



**Marine Notice 01 of 2013  
Supersedes 1/2012**

## Summary of Marine Notices

The purpose of this Marine Notice is to notify industry, seafarers, shipowners and other interested parties about the Marine Notices which remain current as at 31 December 2012. These Marine Notices are listed in the attachment at Table A.

All other Marine Notices are no longer valid and are cancelled. For ease of reference Marine Notices cancelled during 2012 are listed in the attachment at Table B.

This is an annual Marine Notice and supersedes Marine Notice 1/2012, which is hereby cancelled.

Further information can be obtained by contacting AMSA Communication on (02) 6279 5820.

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**Table A – Current Marine Notices List  
(As at 31 December 2012)**

<b>MN</b>	<b>Title</b>
20/2012	Pilot transfer arrangements
19/2012	Guidelines for revised garbage discharge regulations
18/2012	Sound navigational practices
17/2012	Ensuring adequate waste reception facilities
16/2012	Changes to the format and renewal of AMSA Certificates of Safety Training (CoST)
15/2012	Shipping fairways off the north-west coast of Australia
13/2012	Introduction of measures to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from international shipping
12/2012	Disabling the automatic channel switching function on VHF marine radios with Digital Selective Calling (DSC) capability
11/2012	Guidance on ECDIS for ships calling at Australian ports
10/2012	Changes to the Australian Ship Reporting System (AUSREP)
09/2012	Fitness for duty
08/2012	Transfer operations at sea and in coastal waters
06/2012	Revised garbage discharge regulations for ships
05/2012	Collision risks to offshore yachts
04/2012	Safety of fishing vessels
03/2012	Great Barrier Reef and Torres Strait Coastal Pilotage Passage Plan Model available on AMSA website
02/2012	The correct use of marine hydrometers
19/2011	Increased penalties for pollution offences
18/2011	Safe access and operational safety during cargo operations
17/2011	Under Keel Clearance Management (UKCM) system declared operational in Torres Strait
16/2011	New confined space regulation
14/2011	Helicopter operations
13/2011	Receipt of Maritime Safety Information (MSI)
12/2011	Minimising the risk of ships colliding with cetaceans
11/2011	Navigation safety in the vicinity of barges
09/2011	Carriage of electronic nautical publications
08/2011	New and revised charges for marine services and ship registration
06/2011	Update on application of the Bunkers Convention in Australia
05/2011	Use or carriage of heavy grade oils in the Antarctic area
04/2011	Medical examinations leading to the issue of a Certificate of Medical Fitness - changes to gaining a seafarers medical
03/2011	Guidance document for the recording of operations in the Oil Record Book Part I
02/2011	Synthetic fibre slings
20/2010	Hot work & safety
19/2010	Understanding the limitations of the International Maritime Solid Bulk Cargoes Code (IMSBC) Code
14/2010	Revised regulations for air emissions from vessels
11/2010	Guidelines for commercial shipping rescuing persons at sea in or adjacent to the Australian Search and Rescue Region
07/2010	Increase in Protection of the Sea Levy from 1 April 2010
05/2010	Australian Counter Piracy and Armed Robbery at Sea Advisory Guidelines and brochure
04/2010	Construction, inspection and maintenance of accommodation ladders and gangways
03/2010	Defect with <i>Veleria S. Giorgio</i> ALTURA lifebuoys
16/2009	Expected actions of bridge teams in Australian pilotage waters
13/2009	Australian Certificate for the Carriage of Livestock. (ACCL)
12/2009	Entry into force of SOLAS Regulation VI/5-1 Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS)
07/2009	Bridge Resource Management (BRM) and Torres Strait pilotage
05/2009	Long-Range Identification and Tracking
04/2009	In-transit fumigation of ship's cargoes
19/2008	Presence of asbestos in ships
18/2008	Drugs & alcohol
12/2008	Anchoring off Australian ports
09/2008	AMSA surveyors entering lifeboats

**Table B - List of Marine Notices cancelled during 2012  
(As at 31 December 2012)**

<b>MN</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Action</b>
14/2012	Concentrated inspection campaign on Fire Safety Systems (FSS)	No longer valid/required
07/2012	Guidance on ECDIS for ships calling at Australian ports	Superseded by 11/2012
01/2012	Summary of Marine Notices	Superseded by 01/2013
20/2011	Manila amendments to the STCW Convention and STCW Code related to responsibilities of companies and fitness for duty	No longer valid/required
15/2011	Possible explosion hazard with refrigerated shipping containers	No longer valid/required
07/2011	Changes to the Great Barrier Reef and Torres Strait Vessel Traffic Service	No longer valid/required
18/2010	Fitness for duty	Superseded by 09/2012
17/2010	Incident reporting and AMSA Service Charter	No longer valid/required
15/2010	Carriage and use of Electronic Chart Display and Information System	Superseded by 11/2012
13/2010	The safe loading/unloading, stowage and shipment of solid bulk cargoes	No longer valid/required
10/2010	SANCTIONS - Côte d'Ivoire, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Iran, Iraq, Lebanon, Liberia, Sierra	No longer valid/required
02/2010	Port/Flag State Control - focused inspection campaign	No longer valid/required
18/2009	Ensuring adequate waste reception facilities	Superseded by 17/2012
15/2009	Piracy and armed robbery against ships	No longer valid/required
14/2009	Collision risks to off-shore yachts	Superseded by 05/2012
08/2009	National Maritime Emergency Response Arrangement	No longer valid/required
02/2009	Update of information regarding Port State Control in Australia	No longer valid/required
15/2008	Disposal of dry bulk cargo residues in Australian waters	No longer valid/required
14/2008	Night-time lookout - photochromic lenses and dark adaption	No longer valid/required
07/2008	Transfer operations at sea and in coastal waters	Superseded by 08/2012
29/2007	Use of the Global Positioning System (GPS) and Differential GPS (DGPS)	No longer valid/required
25/2007	OH&S incident report analysis	No longer valid/required
24/2007	Ship safety and marine pollution in the Antarctic and Sub-Antarctic waters	No longer valid/required
23/2007	Draught limitation in Torres Strait	No longer valid/required
20/2007	Oxy-acetylene welding systems	No longer valid/required
15/2007	Pre-entry reports to REEFVTS	No longer valid/required
14/2007	Coastal pilots - Licensed Pilotage Areas	No longer valid/required
12/2007	Prevention of accidents with lifeboats	No longer valid/required
10/2007	Maintaining GMDSS operator familiarisation	No longer valid/required
04/2007	Safety of fishing vessels	Superseded by 04/2012