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EARLY AND EFFECTIVE APPLICATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO ANNEX I OF MARPOL 73/78 (REVISED REGULATION 13G AND NEW REGULATION 13H)

Communication from Spain

1 A communication dated 29 January 2004 has been received from the Spanish Embassy in London informing the Organization that, in accordance with operative paragraphs 1 and 3 of resolution MEPC.114(50) of 4 December 2003, Spain is now applying the provisions of revised regulation 13G and new regulation 13H of Annex I to MARPOL 73/78 as adopted by resolution MEPC.111(50) of 4 December 2003.

2 The above communication is attached hereto for information.

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The Embassy of Spain in London presents its compliments to the International Maritime Organization and, acting on the instructions of the Ministry for Public Works, has the honour to inform it that, in accordance with operative paragraphs 1 and 3 of resolution MEPC.114(50) of 4 December 2003, entitled "Early and effective application of the amendments to Annex I of MARPOL 73/78 (Revised regulation 13G and new rule 13H)", Spain is now applying the provisions of revised regulation 13G and new regulation 13H of Annex I of MARPOL 73/78 as adopted by resolution MEPC.111(50) of 4 December 2003.

The Embassy of Spain in London takes this opportunity of renewing to the International Maritime Organization the assurance of its highest consideration.

London, 29 January 2004

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