

# ANTARCTICA

## MANUAL OF REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES RELEVANT TO TOURISM AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES IN THE ANTARCTIC TREATY AREA



### PLANNING THE ACTIVITY



#### A- GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS ABOUT ANTARCTIC TOURISM AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES

RESOLUTION 7 (2009)

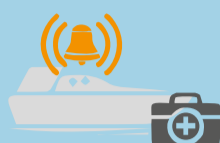
General Principles of Antarctic Tourism



#### D- YACHTING ACTIVITIES

RESOLUTION 10 (2012)

Yachting Guidelines



#### C- EMERGENCY AND CONTINGENCY PLANS SAFETY AND INSURANCE

RESOLUTION 6 (2008)

Enhancing the role of Maritime Rescue Coordination Centres with Search and Rescue Regions in the Antarctic Treaty Area

RESOLUTION 6 (2017)

Contingency Planning, insurance, and other matters for tourists and NGO activities in the Treaty Area

### DURING THE EXPEDITION



#### A- GUIDELINES FOR VISITORS

RESOLUTION 7 (2009)

General Principles of Antarctic Tourism

RESOLUTION 4 (2021)

General Guidelines and Site Guidelines Checklist for Visitors to the Antarctic

RESOLUTION 2 (2022)

Site Guidelines for Visitors

To download site-specific guidelines for visitors, please visit the dedicated pages on the ATS site

#### B- DISEMBARKING

RESOLUTION 4 (2007)

Ship-based Tourism in the Antarctic Treaty Area

RESOLUTION 2 (2022)

Site Guidelines for Visitors



#### C- PROTECTION OF FAUNA AND FLORA

RESOLUTION 2 (2004)

Guidelines for the Operation of Aircraft near Concentrations of Birds in Antarctica

RESOLUTION 7 (2009)

General Principles of Antarctic Tourism See section 2 "Antarctic wildlife"

RESOLUTION 4 (2021)

General Guidelines and Site Guidelines Checklist for Visitors to the Antarctic See Section "Protect Antarctic Wildlife"

RESOLUTION 4 (2018)

Environmental Guidelines for operation of Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems (RPAS) in Antarctica See Point 6 "Operations over or near wildlife" and Point 7 "Operations over terrestrial & freshwater ecosystems"

RESOLUTION 4 (2016)

Non-native Species Manual



#### D- WASTE MANAGEMENT AND MARINE POLLUTION

RESOLUTION 4 (2021)

General Guidelines and Site Guidelines Checklist for Visitors to the Antarctic See Section "Keep Antarctic Pristine"

RESOLUTION 3 (2006)

Ballast Water Exchange in the Antarctic Treaty Area

RESOLUTION 5 (2019)

Reducing Plastic Pollution in Antarctica and the Southern Ocean



#### E- PROTECTED AREAS

RESOLUTION 5 (2001)

Guidelines for handling of pre-1958 historic remains whose existence or present location is not yet known See points 4 and 7 on what to do if historical objects are discovered

RESOLUTION 4 (2021)

General Guidelines and Site Guidelines Checklist for Visitors to the Antarctic See Section "Respect Protected Areas"

RESOLUTION 3 (2009)

Guidelines for the designation and protection of Historic Sites and Monuments See point 8 on the restrictions applying to historic objects



#### F- REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

RESOLUTION 6 (2008)

Enhancing the role of Maritime Rescue Coordination Centres with Search and Rescue Regions in the Antarctic Treaty Area

### AFTER THE EXPEDITION

#### A- INFORMATION EXCHANGE REQUIREMENTS

RESOLUTION 6 (2022)

Revised standard Post Visit Report Form



For additional information, please refer to "Manual of Regulations and Guidelines Relevant to Tourism and Non-Governmental Activities in the Antarctic Treaty Area", the Antarctic Treaty Secretariat ([www.ats.aq](http://www.ats.aq)), or your National Competent Authorities (<https://ats.aq/devAS/Ats/ContactPoints?lang=e>).



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