

REPORT A MARINE OCCURRENCE

Definition of a reportable occurrence

1. A reportable marine occurrence is one that results directly from the operation of a ship, other than a pleasure craft, where a person is killed or sustains a serious injury as a result of
 1. boarding, being on board or falling overboard from the ship, or
 2. coming into direct contact with any part of the ship or its contents;
2. a person falls overboard from the ship;
3. a crew member whose duties are directly related to the safe operation of the ship is unable to perform their duties as a result of a physical incapacitation which poses a threat to the safety of persons, property or the environment;
4. the ship
 1. sinks, founders or capsizes,
 2. is involved in a collision or a risk of a collision,
 3. sustains a fire or an explosion,
 4. goes aground,
 5. makes unforeseen contact with the bottom without going aground,
 6. sustains damage that affects its seaworthiness or renders it unfit for its purpose,
 7. is anchored, grounded or beached to avoid an occurrence,
 8. is missing or abandoned,
 9. fouls a utility cable or pipe, or an underwater pipeline,
 10. sustains a total failure of
 1. the navigation equipment if the failure poses a threat to the safety of any person, property or the environment,
 2. the main or auxiliary machinery, or
 3. the propulsion, steering, or deck machinery if the failure poses a threat to the safety of any person, property or the environment;
5. all or part of the ship's cargo shifts or falls overboard; or
6. there is an accidental release on board or from the ship consisting of a quantity of dangerous goods or an emission of radiation that is greater than the quantity or emission levels specified in Part 8 of the *Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations*.

Call with your initial report as soon as possible after the occurrence

A standby investigator is ready to take your call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

- Direct: +1 819-994-3741
- Toll-free in Canada: 1-800-387-3557

You can also report via a Canadian Radio Ship Reporting Station.

Submit a full report within 30 days of the occurrence

You may download and save this form. Fill out the appropriate fields and email it to the email address indicated on the form. You may also print and mail the completed form. If you wish to print a blank form, please click the "FORM RESET" button, fill out the report by hand, and send by regular post to the address indicated on the form.

<http://www.bst-tsb.gc.ca/eng/incidents-occurrence/marine/1808E-20140926.pdf>