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Background

On December 30, 2019 non-propelled cargo barge "TRIAS" (IMO No 8606018) grounded on the Latvian coastline approx. 10 nm to the north from Ventspils port. Barge was in ballast, but with approx. 2 t of diesel fuel onboard.

On January 19, 2020 the barge was successfully salvaged causing no damage to the environment.

Action requested

The Meeting is invited to take note of the maritime accident and the salvage operation.