

Administrative procedure for Marpol waste reporting and disposal

A: Reporting prior to arrival for all ships calling Port of Sohar and bigger than 400 Gross Tonnage:

1. Report the 'Marpol waste declaration' to Harbourmaster by Port Management System as an attachment 24 hours prior to arrival (to be obtained from vessel master).
2. The Harbourmaster may decide to carry out an inspection and/or demand to discharge waste in case the rest-capacity is not sufficient for the next voyage.

B: Planning and execution of a Marpol discharge:

3. In case of an intended discharge of Marpol waste, agent must send the Marpol Waste declaration to OMWT as a request for service, with expected time and location.
4. Agent should provide 'OMWT collection barge fact sheet' together with the 'OMWT Safety Checklist' to the ship in case of planned barge use. In case of anymore needed operational details, please contact OMWT by email or telephone.
5. If waste collection is not free of charge, agent must agree with OMWT on quotation and planning of operation.
6. In case of seaside liquid-waste operations, using the collection barge, Agent must obtain an approval from the Harbourmaster for the waste discharge. Agent should submit a request by email referring to the waste declaration in the PMS, mentioning the Call ID and Ship's name.
7. Agent must obtain terminal approval in case of an operation alongside a ship at berth.
8. The OMWT collection barge will coordinate with the vessel and Port control on VHF 71.
9. OMWT provides a hard copy or soft copy of the 'OMWT Waste Receipt' to vessel master. The scanned soft copy will also be shared with agent and Harbourmaster after the discharge operation by OMWT.
10. OMWT sends invoice (if applicable) to agent. OMWT also provides the 'OMWT Time sheet' (signed by both parties) to agent.