
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1998 No. 1377

**The Merchant Shipping (Prevention of
Pollution by Garbage) Regulations 1998**

Offences

14.—(1) Any breach of the requirements of these Regulations (other than of the requirements of regulations 4, 5, 6 or 7)—

- (a) in respect of a ship, shall be an offence on the part of the owner, manager, demise charterer and master of the ship; and
- (b) in respect of an installation, shall be an offence on the part of the owner and installation manager,

punishable on summary conviction by a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum or on conviction on indictment by a fine.

(2) Any breach of the requirements of regulation 4, 5, 6 or 7 above—

- (a) in respect of a ship, shall be an offence on the part of the owner, manager, demise charterer and master of the ship; and
- (b) in respect of an installation, shall be an offence on the part of the owner and installation manager,

and section 131(3) of the Act⁽¹⁾ shall apply as it applies to an offence under that section, so that each of them shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £25,000 or on conviction on indictment to a fine.

(1) 1995 c. 21; section 131(3) was amended by the Merchant Shipping and Maritime Security Act 1997 (c. 28), section 7(1).