
GENERAL NOTICES

NOTICE 608 OF 2013

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INTRODUCE THE MERCHANT SHIPPING (CIVIL LIABILITY CONVENTION) BILL, 2013 INTO PARLIAMENT IN TERMS OF RULE 241(1) (b) OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

The Minister of Transport hereby in terms of National Assembly Rule No.241(1) (b) intends introducing the Merchant Shipping (Civil Liability Convention) Bill,2013 ("the Bill") in Parliament during the second term of 2013.

The Bill and its Explanatory Memorandum were published for comments in Government Gazette No 32103 dated 15 April 2009 and it is called the Merchant Shipping (Civil Liability Convention) Bill, 2013.

The objects of the Bill are as follows:

- **This Bill seeks to enact the International Maritime Organization Protocol of 1992; to amend the International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage of 29 November 1969 (the Civil Liability Convention) into law; and to provide for matters connected therewith.**

Copies of the Bill and the Memorandum of Objects can be obtained from office of the Government Printers on (012) 334 4500/ 334 4741 (after introduction) or alternatively from the Department of Transport's website: www.transport.gov.za