RESOLUTION A.635(15) adopted on 20 November 1987

RELATIONS WITH NON-GOVERNMENTAL INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

THE ASSEMBLY,

RECALLING Part XV of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization and in particular Article 62,

RECALLING that Rule 1 of the Rules Governing Relationship with Non-Governmental International Organizations requires that consultative status granted by the Council to such organizations be subject to approval by the Assembly,

RECALLING FURTHER that Rule 10 of the same Rules provides for periodic review by the Council of the list of non-governmental international organizations in consultative status with IMO and for a report to be submitted to the Assembly on the continuation of such status,

NOTING the Guidelines on the Grant of Consultative Status to non-governmental organizations established by the Council at its fortieth session,

HAVING CONSIDERED the decision of the Council to approve the grant of consultative status for the limited period recommended by the Maritime Safety Committee to the International Road Transport Union (IRU),

HAVING ACCEPTED the view of the Council that this organization may reasonably be expected to make a significant contribution to the work of IMO,

HAVING ALSO CONSIDERED the recommendation of the Council that the consultative status granted to the International Lifeboat Federation (previously known as the International Lifeboat Conference) be converted from a "provisional" basis to a "regular" one,
HAVING ALSO CONSIDERED the decisions of the Council, at its fifty-eighth session, to continue consultative status to the organizations already enjoying that status with IMO,

NOTING IN PARTICULAR the decision of the Council that the attention of organizations in consultative status be drawn to their obligation to take all appropriate steps to contribute to the work of IMO in their respective fields of work,

1. APPROVES the decision taken by the Council with regard to the grant of consultative status for a limited period to the International Road Transport Union (IRU);

2. ENDORSES the decisions of the Council regarding the enjoyment of consultative status by the following organizations:

   INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF SHIPPING
   INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR STANDARDIZATION
   INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING FEDERATION LTD
   INTERNATIONAL ELECTROTECHNICAL COMMISSION
   INTERNATIONAL UNION OF MARINE INSURANCE
   INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
   INTERNATIONAL CONFEDERATION OF FREE TRADE UNIONS
   INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LIGHTHOUSE AUTHORITIES
   INTERNATIONAL RADIO-MARITIME COMMITTEE
   PERMANENT INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NAVIGATION CONGRESSES
   INTERNATIONAL FERTILIZER INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION
   jointly with
   EUROPEAN NITROGEN PRODUCERS' ASSOCIATION
   INTERNATIONAL MARITIME COMMITTEE
   INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PORTS AND HARBORS
   BALTIC AND INTERNATIONAL MARITIME COUNCIL
   INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CLASSIFICATION SOCIETIES
   INTERNATIONAL LAW ASSOCIATION
   INTERNATIONAL CARGO HANDLING CO-ORDINATION ASSOCIATION
   EUROPEAN COUNCIL OF CHEMICAL MANUFACTURERS' FEDERATIONS
   LATIN AMERICAN SHIPOWNERS' ASSOCIATION
   OIL COMPANIES INTERNATIONAL MARINE FORUM
EUROPEAN TUGOWNERS' ASSOCIATION
INTERNATIONAL MARITIME PILOTS' ASSOCIATION
INTERNATIONAL SHIPOWNERS' ASSOCIATION
ENGINEERING COMMITTEE ON OCEANIC RESOURCES
FRIENDS OF THE EARTH INTERNATIONAL
INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL CONTAINER LESSORS
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF DRILLING CONTRACTORS
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSTITUTES OF NAVIGATION
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PRODUCERS OF INSURANCE AND REINSURANCE
INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF MARINE INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS
INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF SHIPMASTERS' ASSOCIATIONS
INTERNATIONAL LIFE-SAVING APPLIANCES MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION
INTERNATIONAL SALVAGE UNION
OIL INDUSTRY INTERNATIONAL EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION FORUM
ASSOCIATION OF WEST EUROPEAN SHIPBUILDERS (on a provisional basis)
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INDEPENDENT TANKER OWNERS
INTERNATIONAL GROUP OF P AND I ASSOCIATIONS
INTERNATIONAL TANKER OWNERS POLLUTION FEDERATION LTD
INTERNATIONAL UNION FOR CONSERVATION OF NATURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON POLLUTION OF THE SEA
SOCIETY OF INTERNATIONAL GAS TANKER AND TERMINAL OPERATORS LIMITED
INTERNATIONAL LIFEBOAT FEDERATION (previously known as the International Lifeboat Conference)