

APPENDIX - RAC/REMPEITC Activities attended by the Country

2015 Senior Maritime Administrators Meeting

Objectives: Meet the Senior Maritime Administrators and present REMPEITC's latest activities and developments

Dates: 05-Feb-15 to 06-Feb-15

Host country: Trinidad & Tobago

2015 Participation of Caribbean delegates as observers at the OPRC exercise of the Martinique Prefecture

Objectives: The Office of Law Enforcement at Sea in the French West Indies Maritime Area, invited RAC/REMPEITC-Caribe to participate as observers with neighbouring islands States and Territories of the Caribbean at their OPRC exercise (ORSEC maritime), IGWAN 2015

Dates: 06-Oct-15 to 08-Oct-15

Host country: France - French Antilles

2014 Regional Workshop on Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response, and Co-operation

Objectives: To bring awareness and provide training on oil spill preparedness, response, and co-operation

Dates: 09-Apr-14 to 11-Apr-14

Host country: US - Miami

2014 Regional Workshop on MARPOL Annex VI - Air Pollution and Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Emissions from International Shipping for the Wider Caribbean

Objectives: The main objective of the workshop was to raise awareness among the participating regional countries' stakeholders on MARPOL Annex VI in general and more specifically the recently adopted Chapter 4 of MARPOL Annex VI

Dates: 17-Feb-14 to 19-Feb-14

Host country: Jamaica

2013 Regional Workshop on the Liability and Compensatory Regimes for Pollution Damage

Objectives: To provide information on the importance and benefits of being Party to the international oil pollution compensatory regime instruments (CLC, Fund and Bunkers Convention) and mechanisms for the implementation of these conventions.

Dates: 24-Sep-13 to 26-Sep-13

Host country: Barbados

2013 Regional workshop on MARPOL & Port Reception Facilities

Objectives: To provide detailed information with regard to the most recent amendments to MARPOL and the responsibilities of Parties under the Convention. To received practical information on the provision of PRFs and ship-generated waste management.

Dates: 22-Jul-13 to 25-Jul-13

Host country: US - USA

2012 Regional Workshop on MARPOL

Objectives: To provide information and facilitate the exchange of information between the participants on the legislative, administrative, and enforcement procedures regarding MARPOL. Special attention was also brought to the issue of port reception facilities.

Dates: 16-Oct-12 to 18-Oct-12

Host country: Suriname

2011 GloBallast Compliance, Monitoring, and Enforcement Training

Objectives: To provide training to relevant authorities including Port State Control Officers on Compliance, Monitoring, and Enforcement of the Ballast Water Management Convention.

Dates: 14-Nov-11 to 15-Nov-11

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2010 Regional Anti-Fouling Systems Convention

Objectives: Provide training and give participants a full understanding of the AFS Convention, with a view towards ratification and implementation.

Dates: 29-Jun-10 to 30-Jun-10

Host country: Saint Lucia

2010 UNEP/IMO (MARPOL) Workshop

Objectives: With the date of the MARPOL V Special Area requirements for the WCR coming into effect on 01May11, a workshop was held in conjunction with UNEP's ISTAC meeting to educate delegates on the implementation of this requirement.

Dates: 28-May-10 to 28-May-10

Host country: Panamá

2009 National OPRC Workshop on Development of a Local Oil Spill Response Committee

Objectives: To build a local oil spill response strategy on the most probable case spill scenario. To develop a local oil spill response committee contingency planning capability involving all stakeholders touched directly or indirectly by the oil spill scenario.

Dates: 24-Feb-09 to 26-Feb-09

Host country: Saint Vincent & the Grenadines

2009 First GloBallast Regional Task Force Meeting

Objectives: Facilitate the exchange of information between participants on ballast water management regimes in the Wider Caribbean Region.

Dates: 07-Dec-09 to 08-Dec-09

Host country: Panamá

2008 Caribbean Workshop to Develop Regional Cooperation Mechanism for Responding to Oil Spills

Objectives: To follow-up on the work that had been done with the Caribbean Island OPRC Plan, to enhance the development of the regional cooperation mechanisms and to evaluate the possibilities to further develop the operational part of the Caribbean Islands OPRC Plan

Dates: 03-Jun-08 to 05-Jun-08

Host country: Sint Maarten

2008 IMO OPRC Level 2 Course

Objectives: Organization of a OPRC Level II course for the training of on-scene commanders.

Dates: 01-Apr-08 to 04-Apr-08

Host country: Aruba

2007 Regional Workshop on the Ratification and Implementation of Annex V of MARPOL 73/78 and Marine Litter for the Caribbean Sea

Objectives: Promote the implementation of MARPOL with an emphasis on Annex V, special area provisions and addressing the status of the adequacy of ship generated waste port reception facilities. The workshop was also address marine debris issues.

Dates: 27-Feb-07 to 01-Mar-07

Host country: Aruba

2006 Activity Report Caribbean Islands OPRC Plan Project AZURE SEAS Gap Analysis of National Island OPRC Plans "Needs to Assist"

Objectives: The goal of the Gap Analysis of National Island OPRC Plans was to develop a tactical plan to close the gaps identified in the National Contingency Plans for the countries within the Caribbean Islands.

Dates: 15-Apr-06 to 02-Aug-06

Host country: Curaçao

2006 Barbados IMO OPRC level 3 seminar

Objectives: Give English speaking island states a course on oil spill preparedness and response according to IMO's OPRC Level III. - Address issues to be improved as per Barbados oil spill exercise of 2004.- Give an additional insight in IOPC's claim procedures.

Dates: 25-Jan-06 to 27-Jan-06

Host country: Barbados

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1999 Environmental Sensitivity Index Mapping

Objectives: The workshop was organized to stress to Caribbean states the importance of conducting Environmental Sensitivity Mapping and to provide classroom and hands-on training on engaging in such activity

Dates: 01-Nov-99 to 05-Nov-99

Host country: Trinidad & Tobago

1998 MOBEX 1998 St. Kitts Pollution exercise 22-24 Apr 98

Objectives: Industry sponsored exercise with the CCC. Testing their ability to deploy a significant amount of pollution response equipment in relation with the Tier 3 spill response.

Dates: 22-Apr-98 to 24-Apr-98

Host country: Saint Kitts and Nevis

1998 OPRC Training and Exercise

Objectives: Purpose: To train the National Contingency plan of St. Lucia, including, actual response measure, sub-regional, regional and international cooperation, and industries involvement, within the frame work of the Caribbean Island OPRC Plan.

Dates: 17-Mar-98 to 19-Mar-98

Host country: Saint Lucia

1997 Mission to St Vincent and the Grenadines. National Oil Pollution Contingency Planning

Objectives: REMPEITC Update and Drafted on request the National oil pollution plan of St Vincent and the Grenadines. During this mission the National Contingency Plan Commission had reviewed the updated version of the National Plan.

Dates: 01-Jun-97 to

Host country: Saint Vincent & the Grenadines

1997 Second Technical Workshop - Wider Caribbean Initiative for Ship Generated Waste (WCISW)

Objectives: Workshop detailed continued efforts of WCISW initiative to establish Caribbean Sea as a special no discharge area under the provisions of MARPOL. The need for adequate reception facilities in the region of regional countries to the MARPOL Convention.

Dates: 01-Sep-97 to 04-Sep-97

Host country: México

1996 OPRC Level 2 Supervisors/On-Scene Commanders for oil spills

Objectives:

Dates: 17-Jun-96 to 28-Jun-96

Host country: Jamaica

1996 Mission Saint Vincent and the Grenadine

Objectives: General meeting with Coast guard of St. Vincent and the Grenadine, the oil industry, the national disaster coordinator. Implementation of conventions, Contingency planning, ERA, cooperation with oil industry

Dates: 29-Apr-96 to 30-Apr-96

Host country: UK - Anguilla
