

Break-out Session for Task Force Maritime

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Welcome and Introduction

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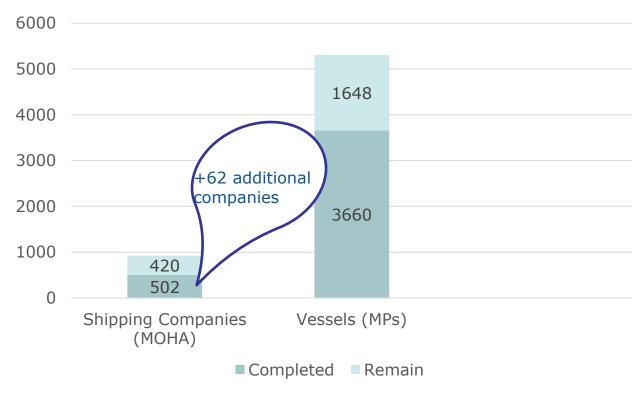
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Current Status (I)



SHIPPING COMPANIES - VESSELS





Dealing with Non EU companies

- All companies have received email detailing their obligations under MRV/ETS legislation
- Priority must be given to shipping companies operating vessels engaged in falling under the scope of the EU ETS
- Special provisions for sanctions targeting non compliant non EU shipping companies
- Port state control authorities involvement

Current Status (II)



AMERICAN BUREAU OF SHIPPING HELLENIC SINGLE MEMBER LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (ABS

HELLENIC S.M. LTD)

☐ Bureau Veritas Certification France

VERIFIERS

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Number 0	Name \$	Type ≎	\$ Period	\$ Group	\$ Balance	\$ Selected Quantity*	EU 0 Dynamic Compliance Status	Swiss Dynamic Compliance Status	\$ Status	Account Holder \$	☐ CHINA CLASSIFICATION SOCIETY ☐ Dromon Bureau of Shipping
EU-0-5017076-0-42	VerifAvia (UK) Ltd	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	VerifAvia (UK) Ltd	☐ EUROCERT S.A
EU-0-5018182-0-41	EMICERT LTD	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	EMICERT LTD	HELLENIC LLOYD'S S.A.
EU-0-5018448-0-69	EUROCERT	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	EUROCERT AE	☐ ICS Verification Services Single Member P.C.
EU-0-5019215-0-17	TUV AUSTRIA HELLAS LTD	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	TUV AUSTRIA HELLAS LTD	☐ Indian Register of Shipping
EU-0-5023000-0-7	TUV ΕΛΛΑΣ (TUV NORD) A.E.	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	TUV ΕΛΛΑΣ (TUV NORD) A.E.	Korean Register
EU-0-5039092-0-57	QMSCERT A.E.	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	QMSCERT A.E.	Korean register of shipping
EU-0-5042533-0-21	BUREAU VERITAS HELLAS M.A.E.	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	BUREAU VERITAS M.A.E.	Lloyd's Register Quality Assurance Ltd NORMEC VERIFAVIA SAS
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EU-0-5045797-0-94	ICS VERIFICATION SERVICES SINGLE MEMBER P.C.	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	ICS VERIFICATION SERVICES SINGLE MEMBER P.C.	☐ Nippon Kaiji Kyokai, Certification Department II
EU-0-5047837-0-79	DROMON BUREAU OF SHIPPING I.K.E.	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	DROMON BUREAU OF SHIPPING I.K.E.	☐ Nippon Kaiji Kyokai, Innovation and Sustainability
EU-0-5048873-0-40	LIBERO HELLENIC REGISTER	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	LIBERO HELLENIC REGISTER	Department
EU-0-5051893-0-72	BUSINESS QUALITY VERIFICATION TESTING INSPECTION AND CERTIFICATION SERVICES PRIVATE COMPANY	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	BUSINESS QUALITY VERIFICATION TESTING INSPECTION AND CERTIFICATION SERVICES PRIVATE COMPANY	☐ RINA HELLAS LTD ☐ RINA Services Spa ☐ Swiss Climate EcoCare GmbH ☐ VERIFAVIA (UK) LTD
EU-0-5052652-0-60	NIPPON KAIJI KYOKAI	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	NIPPON KAIJI KYOKAI	Phoenix Register of Shipping (PhRS)
EU-0-5052653-0-55	CHINA CLASSIFICATION SOCIETY	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	CHINA CLASSIFICATION SOCIETY	□ Polish Register of Shipping□ DNV
EU-0-5052954-0-5	RINA HELLAS ΕΤΑΙΡΕΙΑ ΠΕΡΙΟΡΙΣΜΕΝΗΣ ΕΥΘΥΝΗΣ ΝΗΟΓΝΩΜΟΝΑΣ	Verifier Account	0	GR	0	0			Open	RINA HELLAS ΕΤΑΙΡΕΙΑ ΠΕΡΙΟΡΙΣΜΕΝΗΣ ΕΥΘΥΝΗΣ ΝΗΟΓΝΩΜΟΝΑΣ	□ DNV GL □ EnvService GmbH



The role of verifiers in the Greek Union Registry

- According to article 31 (2) of the Commission Delegated Regulation EU) 2019/1122 as amended, «The national administrator, the competent authority or, upon decision of the competent authority, the account holder or the verifier shall enter emissions data for the previous year."
- According to paragraph 5 of the same article, "The emissions approved in accordance with paragraph 4 shall be marked as 'verified' in the Union Registry by the national administrator or the competent authority. The competent authority may decide that instead of the national administrator, the verifier shall be responsible for marking emissions as 'verified' in the Union Registry. All approved emissions shall be marked verified by the deadlines set in article 32."



Up-to-date documentation in the Greek Union Registry

- According to Annex VIIa of the Commission Delegated Regulation EU)
 2019/1122 as amended, for registered owners: "...the shipowner shall
 provide a document listing the ships under its responsibility, as well as their
 respective IMO ship identification number. In case of changes to that list of
 ships, the shipowner shall inform the national administrator within 20
 working days and provide it with an updated document, as well as with the
 name and IMO unique company and registered owner identification number
 of the new shipping company for each of the ships no longer under the
 shipowner's responsibility."
- According to article 22(1) of the Commission Delegated Regulation EU)
 2019/1122 as amended, for ISM companies: "All account holders shall
 notify the national administrator within 10 working days of changes to the
 account information."



Thank you!

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Union registry practices

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Union registry practices

break out session

agenda

Introduction – High level of procedure

Implementation for non-EU companies

Mandate agreements – Vessels under management

Additional issues

Procedure of registration

- Shipping companies contact (via e-mail) the National Administrator (DoE)
- Template instruction message sent from our side with instructions
- Documents (in line with 2019/1122) are prepared and send via email for first inspection by DoE
- With our approval, physical documents are sent to our offices
- Final check and creation of online account



For non-Eu companies

In accordance with 2019/1122

- All company related documentation
- Group structure which is signed by Directors of shipping company
- All mandate agreements in accordance with 2023/2599
- Authorised representative documentation (Apostilled)

Company requirements in non-EU countries

- Non-EU companies might not have all required documents
- Case by case basis applied regarding company documentation
- Authorised Representative documentation – requirements same as all accounts

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Difficulties of non-eu companies

- No affiliation with Cypriot organisations
- Contact with shipping companies only possible through THETIS information
- No information available outside THETIS
- Equasis for information on vessels

Mandate agreements

- 1. In accordance with implementing regulation 2023/2599
- Agreements with bareboat charters included are accepted (tripartite) – must include ship owning & ISM companies
- 3. Original mandates filed with rest of documents
- 4. New mandates accepted to keep account up to date
- 5. Difficulty in maintaining the vessels of accounts up to date in Union Registry
- 6. Checks with THETIS platform (vessels of the shipping company)

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Additional Issues – Possible solutions

- Data in THETIS might appear outdated (changes of names of ship owning companies)
- THETIS and Union Registry platforms should not be connected – could include functions to download files from both platforms to keep track of shipping companies and respective vessels

- Authorised Representatives difficulties using platform (language barriers)
- Increase of helpdesk requests



Thank you

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Intervention

Spain, Germany



Roundtable Discussion



Additional issues & workplan 2025

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Thank you for your attention

