

IMO MEETING

MEPC

74th

Overview



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Agenda

Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) 74th session, will be Held at IMO HQ from Monday, 13 to Friday, 17 May 2019.

This Committee addresses matters in relation to the prevention and control of pollution from ships.

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Agenda 4

Harmful aquatic organisms in ballast water



This agenda discusses the Draft updated Unified Interpretation of Appendix I (Form of the International Ballast Water Management Certificate) of the BWM Convention. The draft has been requested by MEPC 72nd and expected to be approved at this 74th session.

Since the 2016 Guidelines for approval of ballast water management systems (G8) will be revoked when the BWMS Code takes effect, therefore the references to the Guidelines (G8) have been replaced with references to the BWMS Code in the draft updated unified interpretation.

The IMO Agenda item listed and explained in this leaflet are part of which that the Society wishes to take a careful look into and would then might benefit for the Administration and the Stakeholder.

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Agenda 5

Air pollution & energy efficiency

At this session, the following issues will be discussed :

- IMO monitoring programme of the worldwide average sulphur content of fuel oils supplied for use on board ships after 1 January 2020
- Proposed amendments to the "Guidance on temporary indication of ongoing compliance in the case of the failure of a single monitoring instrument, and recommended actions to take if the EGCS fails to meet the provisions of the Guidelines"
- Bunker Supplier Licensing Schemes.

Agenda 7

Reduction of GHG emissions from ships

This agenda discusses possible future working arrangements to support the follow-up actions of the Initial IMO Strategy on Reduction of GHG Emissions from Ships. The possible alternative arrangements which will be discussed are:

- Establishment of a dedicated standing technical group on reduction of GHG emissions from ships; and
- Establishment of a new sub-committee on reduction of GHG emissions from ships reporting to MEPC.

Agenda 6

Further technical and operational measures for enhancing the energy efficiency of international shipping

The following issues which will be discussed in this agenda are :

- Transport work for offshore and marine contracting vessels
- Transport work proxy for cruise passenger ships
- Analysis of the data from the IMO Ship Fuel Oil Consumption Database Phase 2 of the three-step approach.

Agenda 8

Follow-up work emanating from the Action Plan to address marine plastic litter from ships

The following issues which will be discussed in this agenda are :

- Proposal to consider the adoption of an IMO strategy to address marine plastic litter from ships
- Proposal to extend the reporting requirement in regulation 10.6 of MARPOL Annex V to include reporting data on discharge or accidental loss of fishing gear by the flag State to IMO via GISIS