
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2008 No. 3257

The Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Pollution by Sewage and Garbage from Ships) Regulations 2008

PART 2

Sewage: Survey and Certification of Ships

Issue of Sewage Certificates in respect of ships which are not United Kingdom ships

- 13.—(1) When requested to do so by a Contracting Government”, the Secretary of State—
- (a) may cause a survey to be carried out in respect of a ship to which this regulation applies, and
 - (b) must, subject to the payment of any fee due under the Merchant Shipping (Fees) Regulations 2006, issue in respect of that ship a Sewage Certificate if the Secretary of State is satisfied that the requirements of Annex IV are complied with.
- (2) A Sewage Certificate issued pursuant to paragraph (1) is to—
- (a) be in English and in the form set out in the Appendix to Annex IV,
 - (b) contain a statement that it has been so issued, and
 - (c) have the same effect as if it had been issued by the Contracting Government” who made the request referred to in paragraph (1) and not by the Secretary of State.
- (3) The Secretary of State must send as soon as possible to the Contracting Government” who made the request referred to in paragraph (1) a copy of—
- (a) the Sewage Certificate issued pursuant to that paragraph, and
 - (b) the survey report.
- (4) The Secretary of State must not issue a Sewage Certificate in respect of a ship which is—
- (a) registered in a State whose Government is not a Contracting Government”, or
 - (b) is not registered, but is entitled to fly the flag of a State whose Government is not a Contracting Government”.