

Guidelines for the Implementation of MARPOL Annex V

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Since the publication of Guidelines for the Implementation of MARPOL Annex V, 2017 edition, the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) has adopted resolution MEPC.314(74), which entered into force on 1 October 2020. The amendments to MARPOL Annex V presented in this supplement have been incorporated in MARPOL Consolidated Edition 2022.

Resolution MEPC.314(74)

Amendments to MARPOL Annexes I, II and V

Electronic record books

MARPOL ANNEX V

Regulations for the prevention of pollution by garbage from ships

Regulation 1*

Definitions

1 *A new paragraph 19 is added as follows:*

"19 *Electronic Record Book* means a device or system, approved by the Administration, used to electronically record the required entries for discharges, transfers and other operations as required under this Annex in lieu of a hard copy record book."

* Refer to *Guidelines for the Implementation of MARPOL Annex V, 2017 edition*, page 53.

Regulation 10*

Placards, garbage management plans and garbage record-keeping

2 *The second sentence of the chapeau of paragraph 3 is replaced by the following:*

“The Garbage Record Book, whether as a part of the ship’s official logbook, or as an electronic record book which shall be approved by the Administration taking into account the Guidelines developed by the Organization, or otherwise, shall be in the form specified in appendix II to this Annex:”

3 *In the second sentence of paragraph 3.1, the words “or group of electronic entries” are inserted after the words “each completed page”.*

* Refer to *Guidelines for the Implementation of MARPOL Annex V*, 2017 edition, page 62.