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**Subject: HALON FIRE EXTINGUISHING SYSTEMS SERVICING,
RECYCLING AND BANKING FACILITIES IN CANADA**

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This Ship Safety Bulletin is to give an update to the marine industry and fire protection community, nationally and internationally on the recognised halon banking, reception and servicing facilities in Canada.

The International Maritime Organisation (IMO) has requested member Governments to submit details of the halon banking facilities established under their jurisdiction. Such details will assist ship operators in arranging the deposit of decommissioned halons or the purchase of re-cycled halons. The attached list will be submitted to the IMO Secretariat. Canada's previous list was submitted to IMO in 2002. The consolidated listing can be found on the IMO website under FP/Circ.25. at www.imo.org

Underwriters' Laboratories of Canada (ULC) is accredited by the Standards Council of Canada to develop Standards for Fire Protection equipment. ULC has listed and certified the halon servicing, re-cycling and banking agencies in Canada. These agencies have a large stock of re-cycled halon available for international and domestic ships. {www.ulc.ca}

As a further reminder to all ship owners and operators regarding recharging re-cycled halons. "Refill or recharging of portable halon fire extinguishers on board all ships in Canada is prohibited effective January 1, 2004. Fixed halon fire extinguishing systems are permitted one refill from January 1, 2005 to January 1, 2010, on condition the system is replaced with an alternative system within a year of the refill.

From January 1, 2010 refills on all halon fixed fire extinguishing systems is prohibited." (ref : Canadian Council of Ministers of the Environment (CCME) May 2002 Environment Canada.)

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