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MARITIME ANTI-CORRUPTION NETWORK // AUGUST 2023

MACN CONTINUES TO WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



MACN NOW HAS

189 MEMBERS

NEW MEMBERS

Since the Members' meeting last autumn, 13 new companies have been welcomed into the network.

Visit the [MACN website](#) for the complete list of Members.

BECOME AN MACN MEMBER

If you are interested in becoming an MACN member or attending a future members' meeting as an observer, please email:

macn@macn.dk

Further details on MACN can also be found at:

www.macn.dk

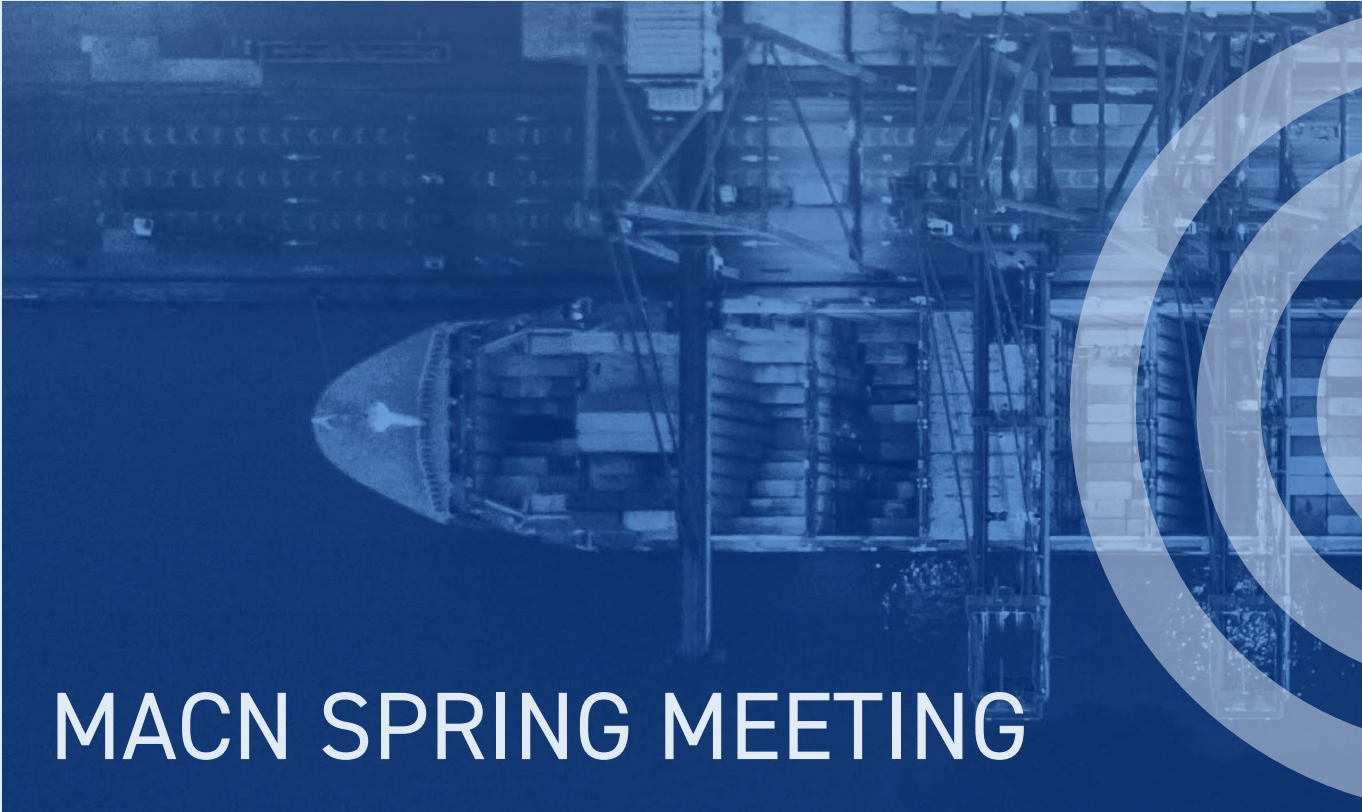
MACN INCIDENT DATA FAQs

MACN'S ANONYMOUS INCIDENT REPORTING SYSTEM ENABLES MARITIME PLAYERS TO SUBMIT REPORTS ON CORRUPT DEMANDS THEY HAVE FACED DURING PORT OPERATION. TO DATE, MACN HAS COLLECTED MORE THAN 50,000 REPORTS OF CORRUPT DEMANDS GLOBALLY.

MACN have created FAQs for all your incident reporting system questions. You can find the FAQ's [here](#).

MACN invites both members and non-members to share details of corrupt demands faced.





MACN SPRING MEETING

APRIL 2023

MACN WELCOMED OVER 150 PARTICIPANTS AT THE SPRING MEMBERS MEETING, HELD AT MOLTKE'S PALÆ IN COPENHAGEN ON APRIL 26 – 27 2023. THE MEETING COVERED A MIX OF PLENARY SESSIONS AND WORKSHOPS.

COUNTRY WORKSHOPS

Country workshops were held between members and MACN's local partners with key highlights including:

- **Egypt** - an update on MACN activities undertaken with the Suez Canal Authorities, followed by members sharing their canal transit experience over the last 6 months
- **India** - updates on MACN's work in India including HelpDesk success stories and government support highlights
- **Indonesia** - members discussed key challenges and mapped out

areas where MACN should focus its collective action initiative. Updated guidelines on port entry procedures and port tariffs were presented

- **Nigeria** - collective action developments, including a focus on the process and impact of the HelpDesk
- **West Africa** - in this expansion workshop, members mapped challenges and gaps in West African countries with the goal to help MACN prioritise and further solidify our collective action efforts.

INDUSTRY AND ANTI-CORRUPTION COMPLIANCE WORKSHOPS

The workshops were based around challenges faced by different industry working groups. In the P&I Club industry working group Members shared insights on how MACN can support insurance and P&I clubs in collective action countries. The discussion focused on implementation of the upcoming correspondents' anti-corruption

training and challenges faced by P&I clubs and correspondents.

There was also an interactive workshop covering how anti-corruption compliance can be operationalised including implementing a company's Anti-Bribery-Corruption policy onboard, easing the process of incident reporting and discussions around the corruption risks during the maritime recruitment phase.

KEY GOVERNANCE DECISIONS

The MACN Chair, Ann Shazell, announced that the Board is recruiting new members to the MACN Board with Dorte Rolff, Brendon Hawley and Kevin Leach Smith leaving the Board after the Members Meeting in September 2023. Members can nominate themselves or another member via macn@macn.dk.

THE NEXT MEMBERS' MEETING WILL BE HELD IN MUMBAI ON 27-28 SEPTEMBER 2023.



NEW 2030 STRATEGY

DURING THE SPRING MEETING MACN'S CEO, CECILIA MULLER TORBRAND AND MACN ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, MARTIN BENDERSON PRESENTED MACN'S NEW [2030 STRATEGY](#).

The strategy will work towards an overall 2030 goal that the maritime industry will no longer regard corruption as an obstacle to maritime trade and key ambitions include:

- 1. Scaling MACN's industry footprint**
- 2. Broadening MACN's scope and mandate to tackle corruption challenges in maritime trade and hinterland transport**
- 3. Deepening MACN's value proposition to members and partners**

To achieve the 2030 ambitions, MACN has formulated the following targets that will enable the transformation it is seeking to achieve:

- Grow and diversify MACN's revenue and funding base
- Strengthen MACN's organisational resources and local capacity.

READ THE FULL 2030 STRATEGY [HERE](#).



SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

THE 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND THE 17 SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGs) AIM TO BUILD A BETTER FUTURE FOR ALL. THE 17 SDGs ARE INTEGRATED, RECOGNISING THAT ACTION IN ONE AREA WILL AFFECT OUTCOMES IN OTHERS AND THAT DEVELOPMENT MUST BALANCE SOCIAL, ECONOMIC, AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY.



ANTI-CORRUPTION IS EXPLICITLY HIGHLIGHTED IN SDG 16



The importance of anti-corruption is highlighted in SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institution). Corruption is a major obstacle to sustainable development and a threat to countries stability, individuals lives and their livelihoods.

MACN IS A STRONG EXAMPLE OF SDG 17



MACN's work connects to multiple SDGs. However, the importance of anti-corruption is explicitly highlighted in SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions), and through its setup, MACN is a strong example of SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals).

MACN has mapped its activities to the relevant reporting frameworks such as the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) and Sustainability Accounting Standard Board (SASB).

READ MORE ABOUT THE IMPACT OF MACN'S WORK AND ESG REPORTING [HERE](#).

MACN ANNUAL REPORT 2022

In July MACN published their 2022 Annual Report. Over the last 18 months, the world has moved out of a pandemic-driven mindset, handled the ongoing war in Ukraine, and worked through major shifts in the economic and trade landscape. Issues of governance, including a focus on anti-corruption, have increased in prominence at the foreign policy, regulatory, and corporate levels.

For MACN, this has led to continued growth in their membership and an increase in demand for frontline support and company compliance tools. The organisation has seen anti-corruption trends impact their work in several important ways.

PLEASE REFER TO THE [ANNUAL REPORT](#) FOR MORE INFORMATION ON MACN'S 2022 ACCOMPLISHMENTS.