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COMMERCIALY SUPPORTED SHIPPING (CCS) TEAM

As an integral part of the DE&S Ships Operating Centre, the Commercially Supported Shipping (CSS) Team provides through-life capability management for ships and boats and exploits best practice in the maritime industry to support global defence operations.

The CSS portfolio includes the In-Service Support and new acquisition programmes for the Royal Fleet Auxiliary (RFA), Ice Patrol, Fishery Protection, Hydrographic, Training Ships and the Small Boats Flotilla. CSS will contribute to the support and sustainment of maritime expeditionary forces operating on and from the sea, joint forces on land, military data gathering in support of the deterrent and of wider operations, together with craft which support maritime training and which maintain the security of UK Territorial Waters, both at home and abroad.

The Salvage and Marine Operations team is also part of CSS. The entire team works together to develop and sustain a highly professional workforce of civilian, RFA and military staff, committed to operational support and continuous improvement.

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WARSHIP SUPPORT (WSpt) TEAM

Warship Support (WSpt) is a one star led pillar under Director Ships Spt and is responsible for managing support for a large proportion of in-service Royal Navy vessels, including Frigates, Destroyers, Landing Platforms and Minehunter Countermeasure Vessels. WSpt is also responsible for managing the Minehunter replacement programme (MHC). The primary role of this team is to provide available, capable and safe ships as efficiently as possible.

In addition, WSpt is the lead for the Surface Ship Support Programme (SSSP), the Babcock Marine Terms of Business Agreement, maintenance management and technical documentation, as well as defining Future Support Policy.

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IN-SERVICE SUBMARINES (ISM) TEAM

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The team specifies contracts, project manages overhauls (carried out at Devonport and Faslane) and accepts the submarines off contract on their completion. Responsible for decommissioning and disposal of all submarines, the team is also responsible for the provision of a submarine rescue service.

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