



NIGERIAN MARITIME ADMINISTRATION AND SAFETY AGENCY (NIMASA)

(Established under the Nigerian Maritime Administration and Safety Agency Act, 2007)

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MARINE NOTICE

**TO: All Ship Owners, Shipping Companies,
International Oil Companies, Ship Operators, Ship
Masters/Captains/ Agents, Offshore Installations
& Platforms, Officers of Merchant Ships, Maritime
Stakeholders and the General Public.**

PREVENTION OF AIR POLLUTION FROM SHIPS- IMPLEMENTATION OF MARPOL ANNEX VI

Pursuant to the statutory mandate of the Nigerian Maritime Administration and Safety Agency to establish procedures for the implementation of International Conventions, Protocols and Codes for the Prevention and Control of Pollution from Ships, Notice is hereby given:

1. That in line with Regulations 14 of the International Convention on the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) Annex VI, the Sulphur content of any Oil used on-board Ships shall not exceed 0.5%*m/m* on and after 1st January 2019.
2. That all Ships shall ensure that details of fuel oil delivered and used on-board the Ship shall be recorded by means of a bunker delivery note and that such delivery note be kept on board at all times and for a period of three (3) years in line with Regulation 18 (5) & (6) of MARPOL Annex VI.
3. That all Ships of 400 tonnes and above shall keep on-board a specific Ship Energy Efficiency Management Plan (SEEMP).
4. That non-compliance with the foregoing requirements shall attract appropriate sanctions under S.58 of the NIMASA Act, 2007.

Please be guided.

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