



## PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME FOR THE WORKSHOP ON THE 2010 HNS CONVENTION

*Wednesday, 1 May 2024, to Thursday, 2 May 2024 to be held in person and  
with remote-active participation at 4 Albert Embankment, London, SE1 7SR*

### **1** Introduction

- 1.1 A workshop on the 2010 HNS Convention is scheduled to take place from 2.30 pm on Wednesday, 1 May, and will continue on Thursday, 2 May, from 9.30 am to 5.30 pm. This document contains a provisional programme and information on registration for the workshop, which has been organised by the IOPC Funds, in cooperation with the International Maritime Organization (IMO), and which will take place immediately after the closure of the IOPC Funds' meeting the same week.
- 1.2 The workshop will be held both in person and with remote-active participation in the main conference hall of the IMO Headquarters building. Aside from the start time of 2.30 pm on Wednesday 1 May, working hours will follow the usual IMO timetable, i.e. from 9.30 am to 12.30 pm with a break from 11.00 am to 11.30 am and from 2.30 pm to 5.30 pm with a break from 4 pm to 4.30 pm.
- 1.3 Representatives of 1992 Fund Member States, Supplementary Fund Member States and States and organisations holding observer status with the IOPC Funds are invited to attend, as well as any additional Member States of IMO and organisations holding observer status with IMO. Representatives are encouraged to attend the workshop in person, however, the workshop will be held using the IMO hybrid meeting facility to enable wider participation.

### **2** Provisional programme

- 2.1 The Director, in consultation with IMO, has prepared the following provisional programme:

Wednesday 1 May		
PM	Introduction	Opening Remarks Current status of the 2010 HNS Convention
	Session 1	Reporting HNS – what you need to know
	Session 2	Panel session: contracting States and others share their experience in implementing the 2010 HNS Convention

Thursday 2 May		
AM	Session 3	Presentation of the different reporting models
	Session 4	Open discussion on a simplified approach to reporting and consideration of update to the Reporting Guidelines
PM	Session 5	Reporting Requirements on States prior to and after entry into force
	Session 6	HNS online reporting tool
	Session 7	Entry into force timeline and action plan
	Conclusion	Closing remarks

2.2 Further information on the workshop can be found on the [HNS website](#).

### **3 Registration and joining instructions**

3.1 Participants should register directly with the IOPC Funds Secretariat (and not the IMO) in advance of the workshop, ideally no later than **Monday, 22 April 2024**, via the online registration form within the [Document Services section](#) of the website.

3.2 Those wishing to participate remotely in the workshop should also register via the IOPC Funds' meeting registration form, ensuring to indicate that they will not be attending the workshop in person. An email will be sent with a joining link for Zoom to all remote-active participants. This Zoom link will be personalised and should not be shared with any other person. Participants who register to participate remotely using the IMO hybrid meeting facility will receive further information on the procedures for using this service, including joining instructions, by email in due course.

3.3 For further information, please email [conference@iopcfunds.org](mailto:conference@iopcfunds.org).