

APPENDIX - RAC/REMPEITC Activities attended by the Country

2015	Sensitization Workshop for Non-Governmental Organizations and the Media Corps in Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response, and Cooperation
Objectives:	Provide oil pollution response training to influential organizations, especially the press and stewards of Belize's natural resources
Dates:	15-Apr-15 to 15-Apr-15
Host country:	Belize
2015	International Maritime Organization Level III Oil Pollution, Preparedness, Response and Cooperation Training Workshop for Senior Managers and Decision Makers
Objectives:	Provide oil pollution response training to Administrators and Senior Managers
Dates:	16-Apr-15 to 17-Apr-15
Host country:	Belize
2014	National OPRC level II training
Objectives:	The objective of the training is to provide trained and experienced personnel, having significant management responsibilities to coordinate and supervise response operations, the ability to deliver a timely, organized, and effective response.
Dates:	09-Dec-14 to 11-Dec-14
Host country:	Belize
2014	Sub-Regional Workshop on the Ratification, Implementation and Enforcement of the International Convention on Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation (OPRC)
Objectives:	The objective of this training is to provide information to the participants on the legislative, administrative, and enforcement procedures regarding OPRC.
Dates:	18-Nov-14 to 20-Nov-14
Host country:	Suriname
2014	Regional Workshop on Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response, and Co-operation
Objectives:	To bring awareness and provide training on oil spill preparedness, response, and co-operation
Dates:	09-Apr-14 to 11-Apr-14
Host country:	US - Miami
2014	Regional Workshop on MARPOL Annex VI - Air Pollution and Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Emissions from International Shipping for the Wider Caribbean
Objectives:	The main objective of the workshop was to raise awareness among the participating regional countries' stakeholders on MARPOL Annex VI in general and more specifically the recently adopted Chapter 4 of MARPOL Annex VI
Dates:	17-Feb-14 to 19-Feb-14
Host country:	Jamaica
2013	Regional workshop on MARPOL & Port Reception Facilities
Objectives:	To provide detailed information with regard to the most recent amendments to MARPOL and the responsibilities of Parties under the Convention. To received practical information on the provision of PRFs and ship-generated waste management.
Dates:	22-Jul-13 to 25-Jul-13
Host country:	US - USA
2013	Regional Workshop on the Liability and Compensatory Regimes for Pollution Damage
Objectives:	To provide information on the importance and benefits of being Party to the international oil pollution compensatory regime instruments (CLC, Fund and Bunkers Convention) and mechanisms for the implementation of these conventions.
Dates:	24-Sep-13 to 26-Sep-13
Host country:	Barbados

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2012 Regional Workshop on MARPOL

Objectives: To provide information and facilitate the exchange of information between the participants on the legislative, administrative, and enforcement procedures regarding MARPOL. Special attention was also brought to the issue of port reception facilities.

Dates: 16-Oct-12 to 18-Oct-12

Host country: Suriname

2011 GloBallast Compliance, Monitoring, and Enforcement Training

Objectives: To provide training to relevant authorities including Port State Control Officers on Compliance, Monitoring, and Enforcement of the Ballast Water Management Convention.

Dates: 14-Nov-11 to 15-Nov-11

Host country: Jamaica

2010 UNEP/IMO (MARPOL) Workshop

Objectives: With the date of the MARPOL V Special Area requirements for the WCR coming into effect on 01May11, a workshop was held in conjunction with UNEP's ISTAC meeting to educate delegates on the implementation of this requirement.

Dates: 28-May-10 to 28-May-10

Host country: Panamá

2009 First GloBallast Regional Task Force Meeting

Objectives: Facilitate the exchange of information between participants on ballast water management regimes in the Wider Caribbean Region.

Dates: 07-Dec-09 to 08-Dec-09

Host country: Panamá

2009 Regional OPRC Plan Workshop (CAOP)

Objectives: Develop action plan for the establishment of a Central America Oil Spill Contingency Plan.

Dates: 05-Nov-09 to 06-Nov-09

Host country: Colombia

2009 Regional MARPOL Annex I & V Seminar

Objectives: Facilitate the exchange of information between participants on implementation & enforcement procedures regarding MARPOL Annex I & V.

Dates: 03-Nov-09 to 04-Nov-09

Host country: Colombia

2009 Ecological Risk Assessment - Phase II

Objectives: To build a local oil spill response strategy on the most probable case spill scenario. To develop a local oil spill response committee contingency planning capability involving all stakeholders touched directly or indirectly by the oil spill scenario.

Dates: 27-Jan-09 to 29-Jan-09

Host country: Belize

2007 Regional Seminar for decision-makers on the ratification and implementation of the OPRC-HNS protocol

Objectives: Provide information on the ratification and implementation of the OPRC-HNS Protocol. Identify the critical success factors of ratification/implementation of international convention related to marine environment.

Dates: 08-May-07 to 10-May-07

Host country: El Salvador

2007 Regional Workshop on the Ratification and Implementation of Annex V of MARPOL 73/78 and Marine Litter for the Caribbean Sea

Objectives: Promote the implementation of MARPOL with an emphasis on Annex V, special area provisions and addressing the status of the adequacy of ship generated waste port reception facilities. The workshop was also address marine debris issues.

Dates: 27-Feb-07 to 01-Mar-07

Host country: Aruba

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2007 Ecological Risk Assessment Training

Objectives: Facilitate training of a representative of the Government of Belize in the Ecological Risk Assessment process developed by the USCG and NOAA.

Dates: 26-Feb-07 to 02-Mar-07

Host country: US - Puerto Rico

2007 Mobilization Exercise of CCA -Regional course on the use of dispersants - IOSC workshop

Objectives: Facilitate government attendance at the MOBEX. Development of a seminar on the use of dispersant. Develop and evaluate components for assessment of oil spill readiness (OSR). Develop an overview of the status of the Wider Caribbean Region

Dates: 03-Dec-07 to 06-Dec-07

Host country: Panamá

2007 Regional OPRC Level III course

Objectives: Develop a regional OPRC level III course for the Central America countries (CAOP project). Insist on the importance of the development of the NCPs and on the follow up of the CAOP Project. Develop practical aspects.

Dates: 23-Oct-07 to 26-Oct-07

Host country: Panamá

2006 Initialization workshop Central America OPRC Plan Project (CAOP)

Objectives: Build the strategic plan 2006/2007. Establish a continuous improvement management system of Oil Pollution Cooperation, Preparedness and Response quality in Central America

Dates: 08-Mar-06 to 09-Mar-06

Host country: Guatemala

2005 OPRC level 1 Course Panama

Objectives: Conducted a practical course on oil spills response OPRC Level 1. Course supported Momentum gained in Central America since workshop in april 2005.

Dates: 29-Nov-05 to 02-Dec-05

Host country: Panamá

2005 Central America OPRC Plan Workshop

Objectives: Provide Guidance and tools to strengthen efforts of Central American Countries to be prepared and effectively respond to oil spills both at additional and eventually Regional level.

Dates: 13-Apr-05 to 14-Apr-05

Host country: Panamá

2004 Ecological Risk Assessment (ERA) Belize Phase I

Objectives: Identify and talk with stakeholders, researching policies, plans and related documentation, reviewing past and ongoing research regarding Belize's marine ecology, and information gathering.

Dates: 01-May-04 to 08-May-04

Host country: Belize

2004 Regional Workshop on ESI, Sensitivity Mapping and Geographical Information System Workshop for Oil Spill Response

Objectives: Evaluate at a regional level oil spill preparedness and response in Latin America and the Caribbean. Analyze the potential for regional and international cooperation to strengthen GIS and sensitivity mapping resources.

Dates: 16-Mar-04 to 18-Mar-04

Host country: Curaçao

1999 Environmental Sensitivity Index Mapping

Objectives: The workshop was organized to stress to Caribbean states the importance of conducting Environmental Sensitivity Mapping and to provide classroom and hands-on training on engaging in such activity

Dates: 01-Nov-99 to 05-Nov-99

Host country: Trinidad & Tobago

1998 MOBEX 1998 St. Kitts Pollution exercise 22-24 Apr 98

Objectives: Industry sponsored exercise with the CCC. Testing their ability to deploy a significant amount of pollution response equipment in relation with the Tier 3 spill response.

Dates: 22-Apr-98 to 24-Apr-98

Host country: Saint Kitts and Nevis

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1998 OPRC Training and Exercise

Objectives: Purpose: To train the National Contingency plan of St. Lucia, including, actual response measure, sub-regional, regional and international cooperation, and industries involvement, within the frame work of the Caribbean Island OPRC Plan.

Dates: 17-Mar-98 to 19-Mar-98

Host country: Saint Lucia

1997 Second Technical Workshop - Wider Caribbean Initiative for Ship Generated Waste (WCISW)

Objectives: Workshop detailed continued efforts of WCISW initiative to establish Caribbean Sea as a special no discharge area under the provisions of MARPOL. The need for adequate reception facilities in the region of regional countries to the MARPOL Convention.

Dates: 01-Sep-97 to 04-Sep-97

Host country: México

1996 OPRC Level 2 Supervisors/On-Scene Commanders for oil spills

Objectives:

Dates: 17-Jun-96 to 28-Jun-96

Host country: Jamaica

1996 Mission Antigua

Objectives: OPRC Convention adoption and Review of contingency plan

Dates: 05-Feb-96 to 06-Feb-96

Host country: Antigua & Barbuda
