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S.I. 103/1991

**MERCHANT SHIPPING (LIABILITY OF  
SHIPOWNERS AND SALVORS) (RATE OF  
INTEREST) ORDER, 1991**

(SECOND SCHEDULE, Part II, paragraph B(1))

*[Commencement 10th December, 1991]*

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Liability of Shipowners and Salvors) (Rate of Interest) Order, 1991.

Interest rate.

2. The rate of interest for the purposes of paragraph 1 of Article 11 of the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976 is 6 per cent.

S.I. 7/1992

**MERCHANT SHIPPING (PARTIES TO  
CONVENTION) ORDER, 1992**

(SECOND SCHEDULE, Part II, paragraph 13)

*[Commencement 23rd January, 1992]*

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Parties to Convention) Order, 1992.

2. In this Order “the Convention” means the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976 as set out in Part I of the Second Schedule to the Merchant Shipping (Maritime Claims Limitation of Liability) Act, 1989.

3. It is hereby declared that the States specified in the first column of the Schedule to this Order are parties to the Convention in respect of the territories specified opposite thereto in the second column of the Schedule and with effect from the date of entry into force of the Convention for that State as specified in the third column of the Schedule.

**SCHEDULE (Paragraph 3)**

**STATES WHICH ARE PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION**

<b>States</b>	<b>Territories</b>	<b>Date of Entry into Force of the Convention</b>
The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Great Britain and Northern Ireland	1st December, 1986
	The Bailiwick of Guernsey	1st December, 1986
	The Bailiwick of Jersey	1st December, 1986
	Isle of Man	1st December, 1986
	Bermuda	1st December, 1986
	British Virgin Islands	1st December, 1986
	Cayman Islands	1st December, 1986
	Falkland Islands	1st December, 1986
	Gibraltar	1st December, 1986
	Hong Kong	1st December, 1986
	Montserrat	1st December, 1986
	Pitcairn, Henderson, Ducie and Oeno Islands	1st December, 1986
	Saint Helena and Dependencies	1st December, 1986
	Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia	1st December, 1986
	Turks and Caicos Islands	1st December, 1986
The Commonwealth of Australia	Australia	1st June, 1991
The Commonwealth of The Bahamas	The Bahamas	1st December, 1986
The Kingdom of Belgium	Belgium	1st October, 1989
Belize	Belize	1st December, 1986
The People's Republic of Benin	Benin	1st December, 1986
The Kingdom of Denmark	Denmark	1st December, 1986
The Arab Republic Egypt	Egypt	1st July, 1988
The Republic of Finland	Finland	1st December, 1986
The French Republic	France	1st December, 1986

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Germany	Germany	1st September, 1987
The Hellenic Republic of Greece	Greece	1st November, 1991
Japan	Japan	1st December, 1986
The Republic of Liberia	Liberia	1st December, 1986
The Kingdom of The Netherlands	Netherlands	1st September, 1990
The Kingdom of Norway	Norway	1st December, 1986
The People's Republic of Poland	Poland	1st December, 1986
The Kingdom of Spain	Spain	1st December, 1986
The Kingdom of Sweden	Sweden	1st December, 1986
The Swiss Federation	Switzerland	1st April, 1988
The Yemen Arab Republic	Yemen Arab Republic	1st December, 1986