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INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON CIVIL LIABILITY FOR BUNKER OIL POLLUTION DAMAGE, 2001

Accession by the Bahamas and Hungary

The Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization has the honour to refer to the International Convention on Civil Liability for Bunker Oil Pollution Damage, 2001, and to state that, in accordance with article 12, accession by the Commonwealth of the Bahamas and the Republic of Hungary was effected by deposit of instruments on 30 January 2008.

The Convention will enter into force for the Bahamas and Hungary on 21 November 2008, in accordance with the provisions of article 14.

There are, at present, twenty Contracting States to the Convention, representing approximately 21.52% of the world's merchant shipping.

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