

Designing an EU ship recycling licence: A roadmap

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Résumé/Abstract :

The European Commission considers, in a report published in August 2017, the implementation of a financial mechanism with the aim of encouraging ship-owners to use higher standard recycling facilities approved by the EU Commission. This recycling licence would apply when the vessels want to call at Union ports, whether flying the flag of a Member State or of a third country. While the recycling licence is intended to strengthen a legal framework that lacks effectiveness, the authors show that it could speed up the entry into force of the Hong Kong Convention.