



香港商船資訊

HONG KONG MERCHANT SHIPPING INFORMATION NOTE

Smooth Implementation of MARPOL Annex VI on Data Collection System for Fuel Oil Consumption

To : Shipowners, Ship Managers, Ship Operators, Masters and Classification Societies

Summary

The purpose of this Note is to advise the parties concerned on the approval of the circular MEPC.1/Cir.876, by the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) at its 72nd session, in relation to sample format for the Confirmation of Compliance and early submission of the Ship Energy Efficiency Management Plan (SEEMP) part II on the ship fuel oil consumption data collection plan and its timely verification.

1. Having recognized the need for smooth implementation and uniform application of the amendments to MARPOL Annex VI on data collection system for fuel oil consumption of ships, the MEPC at its 72nd session approved MEPC.1/Cir.876 to encourage the early submission of SEEMP part II to the Administration or its recognized organization (RO) by 1 September 2018 so that the verification of the ship fuel oil consumption data collection plan can be completed timely in accordance with regulation 22.2 of MARPOL Annex VI.
2. Pursuant to regulation 22.2 of MARPOL Annex VI, in case of a ship of 5,000 gross tonnage and above, the SEEMP shall include a description of the methodology that will be used to collect the data required by regulation 22A.1 of the Annex and the process that will be used to report the data to the ship's Administration.
3. The MEPC72 also approved a sample format for the Confirmation of Compliance pursuant to regulation 5.4.5 of MARPOL Annex VI as set out in the annex of the circular MEPC.1/Circ.876.

4. The circular MEPC.1/Circ.876 can be found on the website of Marine Department (<http://www.mardep.gov.hk/en/msnote/msin.html>) as attachment to this Note.

5. Any enquiries in relation to this Merchant Shipping Information Note may be directed to the Senior Surveyor of the Maritime Policy Branch at telephone number 2852 4395 or by e-mail to “hkmpd@mardep.gov.hk”.

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