

# Report 152

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Amendments to the Annexes of the Protocol of 1978 relating to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973 and Amendments to the Annex of the Protocol of 1997 to Amend the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973, as modified by the Protocol of 1978 relating thereto. (London, 17 October 2014)

2015 Amendment to Annex G of the Australia-New Zealand Closer Economic Relations Agreement ('ANZCERTA') to effect the HS2012 transposition

Amendments, Adopted at Santa Cruz de Tenerife on 8 May 2015, to Annex I of the Agreement on the Conservation of Albatrosses and Petrels (ACAP) of 19 June 2001

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## Resolution of Appointment

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  - (i) either House of the Parliament;
  - (ii) a Minister; or
  - (iii) such other matters as may be referred to the committee by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and on such conditions as the Minister may prescribe.



## List of abbreviations

AMSA	Australian Maritime Safety Authority
ANZCERTA	Australia-New Zealand Closer Economic Relations Agreement
DFAT	Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade
HGO	Heavy Grade Oil
HS	Harmonised System
IAPP	International Air Pollution Prevention Certificate
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
IMO	International Maritime Organisation
JSCOT	Joint Standing Committee on Treaties
MARPOL	Marine Pollution
MEPC	Marine Environment Protection Committee
NIA	National Interest Analysis
NO	Nitrous Oxide
RIS	Regulation Impact Statement
ROO	Rules of Origin
WCO	The World Customs Organization





## List of recommendations

### 2 Amendments to the Annexes of Protocols to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

#### Recommendation 1

The Committee supports the amendments to the *Protocol of 1978 relating to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973* and the amendments to the Annex of the *Protocol of 1997 to Amend the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973, as modified by the Protocol of 1978 relating thereto* and recommends that binding treaty action be taken.