



How does IMO's Safety Of Life At Sea (SOLAS) treaty make a difference?

NAVIGATING SAFELY

SOLAS chapter V enhances the safety of navigation by establishing minimum requirements for navigational systems and equipment on ships. The chapter outlines the responsibilities of States to offer essential services that support safe navigation. These include navigational warnings, meteorological and hydrographic information, vessel traffic services (VTS), aids to navigation, and search and rescue operations. Ships' routeing measures are covered under the chapter - to improve traffic management and reduce the risk of collisions and groundings.

