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**PROTOCOL OF 1996 TO AMEND THE CONVENTION ON LIMITATION  
OF LIABILITY FOR MARITIME CLAIMS, 1976**

**Reservation by Denmark**

The Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization has the honour to refer to the Protocol of 1996 to amend the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims, 1976, and to state that he received, on 6 March 2018, the following reservation by the Government of Denmark:

"The Kingdom of Denmark has ratified the Protocol of 1996 to amend the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims, 1976.  
In accordance with article 7 of the Protocol, it is hereby notified that with effect from 6 March 2018, Denmark will not limit liability for maritime claims in respect of the raising, removal, destruction or the rendering harmless of a ship which is sunk, wrecked, stranded or abandoned, including anything that is or has been on board such ship."

Denmark ratified the Protocol on 12 April 2002, and extended it to Greenland with effect from 13 May 2004.

There are, at present, 55 Contracting States to the Protocol.

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