

"These clauses are purely illustrative. Different policy conditions may be agreed. The specimen clauses are available to any interested person upon request. In particular:
(a) in relation to any clause which excludes losses from the cover, insurers may agree a separate insurance policy covering such losses or may extend the clause to cover such events;
(b) in relation to clauses making cover of certain risks subject to specific conditions each insurer may alter the said conditions".



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INSTITUTE POLLUTION HAZARD CLAUSE 'A'

Subject to the terms and conditions of this policy, this insurance also covers loss of or damage to the vessel directly caused by any governmental authority acting under the powers vested in them to prevent or mitigate a pollution hazard, or threat thereof, resulting directly from damage to the vessel for which the Underwriters are liable under this policy, provided such act of governmental authority has not resulted from want of due diligence by the Assured, the owners, or managers of the vessel or any of them to prevent or mitigate such hazard or threat. Masters, officers, crew or pilots not to be considered owners within the meaning of this clause should they hold shares in the vessel.

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