UK Chamber of Shipping. The meeting takes place at the beautiful Titanic Hotel in Liverpool — with members assembling on Monday 5 October for a welcome dinner and departing on the morning of Thursday 8 October.

Attending the meeting needsn’t put you out of pocket. Nautilus can provide assistance with travel and accommodation costs, to ensure that the meeting is attended by a representative cross-section of full members from throughout the industry. Use the form on this page or on the Nautilus website to secure your place.

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The theme for the 2015 Nautilus general meeting is Jobs, Skills and the Future. For the Union and its members, there must surely be no more important issues.

In particular, this general meeting calls upon officer unions from afar afield as Australia, Canada, Hong Kong, India, New Zealand and Singapore.

This meeting calls upon Nautilus International to take the lead in this and to try to secure the immediate suspension of negotiations on TTIP and CETA.

This GM calls upon the Union to further develop this initiative into a campaign under the banner of ‘All in the same boat’.

This meeting notes that the Maritime Labour Convention (MLC) is seen by many as the most important piece of legislation ever to be enacted for the protection of the rights of the global fleet.

This meeting also notes the shift in demographics has changed dramatically in the past twenty-five years; with more women, more young and female members have specific issues which need to be addressed.

This conference calls for Nautilus to redouble its efforts to maximise the support available to members and to develop strategies through which full employment is achieved.

This meeting notes the importance of the fair treatment guidelines based on the strategic aims of adequate number of berths for trainees (by 2020) and excessive tours of duty.

This general meeting welcomes the introduction of the Maritime Labour Convention (Mlc) with significant ratification levels and the strengthening of measures to combat discrimination at sea.

This general meeting welcomes the findings of the indepedently produced and public (and general) survey which highlighted the need for greater transparency and communication.

This meeting also notes the following in respect of the MLC:

- inequality and harassment at sea
- the need for adequate measures to combat tiredness and fatigue and for information flows and communications with seafarers and the frequent use of shore-based support teams.

This meeting greets the conclusion and ratification of the IOM Convention.

This general meeting welcomes the efforts to promote transport in Europe by inland waterways transport (IWT) as the least environmentally damaging and most cost-effective transport option in the 21st century to develop the Nautilus Federation as well as being the leading union in Europe’s largest IWT industry in the Netherlands.

This meeting notes that the African Harrier case in March 2015, should be a wake-up call to the industry. This conference notes that not only is the reputation of the seafarers damaged but also the safety of the vessels and the risk is greater when there is alcohol abuse.

This meeting notes that the MLC aims to ensure that young and female members have all the specific information they need for their careers, including education, training and information on opportunities to progress within their chosen sector and stage of a maritime career; a mentoring scheme so that members can learn from other members who have already been through the same experience.

This meeting also notes that the MLC is an ‘living’ instrument that is open to amendment and therefore calls for Nautilus to continue to seek support calls for legislation to protect seafarers from sexual harassment and bullying at sea.

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