502 <u>Deactivation</u>

A recommendation to deactivate the joint response to a particular incident shall be made by agreement of the OSC and DOSC. The JST Chairman from the Party which originally activated the joint response shall deactivate it by message after consultation with the co-Chairman from the other Party.

This message must clearly establish the date and time, in UTC, of the cessation of the joint response.

The requirements to consult in no way diminish the activating Chairman's prerogative to decide upon deactivation.

503 Post-incident Reports

The JST may request its OSC and DOSC involved to submit reports and to prepare operational debriefings for the JST, on the incident, the action taken and any observation or recommendation which needs to be made.

600 Public Information

When a pollution incident occurs, the public must be provided with timely and accurate information on the nature of the incident and the steps which are being taken to cope with the problem. This policy is followed to obtain understanding from the public, to ensure cooperation from all interested parties and to reduce the possibility of the spread of concern or alarm through misinformation.

700 Administration

701 Custodians

The custodians for this Plan and any amendments thereto are:

For Denmark:
The Director General
National Agency of Environmental Protection

For Canada: The Commissioner Canadian Coast Guard.

702 Amendments

702.1 Amendments to the Plan may be made by mutual agreement of the custodians.