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Antigua and Barbuda	11 Aug	2011
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Bahamas	11 Feb	2008
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Bosnia and Herzegovina	18 Jan	2010
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Canada	15 Jun	2010
Croatia	12 Feb	2010
Cyprus	20 Jul	2012
Denmark	23 Jun	2011
Kiribati	24 Oct	2011
Latvia	12 Aug	2011
Liberia	7 Jun	2006
Luxembourg	20 Sep	2011
Marshall Islands	25 Sep	2007
Netherlands	13 Dec	2011
Norway	10 Feb	2009
Palau	29 May	2012
Panama	6 Feb	2009
Philippines	20 Aug	2012
Poland	3 May	2012
Russian Federation	20 Aug	2012
Singapore	15 Jun	2011
Spain	4 Feb	2010
St. Kitts and Nevis	21 Feb	2012
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Danemark	23 juin	2011
Espagne	4 févr	2010
Fédération de Russie	20 août	2012
Îles Marshall	25 sept	2007
Kiribati	24 oct	2011
Lettonie	12 août	2011
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International Labour Conference (Maritime)

MARITIME LABOUR CONVENTION, 2006

ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE
AT ITS NINETY-FOURTH SESSION,
GENEVA, FEBRUARY 2006

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PREAMBLE

The General Conference of the International Labour Organization,

Having been convened at Geneva by the Governing Body of the International Labour Office, and having met in its Ninety-fourth Session on 7 February 2006, and

Desiring to create a single, coherent instrument embodying as far as possible all up-to-date standards of existing international maritime labour Conventions and Recommendations, as well as the fundamental principles to be found in other international labour Conventions, in particular:

- the Forced Labour Convention, 1930 (No. 29);
- the Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organise Convention, 1948 (No. 87);
- the Right to Organise and Collective Bargaining Convention, 1949 (No. 98);
- the Equal Remuneration Convention, 1951 (No. 100);
- the Abolition of Forced Labour Convention, 1957 (No. 105);
- the Discrimination (Employment and Occupation) Convention, 1958 (No. 111);
- the Minimum Age Convention, 1973 (No. 138);
- the Worst Forms of Child Labour Convention, 1999 (No. 182); and

Mindful of the core mandate of the Organization, which is to promote decent conditions of work, and

Recalling the ILO Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work, 1998, and

Mindful also that seafarers are covered by the provisions of other ILO instruments and have other rights which are established as fundamental rights and freedoms applicable to all persons, and

Considering that, given the global nature of the shipping industry, seafarers need special protection, and

Mindful also of the international standards on ship safety, human security and quality ship management in the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974, as amended, the Convention on the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972, as amended, and the seafarer training and competency requirements in the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers, 1978, as amended, and

Recalling that the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, 1982, sets out a general legal framework within which all activities in the oceans and seas must be carried out and is of strategic importance as the basis for national,