



# NATIONAL SHIPPING ADJUSTERS



## TECHNICAL LETTER No 02/2020

FROM: NASHA Technical Department  
TO: NASHA exclusive surveyors  
SUBJECT: SULPHUR OXIDES (SO<sub>x</sub>) and Particulate Matter  
(Regulation 14)  
DATE: JANUARY 07TH, 2020

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Dear Exclusive Surveyors,

The purpose of this letter is to inform to all exclusive surveyors that from 1 January 2020, the PSCO (PORT STATE CONTROL OFFICERS) will put further emphasis on the following items:

- That the ship carries on board fuel oil with a Sulphur content depending on the area of operation.
- There are records of the bunker delivery note (BDNs) and associated samples or records thereof are kept on board.
- There are written procedures on board covering fuel oil change over operations where appropriate.
- That the master and ship's personnel are familiar with essential fuel oil management procedures
- That the ship has an appropriate approval for any installed exhaust gas cleaning systems or equivalent.

Please find attached for your reference and waiting for your confirmation of "SAFE RECEIPT, READ and UNDERSTANDING".

*Many thanks and best regards,*  
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