

The 27th Shipping Consultative Committee Meeting

Notice of meeting

Date: 3 November 2005 (Thursday)

Time: 2:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Place: Conference Room A, Marine Department, 24/F, Harbour Building, 38 Pier Road, Central, Hong Kong.

Agenda

1. Declaration of Interest
2. Confirmation of the Minutes of the 26th Meeting held on 4 May 2005
3. Maritime Security
 - Long range identification and tracking systems
4. New SOLAS Amendments
5. Implementation of MARPOL Annex IV (Regulations for the prevention of pollution by sewage from ships) and MARPOL Annex VI (Regulations for the prevention of air pollution from ships)
6. Policy relating to Phasing Out Single Hull Tankers
7. Matters relating to the Hong Kong Shipping Register (HKSR)
 - (a) HKSR statistics;
 - (b) Flag State Quality Control (FSQC) and Pre-Register Quality Control (PRQC) statistics;
 - (c) Detention of HK ships and related statistics;
 - (d) Detention of HK ships on security ground;
 - (e) HK ship accidents and casualties statistics;
 - (f) Company identity number

8. Safe Manning Certificate and Ratings Nomenclature
9. Proposed Amendments to Freight Container (Safety) Ordinance, Cap. 506
10. Outcome of the Conference on SUA Convention
11. Goal Based Standards
12. MD's Views on the Voluntary IMO Member State Audit Scheme
13. Any Other Business