



ASEF Goes into its 3rd Year – Changes on Chairmanship and Secretariat

On 26 October, 2017, Active Shipbuilding Experts' Federation (ASEF) held its 3rd Assembly.

ASEF is composed of 10 members.

China Association of the National Shipbuilding Industry
Colombo Dockyard PLC (Sri Lanka)
Shipyards Association of India
Indonesia Shipbuilding and Offshore Industry Association
The Shipbuilders' Association of Japan
Korea Offshore & Shipbuilding Association
Association of Marine Industries of Malaysia
Turkish Shipbuilders' Association
Thai Shipbuilding and Repairing Association
Shipbuilding Industry Corporation (Vietnam)

ASEF has started its operation from 26 November, 2015 and during the first three years, the chairmanship will rotate annually among the three top shipbuilding associations to establish rudiments, among The Shipbuilders' Association of Japan (SAJ), Korea Offshore & Shipbuilding Association (KOSHIPA) and China Association of National Shipbuilding Industry (CANSI) in that order, to achieve the most suited framework of operation after the first three years. It is in line with such arrangement, the chairmanship was handed over from KOSHIPA to CANSI, and the personnel changes were affected. The information on the organization and contacts are described overleaf.

ASEF is open to entry of shipbuilding associations, or shipbuilding entities who are established to a degree that can represent the region or countries where they belong, and they are tasked to contribute to various associated technical issues of the maritime industry such as the issues being handled at IMO, ISO and IACS. After the decision of IMO Council in July, ASEF is waiting for the final and formal approval of IMO Assembly at the end of this year for acquiring consultative status at IMO. In doing so, it will be the day-to-day activities of ASEF to engage in technical exchange among the members, or with other related industries, as well as holding Forums.



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