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## Marine Legislation Amendment (Marine Pollution) Bill 2002

#### **Explanatory note**

This explanatory note relates to this Bill as introduced into Parliament.

#### Overview of Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend the Marine Pollution Act 1987:

- (a) to amend the definition of *ship* to include any vessel of any type whatsoever capable of being used on or in water (except a pleasure vessel), and to include platforms and floating docks, and
- (b) to increase a number of the penalties under the Act, including increasing the penalty for a discharge of oil or an oily mixture or a noxious substance from a ship:
  - (i) from \$220 000 to \$500 000 if the offender is an individual, and
  - (ii) from \$1.1 million to \$10 million if the offender is a body corporate, and
- (c) to provide separate offences whereby a person whose act causes a discharge of oil or an oily mixture or a noxious substance from a ship can be prosecuted in relation to the discharge, and

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- (d) to restrict the defence of damage in relation to a discharge of oil or an oily mixture or a noxious substance, and
- (e) to require certain ships in State waters to be adequately insured against oil pollution, and to carry evidence of that insurance on board, and
- (f) to permit an inspector to detain a ship if he or she has reasonable grounds to believe that the ship does not have adequate insurance or does not carry on board evidence of that insurance, and
- (g) to permit a summons against a crew member of a ship to be served on the agent of the ship, and
- (h) to expand the definition of *appropriate person* with regard to pollution relating to transfer operations, and
- (i) to make other minor amendments.

The Bill also amends the *Ports Corporatisation and Waterways Management Act 1995* to require all penalties recovered under the marine legislation to be either paid to a Port Corporation if a member of staff of the Port Corporation prosecuted the offence or issued the penalty notice or paid to the Waterways Fund in any other case.

#### Outline of provisions

Clause 1 sets out the name (also called the short title) of the proposed Act.

**Clause 2** provides for the commencement of the proposed Act on a day or days to be appointed by proclamation.

**Clause 3** is a formal provision giving effect to the amendments to the *Marine Pollution Act 1987* set out in Schedule 1.

**Clause 4** is a formal provision giving effect to the amendments to the *Ports Corporatisation and Waterways Management Act 1995* set out in Schedule 2.

#### Schedule 1 Amendment of Marine Pollution Act 1987

#### **Definition of ship**

**Schedule 1** [1] amends the definition of *ship* in section 3 to mean a vessel of any type whatsoever capable of being used on or in water (except a pleasure vessel) including a hydrofoil boat, an air-cushion vehicle, a submersible or submarine, a

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floating craft, a fixed or floating platform, a barge (whether self-propelled or not), a sea-plane and a floating dock (whether self-propelled or not).

#### Increase in penalties

Schedule 1 [4], [5], [9]–[14], [18], [19], [25]–[28] and [32]–[35] increase the penalties for offences relating to a discharge of oil or an oily mixture or a noxious substance and for other related offences, including a failure or delay in reporting such a discharge or failure to co-operate in providing information. The penalty for a discharge of oil or an oily mixture or a noxious substance from a ship is increased from \$220 000 (2 000 penalty units) to \$500 000 if the offender is an individual and from \$1.1 million (10 000 penalty units) to \$10 million if the offender is a body corporate.

#### Defence of damage

Schedule 1 [7] amends section 8 (3) to restrict the defence of damage which is available to the master or owner of a ship that has discharged oil or an oily mixture into State waters. This defence is available if the discharge was caused by damage to the ship or its equipment and all reasonable steps have been taken after the discharge. Currently, only damage arising in circumstances where the master or owner has acted with intent to cause the damage or has acted recklessly and with knowledge of the possible consequences has been excluded from this defence. The amendment will mean that the following types of damage will now be excluded from the defence, namely, damage arising as a result of the master, owner, or a person acting under the direction of the master or owner, acting with intent to cause the damage, acting recklessly or acting negligently, damage arising as a result of a failure to maintain the ship or its equipment, damage arising as a result of wear and tear and defects that develop during the normal operation of the ship or its equipment. Schedule 1 [21] makes a similar amendment to section 18 in relation to discharges of substances into State waters. Schedule 1 [6] and [20] make consequential amendments.

#### Offences by persons causing discharges

Schedule 1 [3] amends section 8 by restricting prosecutions under that section to the master or owner of the ship from which the discharge occurred. Any other person whose act causes a discharge of oil or an oily mixture into State waters from a ship is now to be prosecuted under proposed section 8A rather than section 8. Section 8A is inserted by Schedule 1 [8].

The new provision contains two offences, the first offence is a strict liability offence against any crew member of the ship or person involved in the operation or

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maintenance of the ship whose act causes a discharge. For the offence to be made out the prosecution need only allege and prove that a discharge of oil or an oily mixture occurred from a ship into State waters and the crew member or person involved in the operation or maintenance of the ship caused the discharge. The second offence applies to each person responsible for the discharge. A person is responsible if that person, or another person acting under the direction of that person, commits an act that causes the discharge and the act is committed with intent to cause the discharge, recklessly with the knowledge that a discharge would probably result, or negligently.

In both offences a person may be fined up to \$500 000 in the case of an individual and \$10 million in the case of a body corporate.

Certain discharges are exempt from both offences and these exemptions mirror those found in section 8. A prosecution under section 8A does not affect the prosecution of the master or owner of a ship (or both of them) under section 8, however a person is not liable to be convicted of more than one offence under section 8 and the new provisions in respect of the same discharge. **Schedule 1** [17] and [22] make similar changes in relation to discharges of substances into State waters from ships. **Schedule 1** [15], [23], [24] and [29] make consequential amendments.

#### Insurance

Schedule 1 [16] inserts a new Division 2 into Part 2 requiring certain ships, when in State waters, to have adequate insurance. If a ship does not have adequate insurance, or carry on board evidence of that insurance in an approved form, the master and owner of the ship are each guilty of an offence and may be fined up to \$55 000 in the case of an individual and \$110 000 in the case of a body corporate. Adequate insurance means insurance or financial security against damage that may be caused by a discharge from the ship of oil or an oily mixture as determined or approved by the Minister, or a relevant insurance certificate that is required to be carried under the Protection of the Sea (Civil Liability) Act 1981 of the Commonwealth. An inspector may detain a ship if the inspector has reasonable grounds to believe that a ship does not have adequate insurance or carry evidence of that insurance on board. If a detained ship leaves a port or other place at which it is detained before it is released from detention, the master and owner of the ship are each guilty of an offence and may be fined up to \$55 000 in the case of an individual and \$110 000 in the case of a body corporate. Schedule 1 [2] makes a consequential amendment.

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#### Other matters

Schedule 1 [30], [31] and [37]–[39] make several minor amendments to clarify that in relation to a discharge that results from a transfer operation there may be more than one appropriate person for the purpose of certain proceedings. The amendment to section 25 also includes the addition of two new persons as appropriate persons. Appropriate person will now include, in relation to a discharge from a ship, the person in charge of the transfer operation of the ship, and in relation to a discharge from a pipeline, the owner of the pipeline.

Schedule 1 [36] makes a statute law revision amendment.

**Schedule 1 [40]** amends section 52B to permit the security taken by the Minister under section 52 or 52A to be applied in payment of any costs order, in favour of any person, made against the master or owner of a ship in proceedings for an offence in relation to a discharge.

Schedule 1 [41]–[43] permit a summons against a crew member of a ship to be served on the agent of the ship.

Schedule 1 [44] contains a savings and transitional provision.

### Schedule 2 Amendment of Ports Corporatisation and Waterways Management Act 1995

Schedule 2 [1] inserts a new section 21A which provides that penalties recovered for offences against the marine legislation in prosecutions brought by (or as a result of penalty notices issued by) members of staff of a Port Corporation are to be paid to the Port Corporation and become the property of the Port Corporation. Schedule 2 [2] amends section 42 to provide that all penalties recovered for offences against the marine legislation are to be paid into the Waterways Fund except those payable to a Port Corporation under proposed section 21A.

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#### A Bill for

An Act to amend the *Marine Pollution Act 1987* to make further provision relating to the protection of the sea and certain waters from pollution by oil and other noxious substances discharged from ships; to amend the *Ports Corporatisation and Waterways Management Act 1995* to make provision for the payment of money recovered for offences; and for other purposes.

The L	egislature of New South Wales enacts:	1
1	Name of Act	2
	This Act is the Marine Legislation Amendment (Marine Pollution) Act 2002.	3 4
2	Commencement	5
	This Act commences on a day or days to be appointed by proclamation.	6 7
3	Amendment of Marine Pollution Act 1987 No 299	8
	The Marine Pollution Act 1987 is amended as set out in Schedule 1.	9
4	Amendment of Ports Corporatisation and Waterways Management Act 1995 No 13	10 11
	The Ports Corporatisation and Waterways Management Act 1995 is amended as set out in Schedule 2.	12 13

Amendment of Marine Pollution Act 1987

Schedule 1

Schedule 1		Am	endment of Marine Pollution Act 1987	1		
			(Section 3)	2		
[4]	Section 2	Dafinit	liene			
[1]	Section 3	Dennit	lions	3		
	Omit the d	efinitio	on of <i>ship</i> in section 3 (1). Insert instead:	4		
	<i>ship</i> means a vessel of any type whatsoever capable of being used on or in water and includes:					
		(a)	a hydrofoil boat, or	7		
		(b)	an air-cushion vehicle, or	8		
		(c)	a submersible or submarine, or	9		
		(d)	a floating craft, or	10		
		(e)	a fixed or floating platform, or	11		
		(f)	a barge (whether self propelled or not), or	12		
		(g)	a sea-plane, or	13		
		(h)	a floating dock (whether self propelled or not),	14		
		but d	loes not include a pleasure vessel.	15		
[2]	Part 2, Div	ision 1	1	16		
	Insert befor	re sect	ion 7:	17		
	Division <sup>•</sup>	1	Discharge of oil or oily mixture	18		
[3]	Section 8 waters	Prohi	bition of discharge of oil or oily mixtures into State	19 20		
	Omit ", and section 8 (2)		y other person whose act caused the discharge," from	21 22		
[4]	Section 8	(1) (a)		23		
	Omit "2 00	)0 pena	alty units". Insert instead "\$500 000".	24		
[5]	Section 8	(1) (b)		25		
	Omit "10 0	)00 per	nalty units". Insert instead "\$10 000 000".	26		

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[6]	Section	on 8 (	(2) (b)		1
	Omit	", oth	er that	n intentional damage,".	2
[7]	Section	on 8 (	(3)		3
	Omit	the su	ıbsecti	on. Insert instead:	4
		(3)		he purposes of subsection (2) (b), <i>damage</i> to a ship or its poment does not include the following:	5 6
			(a)	<ul> <li>damage arising as a result of the master or owner of the ship, or another person acting under the direction of the master or owner of the ship:</li> <li>(i) acting with intent to cause the damage, or</li> <li>(ii) acting recklessly and with the knowledge that damage would probably result, or</li> <li>(iii) acting negligently,</li> </ul>	7 8 9 10 11 12 13
			(b)	damage arising from a failure to maintain the ship or equipment,	14 15
			(c)	damage arising through wear and tear,	16
			(d)	defects that develop during the normal operation of the ship or equipment.	17 18
[8]	Section	on 8A	<b>N</b>		19
	Insert	after	sectio	n 8:	20
	8A	Per: wat		causing a discharge of oil or oily mixtures into State	21 22
		(1)	into perso whos	y discharge of oil or an oily mixture occurs from a ship State waters, each crew member of the ship, and each on involved in the operation or maintenance of the ship, se act caused the discharge is guilty of an offence shable, upon conviction, by a fine not exceeding:	23 24 25 26 27
			(a)	if the offender is a natural person-\$500 000, or	28
			(b)	if the offender is a body corporate—\$10 000 000.	29
		(2)	suffic disch	roceedings for an offence under subsection (1), it is cient for the prosecution to allege and prove that a barge of oil or an oily mixture occurred from a ship into waters and the crew member or person involved in the	30 31 32 33

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operation or maintenance of the ship committed an act that 1 caused the discharge. 2 (3) If any discharge of oil or an oily mixture occurs from a ship 3 into State waters, each person responsible for the discharge is 4 guilty of an offence punishable, upon conviction, by a fine not 5 exceeding: 6 (a) if the offender is a natural person—\$500 000, or 7 if the offender is a body corporate—\$10 000 000. (b) 8 (4) For the purposes of subsection (3) a person is responsible for 9 the discharge if that person, or another person acting under the 10 direction of that person, committed an act that caused the 11 discharge and the person committed the act: 12 (a) with intent to cause the discharge, or 13 recklessly and with the knowledge that a discharge (b) 14 would probably result, or 15 negligently. (c) 16 (5) Subsections (1) and (3) do not apply to a discharge of a kind or 17 in circumstances referred to in section 8 (2) (a), (c) or (d) or (4). 18 (6) A prosecution under this section does not affect the prosecution 19 of the master or owner of a ship (or both of them) under 20 section 8, however a person is not liable to be convicted in 21 respect of the same discharge of both an offence: 22 (a) under this section and section 8(1), or 23 under subsections (1) and (3). (b) 24 Section 9 Oil residues 25 Omit "2 000 penalty units" from section 9 (1) (a). Insert instead "\$500 000". 26 Section 9 (1) (b) 27 Omit "10 000 penalty units". Insert instead "\$10 000 000". 28 Section 10 Duty to report certain incidents involving oil or an oily 29 mixture 30 Omit "500 penalty units" from section 10 (1). Insert instead "\$120 000". 31

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[12]	Secti	on 10	) (3) (c)			1
	Omit	"500	penalt	y units"	'. Insert instead "\$120 000".	2
[13]	Secti	on 10	) (3) (d)			3
	Omit	"2 50	)0 pena	lty unit	s". Insert instead "\$2 750 000".	4
[14]	Section	on 10	) (6), (7)	) and (8	3)	5
	Omit	"200	penalt	y units"	wherever occurring. Insert instead "\$120 000".	6
[15]	Secti	on 10	) (9)			7
	Insert	"or 8	BA (1)"	after "	against section 8 (1)".	8
[16]	Part 2	2, Div	ision 2			9
•••			section			10
	Divis	sion	2	Insu	rance	11
	13A	Application of Division				12
		(1)	This l	Divisio	n does not apply to:	13
			(a)	the for the	ollowing ships unless the regulations declare wise:	14 15
				(i)	a ship that has a gross tonnage of 400 or more,	16
				(ii)	a ship used wholly for the purpose of	17
					recreational or sporting activities and not for hire	18
				<i>(</i> )	or reward,	19
				(iii) (iv)	a ship less than 30 metres in length, a seaplane,	20 21
				$(\mathbf{v})$	a Government ship, other than a Government	21
					ship that is being used for commercial purposes,	23
					or	24
			(b)	a ship	o of any class declared by the regulations to be a	25
				class	of exempt ship for the purposes of this Division,	26
				or		27
			(c)		icular ship declared to be an exempt ship for the	28
					ses of this Division by order of the Minister given	29
				to the	owner or master of the ship.	30

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	(2)	sectio	as section, <i>Government ship</i> has the same meaning as in on 13 (1) of the <i>Protection of the Sea (Civil Liability)</i> 981 of the Commonwealth.	1 2 3				
13B	Shij	hips must be insured against oil pollution						
	(1)	In this section:						
		adegi	<i>uate insurance</i> in relation to a ship means:	6				
		(a)	such insurance or financial security against damage that may be caused by a discharge of oil or an oily mixture as the Minister:	7 8 9				
			<ul> <li>(i) determines, by notice published in the Gazette, is adequate in relation to a particular ship or class of ships, or</li> </ul>	10 11 12				
			<ul><li>(ii) approves in relation to a particular ship, and notifies in writing to the owner or master of the ship, or</li></ul>	13 14 15				
		(b)	if a ship is required by the <i>Protection of the Sea (Civil Liability) Act 1981</i> of the Commonwealth to carry a relevant insurance certificate on board, such a certificate in respect of the ship that is in force.	16 17 18 19				
			has the same meaning as in the Ports Corporatisation and rways Management Act 1995.	20 21				
		Prote	ant insurance certificate has the same meaning as in the ection of the Sea (Civil Liability) Act 1981 of the monwealth.	22 23 24				
	(2)	A shi	p must not be in State waters unless the ship:	25				
		(a)	has adequate insurance, and	26				
		(b)	carries on board evidence of that insurance in a form approved by the Minister.	27 28				
	(3)	or can this s guilty	hip is in State waters without having adequate insurance rrying on board evidence of that insurance as required by section, the master and the owner of the ship are each of an offence punishable, upon conviction, by a fine not eding:	29 30 31 32 33				
		(a)	if the offender is a natural person—\$55 000, or	34				
		(b)	if the offender is a body corporate—\$110 000.	35				

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	(4)	If an inspector believes on reasonable grounds that the ship does not have adequate insurance or carry on board evidence of that insurance as required by this section, the inspector may detain the ship in a port or at some other place until such time as the requirements of this section are met.	1 2 3 4 5
	(5)	If a ship, that is detained under this section, departs the port or other place at which it is detained before it is released from detention, the master and the owner are each guilty of an offence punishable, upon conviction, by a fine not exceeding:	6 7 8 9
		(a) if the offender is a natural person—\$55 000, or	10
		(b) if the offender is a body corporate—\$110 000.	11
	(6)	A person is not guilty of an offence under subsection (5) if the person can establish that he or she was not aware that the ship had been detained.	12 13 14
[17]	Section 18	Prohibition of discharge of substances into State waters	15
	Omit ", ar section 18	nd any other person whose act caused the discharge," from (1).	16 17
[18]	Section 18	(1) (a)	18
	Omit "2 00	0 penalty units". Insert instead "\$500 000".	19
[19]	Section 18	(1) (b)	20
	Omit "10 0	000 penalty units". Insert instead "\$10 000 000".	21
[20]	Section 18	(2) (b)	22
	Omit ", oth	er than intentional damage,".	23

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[21]	Section 18 (3)						
	Omit	the s	ubsectio	a. Insert instead:	2		
		(3)		purposes of subsection (2) (b), <i>damage</i> to a ship of ent does not include the following:	rits 3 4		
			(a)	<ul> <li>damage arising as a result of the master or owner of ship, or another person acting under the direction of master or owner of the ship:</li> <li>(i) acting with intent to cause the damage, or</li> <li>(ii) acting recklessly and with the knowledge t damage would probably result, or</li> <li>(iii) acting negligently,</li> </ul>	the 6 7 8		
			(b)	damage arising from a failure to maintain the ship equipment,	o or 12 13		
			(c)	damage arising through wear and tear,	14		
			(d)	defects that develop during the normal operation of ship or equipment.	the 15 16		
[22]	Section	on 18	BA		17		
	Insert	after	section	section 18:			
	18A	Per	sons ca	using a discharge of substances into State water	<b>S</b> 19		
		(1)	contain carried State v involv caused convic (a) (b)	discharge of a liquid substance, or of a mixt ing a liquid substance, being a substance or mixt as cargo or part cargo in bulk, occurs from a ship is raters, each crew member of the ship, and each per ed in the operation or maintenance of the ship, whose the discharge is guilty of an offence punishable, up ion, by a fine not exceeding: if the offender is a natural person—\$500 000, or if the offender is a body corporate—\$10 000 000.	ure     21       into     22       son     23       act     24       pon     25       26     27       28		
		(2)	suffici discha liquid	ceedings for an offence under subsection (1), it out for the prosecution to allege and prove that ge of a liquid substance, or of a mixture containing ubstance, being a substance or mixture carried as can cargo in bulk, occurred from a ship into State waters	t a 30 ag a 31 rgo 32		

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the crew member or person involved in the operation or maintenance of the ship committed an act that caused the discharge.

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3 (3) If any discharge of a liquid substance, or of a mixture 4 containing a liquid substance, being a substance or mixture 5 carried as cargo or part cargo in bulk, occurs from a ship into 6 State waters, each person responsible for the discharge is guilty 7 of an offence punishable, upon conviction, by a fine not 8 exceeding: 9 (a) if the offender is a natural person—\$500 000, or 10 (b) if the offender is a body corporate—\$10 000 000. 11 (4) For the purposes of subsection (3) a person is responsible for 12 the discharge if that person, or another person acting under the 13 direction of that person, committed an act that caused the 14 discharge and the person committed the act: 15 (a) with intent to cause the discharge, or 16 (b) recklessly and with the knowledge that a discharge 17 would probably result, or 18 (c) negligently. 19 (5) Subsections (1) and (3) do not apply to a discharge of a kind or 20 in circumstances referred to in section 18 (2) (a), (c) or (d) or 21 (4)–(12). 22 (6) A prosecution under this section does not affect the prosecution 23 of the master or owner of a ship (or both of them) under 24 section 18, however a person is not liable to be convicted in 25 respect of the same discharge of both an offence: 26 under this section and section 18 (1), or (a) 27 (b) under subsections (1) and (3). 28 [23] Section 19 Certain liquid substances to be treated as oil 29

Omit "section 8 applies" from section 19 (2) (a).	30
Insert instead "sections 8 and 8A apply".	31

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Section 20 Duty to re	es not apply". ns 18 and 18A do not apply" eport certain incidents involving certain substances	2 3 4
Section 20 Duty to re		
-	eport certain incidents involving certain substances	1
Omit "500 penalty u		4
	nits" from section 20 (1). Insert instead "\$120 000".	5
Section 20 (3) (c)		6
Omit "500 penalty u	nits". Insert instead "\$120 000".	7
Section 20 (3) (d)		8
Omit "2 500 penalty	units". Insert instead "\$2 750 000".	9
Section 20 (6), (7) a	nd (8)	10
Omit "200 penalty units" wherever occurring. Insert instead "\$120 000".		
Section 20 (9)		12
Insert "or 18A (1)" after "against section 18 (1)".		
Section 25 Interpret	ation	14
Omit the definition of <i>appropriate person</i> in section 25 (1). Insert instead:		
appropri	iate person means:	16
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× ×	the ship, and	26
(c) ir	relation to a discharge from an apparatus on a place	27
		28
(i	) the occupier of the place, or	29
	Omit "500 penalty un Section 20 (3) (d) Omit "2 500 penalty Section 20 (6), (7) an Omit "200 penalty un Section 20 (9) Insert "or 18A (1)" an Section 25 Interpret Omit the definition of approprind (a) in (i) (i) (b) in (i) (i) (c) in out	Omit "500 penalty units". Insert instead "\$120 000". Section 20 (3) (d) Omit "2 500 penalty units". Insert instead "\$2 750 000". Section 20 (6), (7) and (8) Omit "200 penalty units" wherever occurring. Insert instead "\$120 000". Section 20 (9) Insert "or 18A (1)" after "against section 18 (1)". Section 25 Interpretation Omit the definition of <i>appropriate person</i> in section 25 (1). Insert instead: <i>appropriate person</i> means: (a) in relation to a discharge from an apparatus on a ship: (i) the owner of the ship, or (ii) the master of the ship, or (iv) the person in charge of the apparatus, and (b) in relation to a discharge from a ship: (i) the owner of the ship, or (ii) the master of the ship, or (iii) the master of the ship, or (iv) the person in charge of the transfer operation of the ship, and (c) in relation to a discharge from an apparatus on a place on land:

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		(ii)	the owner of the apparatus, or	1
		(iii)	the person in charge of the apparatus, and	2
	(d)		ation to a discharge from a place on land the pier of the place, and	3 4
	(e)	in rela (i)	ation to a discharge from a purpose built pipeline: the occupier of the land on which the pipeline is situated, or	5 6 7
		(ii) (iii)	the person in charge of the pipeline the owner of the pipeline.	8 9
[31]	Section 25 (3)			10
	Insert after sect	ion 25 (2)	:	11
	(3) For	the avoid	lance of doubt, more than one appropriate person	12
			a discharge may be found guilty of an offence	13
	unc	ler sectior	n 27 or 28.	14
[32]	Section 27 Pro	hibition o	of discharges to which Part applies	15
	Omit "2 000 pe Insert instead "S	•	s" from section 27 (1) (a).	16 17
[33]	Section 27 (1)	(b)		18
	Omit "10 000 p	enalty un	its". Insert instead "\$10 000 000".	19
[34]	Section 28 Dut	y to repo	rt discharge	20
	Omit "500 pena	alty units"	from section 28 (1). Insert instead "\$120 000".	21
[35]	Section 28 (3)	and (4)		22
	Omit "200 pena	alty units"	wherever occurring. Insert instead "\$120 000".	23
[36]	Section 46 Rec oil	overy of o	costs and expenses with respect to pollution by	24 25
			n as the Minister thinks fit".	26 27

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[37]	Section 46 (2) (b)	1
	Omit "the appropriate person". Insert instead "an appropriate person".	2
[38]	Section 48 Prevention of pollution	3
	Omit "the appropriate person" from paragraph (b) of the definition of <i>appropriate person</i> in section 48 (5). Insert instead "an appropriate person".	4 5 6
[39]	Section 51 Recovery of damages	7
	Omit "the appropriate person" wherever occurring. Insert instead "an appropriate person".	8 9
[40]	Section 52B Security taken by the Minister	10
	Omit "to the Minister" from section 52B (3) (a).	11
[41]	Section 57 Service of summonses	12
	Omit "the owner or the master of a ship" from section 57 (1). Insert instead "the owner, master or crew member of a ship".	13 14
[42]	Section 57 (1)	15
	Omit "the owner or master under that section". Insert instead "the owner, master or crew member under that section".	16 17
[43]	Section 57 (2)	18
	Omit "the owner or master". Insert instead "the owner, master or crew member to whom the summons relates".	19 20 21

Schedule 1 Amendment of Marine Pollution Act 1987

[44]	Schedule 6 Repe	eals and savings and transitional provisions	1
	Omit "this Act an Act 1987." from c	d the Miscellaneous Acts (Marine Pollution) Amendment clause 4 (1).	2 3
	Insert instead:		4
	the fo	ollowing:	5
	(a)	this Act,	6
	(b)	Miscellaneous Acts (Marine Pollution) Amendment Act 1987,	7 8
	(c)	Marine Legislation Amendment (Marine Pollution) Act 2002.	9 10

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(Section 4)

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[1]	Section 21A			4
	Insert	after	section 21:	5
	21A	Pay	ment of penalties to Port Corporations	6
		(1)	There is payable to a Port Corporation all penalties recovered	7
		. ,	for offences against the marine legislation that are recovered in	8
			prosecutions brought by (or penalty notices issued by) members	9
			of staff of the Port Corporation.	10
		(2)	Penalties paid to a Port Corporation under this section become	11
			the property of the Port Corporation.	12
[2]	Section	on 42	2 Waterways Fund	13
	Omit	"men	nbers of staff of the Waterways Authority" in section 42 (2) (b).	14
	Insert	inste	ad "any person except where the penalty is payable to a Port	15
	Corporation under section 21A".			16