

## MARITIME TREATIES RELEVANT TO BELIZE

| Name of Treaty/Convention   | Amendment   | Status of Belize's Participation   |
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| Convention on Certain Rules Concerning Collisions, 23 <sup>rd</sup> September 1910 [Belgian Gov't]  |   | 01/02/13   |
| Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules of Law Relating to Assistance and Salvage at Sea, 23 <sup>rd</sup> September 1910 [Belgian Gov't]   |   | 01/02/13 (Ad); Notification of Ad 03/02/1913; Entry into force 03/03/1913.   |
| Convention and Statute on the International Regime of Maritime Ports, 9 <sup>th</sup> December 1923 [League of Nations]   |   | 22/09/25   |
| Convention on the International Maritime Organization (1948) and Amendments (1993)  |   | <u>See International Organizations</u>                                       |
| International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules concerning Civil Jurisdiction in Matters of Collision, 10 <sup>th</sup> May 1952 [IMCO/IMO]                                   |   | 21/09/65 extension, 21/03/66 EIF with declaration                            |
| International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules relating to Penal Jurisdiction in Matters of Collision or Other Incidents of Navigation, 10 <sup>th</sup> May 1952 [IMCO/IMO] |   | 21/09/65 extension, 21/03/66 EIF with Reservation                            |
| International Convention for the Unification of Certain Rules relating to the Arrest of Sea-going Ships, 10 <sup>th</sup> May 1952 [IMCO/IMO]   |   | 21/09/65 extension, 21/03/66 EIF with Reservation                            |
| International Convention relating to the Limitation of Liability of Owners of Sea-going Ships, 1957   |   | 1/12/86 UK denounced   |
| International Convention on Load Lines, 5 <sup>th</sup> April 1966, 21 <sup>st</sup> July 1968  |   | Belize listed  |
| International Convention on Tonnage Measurement of Ships 1969 with Annexes, 23 <sup>rd</sup> June 1969, 18 <sup>th</sup> July 1982 EIF  |   | Belize listed  |
| International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage, 29 <sup>th</sup> November 1969 [Depositary: IMO]  |   | 27 <sup>th</sup> November 1998 denounced                                     |
|   | Protocol to International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage, <i>Done at London 19 November 1976, Entered into force 8<sup>th</sup> August 1981</i> | 2 <sup>nd</sup> April 1991; EIF 1 <sup>st</sup> July 1991                    |
|   | 1992 Protocol to amend the International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage of 1969, 27 <sup>th</sup> November 1992                                 | 27 <sup>th</sup> November 1998 Accession; 27 <sup>th</sup> November 1999 EIF |
| Convention on the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 (with International Regulations), 1972   |   | [9 <sup>th</sup> April 1991 EIF]   |
|   | Amendment 19 <sup>th</sup>  |  |

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|  | November 1981   |   |
|  | Amendment 19 <sup>th</sup><br>November 1987   |   |
|  | Amendment 19 <sup>th</sup><br>October 1989  |   |
| International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL 1973)  |   | 12 <sup>th</sup> May 1995 (a) signed  |
|  | International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973, as modified by the Protocol of 1978 relating thereto (MARPOL 73/78), adopted 17 <sup>th</sup> February 1978  | 26 <sup>th</sup> May 1995 Accession, 26 <sup>th</sup> August 1995 entry into force  |
|  | Annex III for Prevention of Pollution by Harmful Substances carried in Packaged Form, or in Freight Containers or Portable Tanks or Road and Rail Tank Wagons to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973  | 26 <sup>th</sup> May 1995 Acceptance, 26 <sup>th</sup> August 1995 entry into force |
|  | Annex IV:   | Belize listed as party on IMO Status of Convention charts.                          |
|  | Annex V : Garbage, to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973   | 26 <sup>th</sup> May 1995 Acceptance, 26 <sup>th</sup> August 1995 entry into force |
| International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974 [IMO]   |   | [2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1991 EIF]   |
|  | Protocol relating to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS Prot.), 17 <sup>th</sup> February 1978, 1 <sup>st</sup> May 1981 [Check if correct Protocol?]  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1991 EIF   |
|  | Amendments 20 <sup>th</sup> November 1981, 17 <sup>th</sup> June 1983, 21 <sup>st</sup> April 1988, 28 <sup>th</sup> October 1988, 9 <sup>th</sup> November 1988, 11 <sup>th</sup> April 1989, 25 <sup>th</sup> May 1990, 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 1991, 10 <sup>th</sup> April 1992, 11 <sup>th</sup> December 1992, 16 <sup>th</sup> May 1995 |   |
| Convention on the Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims, 1 <sup>st</sup> February 1977 [IMCO/IMO]                                      |   | 31/01/80<br>See UK Merchant Shipping Act, 1979 Sec. 17, Sch. 4                      |
| International Convention on Standards of Training Certification and Watch-keeping for Seafarers 1978   |   | 6 <sup>th</sup> January 1997 (a) signed   |
| International Convention on Maritime Search and Rescue, 1 <sup>st</sup> November 1979 [IMCO/IMO]   |   | 22/05/80<br>Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 s 509; Maritime Conventions Act 1911        |
| Protocol to the Treaty concerning the Permanent Neutrality and Operation of the Panama Canal Agreed upon in Washington, D.C. on September 7, |   | Accession 6 <sup>th</sup> March 1985  |

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| 1977, between the Governments of the Republic of Panama and the United States of America and opened to Accession by all States of the World at the General Secretariat of the Organization of the American States on October 1, 1979 |   |  |
| United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, 1982  |   | 10 <sup>th</sup> December 1982   |
|  | Agreement relating to the implementation of Part XI of the Convention on the Law of the Sea, 28 <sup>th</sup> July 1994, 28 <sup>th</sup> July 1996 EIF   | Definitive signature 21 <sup>st</sup> October 1994                           |
|  | Agreement for the Implementation of the provisions of the Convention on the Law of the Sea relating to the conservation and management of straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks 4 <sup>th</sup> August 1995 (Adopted); (Not yet in force) | 4 <sup>th</sup> December 1995  |
| 1992 Protocol to Amend the Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation of Oil Pollution Damage of 1971, 27 <sup>th</sup> November 1992   |   | 27 <sup>th</sup> November 1998 Accession; 27 <sup>th</sup> November 1999 EIF |

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