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FOBAS Update: Update from PPR5_ISWG
Applicability: All ship owners and operators

Recently, an important Inter-Sessional Working Group (ISWG) of PPR5 (Pollution Prevention and Response) convened for meetings at IMO headquarters in London from 9-13 July 2018. The main focus of discussions was the consistent implementation of the upcoming 0.50% max sulphur limit from 1st January 2020. Lloyds Register actively participated in these discussions as recognised organisation. The summary of the discussions is available [here](#).

We will continue to keep you informed of the developments through series of bulletins in run up to the 2020 deadline. In the meantime, we would welcome any feedback and questions you may have. Please contact us at fobas@lr.org or speak to one of our consultants on +44 (0)330 414 1000 (Southampton UK), +44 (0)1642 440991 Redcar (UK), +65 3163 0888 (Singapore), +30 210 4580 874 (Greece).