



## The South African Institute of Marine Engineers & Naval Architects

To: Saimena Members

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### **Notice for March 2016**

International Paints through their National Sales Manager Marine Mr Graeme Carr, has kindly arranged for their Dr. Richard Towns, Strategic Account Manager, International Paint Marine Coatings, Qatar - Middle East to present a technical paper in Durban.

Dr. Towns will be presenting their Intersleek foul Release Coatings updates amongst others. Intertrac Vision is a unique, state of the art consultation tool developed by in-house researchers from Akzo Nobel and key partners from industry and academia. It describes the key factors affecting vessel performance and how the choice of underwater hull coatings can greatly affect this. It combines leading industry theories with real life vessel performance data to develop a series of models which can more accurately predict the vessel performance through their lifetime, and give ship owners and operators a more transparent view on coating choice.

Your presence at this informative paper is requested.

Date: Wednesday, 30 March 2016

Venue: Berea Rovers Club - Saimena Room

Time: 17h30 for 18h00

If you know of any members who are not receiving notices please forward their email addresses to sender.

Drinks & snacks will be provided courtesy of International Paints.

Brian Fynn  
Durban Branch Honorary Secretary