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NEW VOC MANAGEMENT PLAN and OZONE-DEPLETING SUBSTANCE RECORD BOOK ON BOARD

APPLICABLE FROM 01 July 2010

Revised MARPOL Annex VI Regulation 15

Crude oil tankers shall have onboard and implement approved Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) Management Plan. This plan shall be prepared according to Res. MEPC.185(59) "GUIDELINES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A VOC MANAGEMENT PLAN" and submitted to Türk Loydu for approval. This plan shall:

1. provide written procedures for minimizing VOC emissions during the loading, sea passage and discharge of cargo;
2. give consideration to the additional VOC generated by crude oil washing;
3. identify a person responsible for implementing the plan; and
4. for ships on international voyages, be written in the working language of the master and officers and, if the working language of the master and officers is not English, French, or Spanish, include a translation into one of these languages.

Revised MARPOL Annex VI Regulation 12

All ships having rechargeable systems that contain ozone depleting substances shall maintain an "Ozone Depleting Substances (ODP) Record Book". This Record Book may form part of an existing log-book or an approved electronic recording system. The aim of this record is to control the recharging, delivering to facilities, repair and maintenance of equipment containing ODP etc.

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