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Title: "Adoption of Maritime Labour Convention 2006 in Shipping Operations"

Maritime Labour Convention (MLC) is the last puzzle of maritime safety regime and enters into force since 2013.

To adopt MLC into shipping operation, the required Declaration of Maritime Labour Compliance brings an immediate impact on the ship owners' existing Safety Management system (ISM) since their requirements are partially overlapping within seafarers' rights, safety and health, and such interaction varies by Administration, ships' owners, types of ships, etc.

A new multiple-criteria decision making (MCDM) hierarchy structure can help evaluate appropriate document models of enforcing MLC in line with ISM, and elaborate those key concerned factors when facilitating.