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**RELATIONS WITH NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS**

THE ASSEMBLY,

RECALLING Part XVI of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization and, in particular, Article 67,

BEARING IN MIND the Rules and Guidelines for Consultative Status of Non-Governmental International Organizations with the International Maritime Organization ("the Rules and Guidelines"),

RECALLING that rule 1 of the Rules and Guidelines requires that consultative status granted by the Council to such organizations be subject to approval by the Assembly,

RECALLING ALSO that rule 10 of the same Rules and Guidelines provides for a periodic review by the Council of the list of non-governmental international organizations in consultative status with IMO and for a report to be submitted to the Assembly on the continuation, or otherwise, of such status,

BEARING IN MIND the change of initials, from OGP to IOGP, denoting the International Association of Oil & Gas Producers,

BEARING ALSO IN MIND the amalgamation between the International Chamber of Shipping (ICS) and the International Shipping Federation (ISF), as well as the decision to operate at IMO under the banner of ICS,

NOTING the subsequent decision of the Council, at its 113th session, to withdraw ISF's consultative status with IMO,

NOTING ALSO the decision of the Council, at its 113th and 114th sessions, to grant consultative status to the International Water Mist Association (IWMA) and the International Port Community Systems Association (IPCSA), respectively,

NOTING FURTHER the decision of the Council, at its 114th session, to withdraw the consultative status granted to PIANC, the World Association for Waterborne Transport Infrastructure (PIANC),

RECALLING the decision of the Council, at its 114th session, to encourage the participation of the International Ocean Institute (IOI) and the Iberoamerican Institute of Maritime Law (IIDM) in those IMO meetings which are relevant to their work,

REAFFIRMING that all non-governmental international organizations in consultative status are required to contribute substantially to the work of IMO in their respective fields of work,

1 APPROVES the decision of the Council to grant consultative status to IWMA and IPCSA;

2 APPROVES ALSO the decision of the Council to withdraw the consultative status granted to ISF and PIANC;

3 ENDORSES the decision of the Council regarding the maintenance of consultative status by the remaining organizations; and

4 APPROVES FURTHER the following list of non-governmental international organizations in consultative status with IMO:

Name of non-governmental organization		Year consultative status was granted
1	INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF SHIPPING (ICS)	1961
2	INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR STANDARDIZATION (ISO)	1961
3	INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION (IEC)	1961
4	INTERNATIONAL UNION OF MARINE INSURANCE (IUMI)	1961
5	INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (ICC)	1961
6	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MARINE AIDS TO NAVIGATION AND LIGHTHOUSE AUTHORITIES (IALA)	1961
7	COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL RADIO-MARITIME (CIRM)	1961
8	COMITÉ MARITIME INTERNATIONAL (CMI)	1967
9	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PORTS AND HARBORS (IAPH)	1967
10	BIMCO	1969
11	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CLASSIFICATION SOCIETIES (IACS)	1969
12	ICHCA INTERNATIONAL LTD. (ICHCA)	1969
13	EUROPEAN CHEMICAL INDUSTRY COUNCIL (CEFIC)	1971

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14	OIL COMPANIES INTERNATIONAL MARINE FORUM (OCIMF)	1971
15	FRIENDS OF THE EARTH INTERNATIONAL (FOEI)	1973
16	INTERNATIONAL MARITIME PILOTS' ASSOCIATION (IMPA)	1973
17	INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL CONTAINER LESSORS (IICL)	1975
18	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF DRILLING CONTRACTORS (IADC)	1975
19	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSTITUTES OF NAVIGATION (IAIN)	1975
20	INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF MARINE INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS (ICOMIA)	1975
21	INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF SHIPMASTERS' ASSOCIATIONS (IFSMA)	1975
22	INTERNATIONAL LIFE-SAVING APPLIANCE MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION (ILAMA)	1975
23	INTERNATIONAL SALVAGE UNION (ISU)	1975
24	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF OIL & GAS PRODUCERS (IOGP)	1975
25	COMMUNITY OF EUROPEAN SHIPYARDS' ASSOCIATIONS (CESA)	1979
26	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INDEPENDENT TANKER OWNERS (INTERTANKO)	1979
27	INTERNATIONAL GROUP OF PROTECTION AND INDEMNITY ASSOCIATIONS (P & I Clubs)	1979
28	THE INTERNATIONAL TANKER OWNERS POLLUTION FEDERATION LTD. (ITOPF)	1981
29	INTERNATIONAL UNION FOR CONSERVATION OF NATURE (IUCN)	1981
30	ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON PROTECTION OF THE SEA (ACOPS)	1983
31	SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL GAS TANKER AND TERMINAL OPERATORS LTD. (SIGTTO)	1983

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32	INTERNATIONAL MARITIME RESCUE FEDERATION (IMRF)	1985
33	INTERNATIONAL ROAD TRANSPORT UNION (IRU)	1987
34	INTERNATIONAL SHIPSUPPLIERS & SERVICES ASSOCIATION (ISSA)	1989
35	DANGEROUS GOODS ADVISORY COUNCIL (DGAC)	1989
36	GREENPEACE INTERNATIONAL	1991
37	CRUISE LINES INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION (CLIA)	1993
38	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF DRY CARGO SHIPOWNERS (INTERCARGO)	1993
39	INTERNATIONAL MARITIME LECTURERS ASSOCIATION (IMLA)	1993
40	WORLD WIDE FUND FOR NATURE (WWF)	1993
41	THE EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION OF INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE MANUFACTURERS (EUROMOT)	1993
42	INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM INDUSTRY ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION (IPIECA)	1995
43	THE INSTITUTE OF MARINE ENGINEERING, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (IMarEST)	1995
44	IBEROAMERICAN INSTITUTE OF MARITIME LAW (IIDM)	1995
45	INTERNATIONAL SHIP MANAGERS' ASSOCIATION (InterManager)	1995
46	INTERNATIONAL PARCEL TANKERS ASSOCIATION (IPTA)	1997
47	INTERNATIONAL SAILING FEDERATION (ISAF)	1999
48	INTERNATIONAL MARINE CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION (IMCA)	1999
49	INTERNATIONAL OCEAN INSTITUTE (IOI)	1999
50	WORLD NUCLEAR TRANSPORT INSTITUTE (WNTI)	1999
51	INTERNATIONAL HARBOUR MASTERS' ASSOCIATION (IHMA)	2001

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52	INTERNATIONAL BULK TERMINALS ASSOCIATION (IBTA)	2001
53	INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN MARITIME ASSOCIATION (ICMA)	2001
54	THE ROYAL INSTITUTION OF NAVAL ARCHITECTS (RINA)	2001
55	INTERNATIONAL VESSEL OPERATORS DANGEROUS GOODS ASSOCIATION, INC. (IVODGA)	2001
56	INTERFERRY	2003
57	INTERNATIONAL MARITIME HEALTH ASSOCIATION (IMHA)	2003
58	INTERNATIONAL TOWING TANK CONFERENCE (ITTC)	2005
59	INTERNATIONAL BUNKER INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION (IBIA)	2005
60	THE FEDERATION OF NATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS OF SHIP BROKERS AND AGENTS (FONASBA)	2007
61	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MARITIME UNIVERSITIES (IAMU)	2007
62	INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT WORKERS' FEDERATION (ITF)	2007
63	INTERNATIONAL PAINT AND PRINTING INK COUNCIL (IPPIC)	2007
64	INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR ANIMAL WELFARE (IFAW)	2007
65	INTERNATIONAL SPILL CONTROL ORGANIZATION (ISCO)	2007
66	GLOBAL MARITIME EDUCATION AND TRAINING ASSOCIATION (GlobalMET)	2009
67	WORLD SHIPPING COUNCIL (WSC)	2009
68	NACE INTERNATIONAL	2009
69	INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF AIRPORT AND SEAPORT POLICE (IAASP)	2009
70	THE NAUTICAL INSTITUTE (NI)	2009
71	SUPERYACHT BUILDERS ASSOCIATION (SYBAss)	2011

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72	PACIFIC ENVIRONMENT	2011
73	CLEAN SHIPPING COALITION (CSC)	2011
74	BUREAU INTERNATIONAL DES CONTAINERS ET DU TRANSPORT INTERMODAL (BIC)	2011
75	INTERNATIONAL IRON METALLICS ASSOCIATION LTD. (IIMA)	2011
76	INTERNATIONAL WATER MIST ASSOCIATION (IWMA)	2015
77	INTERNATIONAL PORT COMMUNITY SYSTEMS ASSOCIATION (IPCSA)	2015

