

Notice to Mariner No. 135

SUBJECT : MARINE WASTE DISPOSAL AT FUJAIRAH

Further to our Notice to Mariners No. 44, 111 & 116 and our Notice to Agents No. 4/2000, 8/2000, 20/2000, 4/2002, 2/2003, 3/2003, 9/2004, 6/2005 & 5/2009, please note the following,

A General

- Holds & Hatch cleaning at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage is strictly prohibited.
- Grit blasting and water blasting is prohibited at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage & Port of Fujairah.
- Import of all kinds of scrap materials into Port of Fujairah is strictly prohibited.
- Under water hull cleaning permitted with prior permission.

B. Reception Facilities in Fujairah.

Facilities available for the proper disposal of the below listed marine wastes in Fujairah,

1. Oily Sludge

Oily Sludge Treatment Facility available in Fujairah.

Tank cleaning activity at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage Area is permitted to tankers dispose and treats their oily sludge at registered treatment facilities in Fujairah. Transporting oily sludge by road or by sea from Fujairah Port to reception facilities outside Fujairah is prohibited.

Contd..2/-

Following procedures must be adopted for tank cleaning,

- a) Request specific permission from the Harbour Master to effect tank cleaning with 72 hr notice. The request should include,
 1. Vessel name and local agent.
 2. E.T.A and last port
 3. Name of Cleaning Company
 4. Number of labours
 5. Estimated duration of work.
 6. Estimated quantity of sludge.
 7. Receiving Facility and their confirmation.
 8. E.T.D and destination.
- b) Vessel's local agent should re-confirm 24 hours prior to tanker's arrival and would liaise with Harbour Master for arranging permission for operation to start.
- c) Personnel involved in offshore job must obtain clearance from Department of immigration.
- d) The Port Authority reserves the right to refuse or withdraw permission for Tank Cleaning if cleaning company failed to adhere to the procedure.
- e) The Port Authority further reserves the right to appoint an independent surveyor to verify any of the above information provided by vessel and its agent. In such cases surveyor would be appointed at agent's expense.
- f) The Sludge Transport Statement as per the attached prescribed format should be duly filled, stamped, attested from concerned authorities and submitted to Marine Department immediately after delivering sludge to the Reception Facility.
- g) Contact Details reception facility in Fujairah

Facility Name	:	Gulf Environment FZE
Telephone	:	2281923
Fax	:	2281925
Email	:	ecoref@emirates.net.ae

2. Slop

Offshore & onshore slop collection facilities available at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage & Port of Fujairah.

Contact details of Facilities in Fujairah

Sl.	Facility Name	Telephone	Fax	Email
1.	EMEPCO	2228840	2228841	att@akron.ae
2.	Fairdeal Marine Services	2228145	2228147	agency@fairdeal.ae
3.	Gulf Environment FZE	2281923	2281925	ecoref@emirates.net.ae

3. Domestic Garbage

Garbage collection facility is available in Fujairah for collecting and proper disposal of domestic garbage from vessels calling at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage.

The Contact Details of the facility:

Facility Name : Green Peace Est.
 Telephone : 2281741
 Fax : 2281742

Domestic garbage for the purpose of disposal must exclude the following materials,

- a. Oily Waste
- b. Oily related products
- c. Chemicals (liquid or solid)
- d. Radiating materials & nuclear wastes.
- e. All types of noxious substances.

Domestic Garbage Delivery Receipts will be issued by Port of Fujairah on request for vessels calling Port of Fujairah. Green Peace Est. will issue Domestic Garbage Delivery Receipts to vessels calling at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage. Related shipping agent has to submit the attached declaration while requesting Port Clearance to get the Domestic Garbage Delivery Receipt for vessels calling Port of Fujairah.

Agencies are not allowed to issue further any Garbage Delivery Receipt to vessels.

4. Expired Medicine

Reception facility is available in Fujairah for the proper disposal of expired medicines. The contact detail of reception facility is given below and the disposal procedures attached.

Facility Name : Marine Pharma FZE
Telephone : 2228007
Fax : 2228008
VHF Call Sign : PORT CLINIC
Email : fpclinic@emirates.net.ae
Website : www.fujairahportclinic.co.ae

5. Distress Signalling Devices

Dumping of expired distress signalling devices (Rocket Parachute Flares, Smoke Signals, etc.) into sea is strictly prohibited at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage.

The expired devices are therefore delivered to Fujairah Civil Defence for the proper disposal through respective local agents.

Local agents are requested to obtain prior permission from the Department of Explosives and Director General of Police prior collecting aforesaid materials from ship for disposal purpose.

Waste materials other than the listed above are not permitted to dispose at Fujairah Offshore Anchorage & Port of Fujairah.

Please advise all your ship masters accordingly.