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NATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR DEALING WITH  
SIGNIFICANT SPILLAGES OF OIL

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THE ASSEMBLY,

FOR THE PURPOSE of promoting rapid action by the Governments concerned in cases of significant spillages of oil following accidents,

HAVING IN MIND the recommendation of the Council of the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization at its third extraordinary session,

RECOMMENDS to Governments that they implement such national arrangements as to enable them to deal with significant spillages of oil from ships. These may include the establishment of emergency ports, equipped with the necessary facilities for emergency operations.

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