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## Revision of MEPC.227(64) and MARPOL Annex IV

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## **July 2017 - MEPC 71/14/2** - Submitted by Norway

During MEPC 71, the Committee considered document MEPC 71/14/2 (Norway), proposing a new output to amend the *2012 Guidelines on implementation of effluent standards and performance tests for sewage treatment plants* (resolution MEPC.227(64), as amended by resolution MEPC.284(70)), to reduce inconsistencies in the application of the Guidelines.

The Committee agreed to include a new output on "Amendments to the *2012 Guidelines on implementation of effluent standards and performance tests for sewage treatment plants* (resolution MEPC.227(64)) to address inconsistencies in their application" in the post-biennial agenda of the Committee, assigning the PPR Sub-Committee as the associated organ, with two sessions needed to complete the work.

## **February 2019 - PPR 6/14** - Submitted by Norway

This document provides draft proposed amendments to the *2012 Guidelines on implementation of effluent standards and performance tests for sewage treatment plants* (resolution MEPC.227(64), as amended by resolution MEPC.284(70)).

## **May 2019 - MEPC 74/14** - Submitted by Norway

Expanding the scope of the existing output 1.26 to include a revision of MARPOL Annex IV.

Revision of MARPOL Annex IV and associated guidelines to introduce provisions for record-keeping and measures to confirm the lifetime performance of sewage treatment plants.



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# Thank you!

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