



OSPAR Recommendation 2022/01 amending OSPAR Recommendation 2018/01 on Radioactive Discharges

(Source: OSPAR 22/12/01, Annex 11)

Preamble

RECALLING Article 2 of the Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic (“OSPAR Convention”),

RECALLING Article 3 of the OSPAR Convention,

RECALLING Annex 1 to the OSPAR Convention on the prevention and elimination of pollution from land-based sources and in particular Article 1,

RECALLING OSPAR Recommendation 2018/1 on Radioactive Discharges,

WISHING to up-date OSPAR Recommendation 2018/1 on Radioactive Discharges to first and foremost take account of the need to clarify the reporting period,

The Contracting Parties to the Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic RECOMMEND:

1. Purpose and Scope

1.1. The purpose of this Recommendation is to amend and update Recommendation 2018/01 on Radioactive Discharges.

2. Provisions

Preamble

2.1 In the Preamble of Recommendation 2018/1, paragraph 4 is replaced by the following:

RECALLING the vision and objectives of the OSPAR North-East Atlantic Environment Strategy 2030, and in particular strategic objective 3 (Agreement 2021-01),

Section 5 (Reporting)

2.2 In Section 5 (Reporting) of Recommendation 2018/1, paragraph 5.1 is replaced by the following:

Contracting Parties should report every six years on the implementation of this Recommendation at the latest by three weeks before the meeting of the Radioactive Substances Committee.

2.3 In Section 5 (Reporting) of Recommendation 2018/1, a new bullet point is added after 5.2.b:

cover the years following those covered in the previous reporting period, up until the penultimate year before the report is presented to RSC;

3. Entry into force

3.1 This Recommendation has effect from 1 January 2023.