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CUS ANNOUNCEMENT

Cyprus Union of Shipowners (CUS) warmly congratulates Cyprus Shipping Deputy Minister to the President, Mrs. Marina Hadjimanolis, and the executives of the Shipping Deputy Ministry of Cyprus, for their hard work and representation of Cyprus during the 34th General Assembly of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) that took place this week in London.

Their coordinated efforts, professionalism, and hard work were instrumental in securing Cyprus' re-election to Category C of the IMO Council, for 2026-2027, achieving 136 votes in an election in which 169 countries participated. This impressive result reflects the trust and respect that the international maritime community places in Cyprus.

Mrs. Hadjimanolis' highlighted Cyprus's clear vision for a strong, fair, inclusive, and future-oriented IMO, an organization capable of safeguarding the maritime sector, the oceans, and the long-term sustainability of global trade. Her emphasis on cooperation, resilience, and continued progress resonated strongly with member states and reaffirmed Cyprus' longstanding and constructive role within the IMO.

We also extend our warm congratulations to Greece, which achieved its re-election in Category A of the IMO Council with a record number of votes.

The presence of both Cyprus and Greece at the IMO assembly for 2026-2027, highlights the strength, reputation and strategic importance of the Hellenic and Cypriot maritime community in the world Shipping scene.

The Cyprus Union of Shipowners applauds this important achievement and reiterates its full support for the ongoing work of the country's Shipping Deputy Ministry.

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