

Summary of the amendments to MARPOL Annexes I, II, IV and V

Marpol Annex	Description
I	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. “Arctic waters” is included in the area that are prohibited to discharge oil or oil mixture; 2. New Chapter 11 “International Code for Ships Operating in Polar Waters” is added to define the terms and require ships operating in polar waters shall comply with the Polar Code and this MARPOL Annex I; and 3. Amendment of the IOPP Form A and Form B to add a new section for ships operating in Polar Waters.
II	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Requirement of Polar Code is added; 2. New Chapter 10 “International Code for Ships Operating in Polar Waters” is added to define the terms and require ships operating in polar waters shall comply with the Polar Code and this MARPOL Annex II; and 3. Amend the “Standard format for the Procedures and Arrangements Manual” to add Polar Code and replace “Antarctic area” with “polar waters”.
IV	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Requirement of Polar Code is added; and 2. New Chapter 7 “International Code for Ships Operating in Polar Waters” is added to define the terms and require ships operating in polar waters shall comply with the Polar Code and this MARPOL Annex IV.
V	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Requirement of Polar Code is added; 2. New Chapter 3 “International Code for Ships Operating in Polar Waters” is added to define the terms and require ships operating in polar waters shall comply with the Polar Code and this MARPOL Annex V; and 3. Amend the “Form of Garbage Record Book”.