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INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE CONTROL OF HARMFUL ANTI-FOULING SYSTEMS ON SHIPS, 2001

Extension by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Isle of Man

The Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization has the honour to state that he received notification, dated 21 May 2014, from the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, informing him that the International Convention on the Control of Harmful Anti-Fouling Systems on Ships, 2001, was extended to the Isle of Man with effect from 21 May 2014.

There are, at present, 68 Contracting States to the Convention, representing approximately 83.28%^{*} of the gross tonnage of the world's merchant shipping.

This tonnage percentage is based on world tonnage figures provided by IHS-Fairplay, effective as of 31 December 2013. Tonnage figures are liable to fluctuate from year to year.

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