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NOTICE TO OIL MARKETERS/ IMPORTERS ON EXEMPTION FROM IOPC FUND CLEARANCE FOR THE YEAR 2020

The IOPC Funds are financed by contributions levied on any entity that has received in the relevant calendar year more than 150 000 tonnes of contributing oil (i.e. crude and/or heavy fuel oil) in ports or terminal installations in a Member State, after carriage by sea. Contributions are paid by the individual contributors directly to the Funds. The amount levied is decided each year by the governing bodies; the 1992 Fund Assembly and Supplementary Fund Assembly.

Due to the difficulties arising from the COVID-19 pandemic, the IOPC Funds' governing bodies have decided not to levy any contributions in the year 2020 due for payment by 1st March, 2021. The contributions will be levied in the year 2021 and due for payment by 1st March, 2022.

The IOPC Fund Secretariat will issue statements for contributors in early 2021 indicating any outstanding amounts due or credits owed.

Kenya Maritime Authority therefore wishes to inform its esteemed clients that they are exempted from IOPC Fund Clearance for the year 2020. The Authority will resume issuance of IOPC Fund Clearance letters in the year 2022.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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