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**Notice of accession to the 1992 Fund Convention
by the Islamic Republic of Iran and to the
Supplementary Fund Protocol by Estonia and Poland**

In accordance with Regulation 4.6 of the Internal Regulations of the International Oil Pollution Compensation Fund 1992, (1992 Fund), the Director has the honour to notify Contracting States that an instrument of accession to the International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage, 1992 (1992 Fund Convention) was deposited by the Islamic Republic of Iran on 5 November 2008. The 1992 Fund Convention will enter into force for the Islamic Republic of Iran on 5 November 2009.

The United Kingdom has extended the application of the 1992 Fund Convention to the Isle of Man with effect from 15 September 2008.

The 103 States which have deposited instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession in respect of the 1992 Fund Convention are listed overleaf.

In accordance with Regulation 4.6 of the Internal Regulations of the International Oil Pollution Compensation Supplementary Fund (Supplementary Fund), the Director has the honour to notify Contracting States that instruments of accession to the Protocol of 2003 to the 1992 Fund Convention (Supplementary Fund Protocol) were deposited by Estonia and Poland on 14 October 2008 and 9 December 2008 respectively. The Supplementary Fund Protocol will enter into force for Estonia on 14 January 2009 and for Poland on 9 March 2009.

The 23 States which have deposited instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession in respect of the Supplementary Fund Protocol are listed overleaf.

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1992 Fund Member States

<i>102 States for which 1992 Fund Convention is in force</i>		
Albania	Georgia	Oman
Algeria	Germany	Panama
Angola	Ghana	Papua New Guinea
Antigua and Barbuda	Greece	Philippines
Argentina	Grenada	Poland
Australia	Guinea	Portugal
Bahamas	Hungary	Qatar
Bahrain	Iceland	Republic of Korea
Barbados	India	Russian Federation
Belgium	Ireland	Saint Kitts and Nevis
Belize	Israel	Saint Lucia
Brunei Darussalam	Italy	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Bulgaria	Jamaica	Samoa
Cambodia	Japan	Seychelles
Cameroon	Kenya	Sierra Leone
Canada	Kiribati	Singapore
Cape Verde	Latvia	Slovenia
China (Hong Kong Special Administrative Region)	Liberia	South Africa
Colombia	Lithuania	Spain
Comoros	Luxembourg	Sri Lanka
Congo	Madagascar	Sweden
Cook Islands	Malaysia	Switzerland
Croatia	Maldives	Tonga
Cyprus	Malta	Trinidad and Tobago
Denmark	Marshall Islands	Tunisia
Djibouti	Mauritius	Turkey
Dominica	Mexico	Tuvalu
Dominican Republic	Monaco	United Arab Emirates
Ecuador	Morocco	United Kingdom
Estonia	Mozambique	United Republic of Tanzania
Fiji	Namibia	Uruguay
Finland	Netherlands	Vanuatu
France	New Zealand	Venezuela
Gabon	Nigeria	
	Norway	
<i>1 State which has deposited an instrument of accession, but for which the 1992 Fund Convention does not enter into force until date indicated</i>		
Iran (Islamic Republic of)		5 November 2009

Supplementary Fund Member States

<i>21 States Parties to the Supplementary Fund Protocol</i>		
Barbados	Greece	Netherlands
Belgium	Hungary	Norway
Croatia	Ireland	Portugal
Denmark	Italy	Slovenia
Finland	Japan	Spain
France	Latvia	Sweden
Germany	Lithuania	United Kingdom
<i>2 States which have deposited instruments of accession but for which the Protocol does not enter into force until date indicated</i>		
Estonia		14 January 2009
Poland		9 March 2009