



INTERNATIONAL  
OIL POLLUTION  
COMPENSATION  
FUND 1971

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**Notice of denunciation of the 1971 Fund Convention  
by Panama and the Republic of Seychelles**

In accordance with Regulation 4.6 of the Internal Regulations of the International Oil Pollution Compensation Fund 1971 (1971 Fund), the Director has the honour to notify Contracting States that, following the deposit of instruments of denunciation, the International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage, 1971 (1971 Fund Convention) will cease to be in force for Panama after 11 May 2000 and for the Republic of Seychelles after 23 July 2000.

A list of the 48 Contracting States to the 1971 Fund Convention, including the States which have deposited instruments of denunciation, appears overleaf.

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1971 Fund Contracting States

<i>40 States Parties to the 1971 Fund Convention</i>		
Albania	Iceland	Poland
Antigua and Barbuda	India	Portugal
Benin	Italy	Qatar
Brunei Darussalam	Kenya	Russian Federation
Cameroon	Kuwait	Saint Kitts and Nevis
Colombia	Malaysia	Sierra Leone
Côte d'Ivoire	Maldives	Slovenia
Djibouti	Malta	Syrian Arab Republic
Estonia	Mauritania	Tonga
Fiji	Mauritius	Tuvalu
Gabon	Morocco	United Arab Emirates
Gambia	Mozambique	Yugoslavia
Ghana	Nigeria	
Guyana	Papua New Guinea	
<i>8 States Parties to the 1971 Fund Convention which have deposited instruments of denunciation and which will take effect on date indicated</i>		
Croatia		30 July 1999
Algeria		3 August 1999
Belgium		6 October 1999
China (Hong Kong Special Administrative Region)		5 January 2000
Sri Lanka		22 January 2000
Vanuatu		18 February 2000
Panama		11 May 2000
Seychelles		23 July 2000