

**Order amending the Order on the Prevention  
of Air Pollution from Ships and Offshore Platforms**  
(amended penalty provisions)

In order no. 508 of 18 June 2005 on the prevention of air pollution from ships and offshore platforms, the following amendments are made:

**Section 1**

1. The Introduction shall be as follows:

“The following shall be laid down pursuant to section 24, section 31(4), section 33, section 45, section 48, section 61 and section 62 of the Act on the Protection of the Marine Environment (*lov om beskyttelse af havmiljøet*), cf. Consolidated Act no. 925 of 28 September 2005, as amended by section 1 of Act no. 474 of 31 May 2006 and section 2 of Act no. 1571 of 20 December 2006, following negotiations with the Minister for Transport and Energy, and taking into account Annexes VI and IV of the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL 73/78):

2. Section 9(3) shall be as follows:

“(3) Subsection (2) shall not apply to violations committed from foreign ships unless the violation has been committed in inner territorial waters. The penalty may be increased to imprisonment for up to two years for violations committed from foreign ships in outer territorial waters if the violation was intentional and resulted in serious pollution of the marine environment.”

**Section 2**

This Order shall enter into force on 15 January 2008.

*Ministry of the Environment, 11 December 2007*

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