

APPROVAL PAGE

W00248

Data from W00248 has been reviewed with regard to data integrity and completeness of the data submission package, survey field procedures, data processing and quality assurance methods, and overall data accuracy and data quality.

The survey does not contain the full resolution MBES data, only gridded data, as such it was deemed appropriate to be combined with data from the track line arctic reconnaissance survey D00168.

All data deemed suitable for charting from W00248 were compiled into HCells for survey D00168. Origins of data sources are encoded by meta objects in the HCells, and documentation of combining the surveys is in D00168_HR.pdf. No independent deliverables from W00248 should be passed on to MCD.

The following products will be sent to NGDC for archive:

- W00248_Documentation.zip
- Collection of depth varied resolution BAGS
- Processed survey data and records
- W00248_GeoImage.pdf

The survey evaluation and verification has been conducted according current OCS Specifications.

Approved: _____

Peter Holmberg

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The survey has been approved for dissemination and limited usage of updating NOAA's suite of nautical charts.

Approved: _____

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