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**INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE CONTROL OF HARMFUL
ANTI-FOULING SYSTEMS ON SHIPS, 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 the Control of Harmful Anti-Fouling Systems on Ships, 2001, and to state that, in accordance with article 17 of the Convention, 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 17 September 2008, in accordance with the provisions of article 18.

There are, at present, twenty-eight Contracting States to the Convention.
