

	relevant authority ⁷ of an accident/defect discovered on a foreign flagged vessel in Nigeria	that he took all reasonable precautions and exercised due diligence to avoid committing the offence	of the Ship shall be liable to a fine of not less than Ten Million Naira (N10,000,000) each
Reg. 7(4)	Failure to report investigation findings to NIMASA	Ability of the accused person(s) to demonstrate that he took all reasonable precautions and exercised due diligence to avoid committing the offence	Detention of the Ship until such a report has been made <i>* Upon conviction, the Ship owner and Master of the Ship shall be liable to a fine of not less than Ten Million Naira (N10,000,000) each*</i>
Reg. 8	Discrepancy between the particulars of an IOPP Certificate and the Vessel's condition		(i) Suspension the validity of the IOPP Certificate (ii)(For a foreign flagged Vessel in a Nigerian port) NIMASA may detain the vessel until it is repaired and no longer poses a threat to the marine environment
Reg.1 1(3)	Discharging oil or oily mixture into any part of the sea	(i) The Ship is on a Voyage (ii) The Ship is not within a special area (iii) Oil content of the waste does not exceed 15ppm (iv) The ship has working filtering equipment as well as an oil discharge and monitoring and control system	Upon conviction, the Ship owner and Master of the Ship shall be liable to a fine of not less than Ten Million Naira (N10,000,000) each
Reg.1 1(4)	Discharge containing hazardous substances in quantities that are harmful to the marine environment		Upon conviction, the Ship owner and Master of the Ship shall be liable to a fine of not less than Ten Million Naira (N10,000,000) each
Reg.1 2(2)	Discharging oil or oily mixture into any part of the sea (BY OIL TANKERS)	(i) The tanker is proceeding on a voyage (ii) The tanker is not within a special area (iii) The tanker is more than 50nm from the nearest land (iv) immediate rate of discharge of oil does not	Upon conviction, the Ship owner and Master of the Ship shall be liable to a fine of not less than Ten Million Naira (N10,000,000) each

⁷ Issuing authority of an IOPP Certificate