



MARITIME SECURITY



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- Turkey is a State Party to SOLAS Convention.
- ISPS Code Part A and partly Part B are applicable in Turkey.



Maritime Security (CONT'D)

Decree on Implementation of ISPS Code:

- ISPS Code Permanent Monitoring Committee was established in order to monitor the implementation of ISPS Code.
- In principle and unless otherwise explicitly stated by Designated Authority, all ships and port facilities shall be at security level 1. Designated Authority may determine higher security levels and inform relevant port facilities and ships.



Maritime Security (CONT'D)

- Administration may delegate duties indicated in Instruction on Recognized Security Organisations. Criteria for RSOs have been determined by Instruction.
- Port facility security assessment shall be carried out by RSOs authorised and approved by UMA.
- Port facility security plans shall be prepared for each port facility depending on port facility security assessment. It shall be approved by UMA.



Maritime Security (CONT'D)

Other issues regulated by Instruction are;

- Checking and conformity measures
- Security declaration
- Implementation of Section B of ISPS Code
- Notification
- Security agreements
- Alternative measures
- Training



Maritime Security (CONT'D)

- Technical studies to prepare a By-Law on Implementation of ISPS Code are underway.
- Technical studies cover following issues;
 - Duties of UMA,
 - ISPS Code Permanent Monitoring Committee and its duties,
 - Authorizing Commission and its duties,
 - Ships within the scope of the ISPS Code and their duties,
 - Ports within the scope of the ISPS Code and their duties,



Maritime Security (CONT'D)

Technical studies (cont'd)

- Recognised Security Organisations, their duties, authorisation and repeal of authorisation
- Training and certification
- Inspection
- Procedures on security levels
- Checking and conformity checking
- Security declaration
- Implementation of Section B of ISPS Code,
- Notification,
- Security agreements,
- Alternative measures.