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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT

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ANOTHER CMTP INSPIRED INITIATIVE

Invitation to Participate: at the Inaugural Maritime Legislation Stakeholders Consultation Week

The Department of Transport continues reforming maritime legislation considered to be a critical pillar in developing and growing South Africa to be an International Maritime Centre (IMC) in Africa by 2030. In this regard, the Department is holding a 5-days Maritime Legislation Consultation week from 27 November to 1 December 2023. The following draft pieces of Legislation and Regulations will be on the agenda for consultation as follows.

Draft Instrument	Date	Time
Draft Ballast Water Management Bill	27 November 2023	9:30- 13:00
Draft Wreck Removal Bill	28 November 2023	9:30 – 13:00
Facilitation of Maritime Traffic Convention	28 November 2023	14:00 – 17:00
Marine Pollution (Prevention of Pollution from Ships) Regulations	29 – 30 November 2023	9:30 – 13:00
Draft Maritime Zones Amendment Bill	30 November 2023	14:00 – 17:00
Marine Oil Pollution (Preparedness, Response and Cooperation) Regulations	1 December 2023	9:30 – 13:00
National Ports Act Regulations	1 December 2023	14:00 – 17:00

Links:

Date	Meeting link
27 November 2023	DRAFT BALLAST WATER MANAGEMENT BILL https://dot-gov-za.zoom.us/j/99116444923?pwd=SHFxY3JCeFhoNjJGRTRVMCsxMDRTdz09
28 November 2023	DRAFT WRECK REMOVAL BILL https://dot-gov-za.zoom.us/j/99020991416?pwd=OENvRlp1MzYrUmZ4SWWhOT1pLY3JNQOT09 FACILITATION OF MARITIME TRAFFIC CONVENTION https://dot-gov-za.zoom.us/j/99554715581?pwd=YnJmTTRCS1dBYUY3bXgzWEIrRUVhQT09
29 – 30 November 2023	MARINE POLLUTION (PREVENTION OF POLLUTION FROM SHIPS) REGULATIONS https://dot-gov-za.zoom.us/j/91663640249?pwd=eVVBRDlmZEY2a2lrQS9qTUwvemlpUT09 DRAFT MARITIME ZONES AMENDMENT BILL https://dot-gov-za.zoom.us/j/95267277464?pwd=djVoSkt4WHhZMTJubkpQWFFQRWIZQT09
1 December 2023	MARINE OIL POLLUTION (PREPAREDNESS, RESPONSE AND COOPERATION) REGULATIONS https://dot-gov-za.zoom.us/j/91607572257?pwd=cWhuajRrRDYzekhkbVIEbXZhc3JnQT09 NATIONAL PORTS ACT REGULATIONS https://dot-gov-za.zoom.us/j/97186812086?pwd=YnNxSmhaTGJqc0NndzVGT1J6TGg5UT09

Expression of interest to participate in all or any of the above consultations should be emailed to: mpahlwaC@dot.gov.za and matlalatm@dot.gov.za not later than the 21st of November 2023. Passwords will be shared with those who have expressed interest to participate.

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