

New nuclear at the IMO:

Why shipping needs nuclear energy

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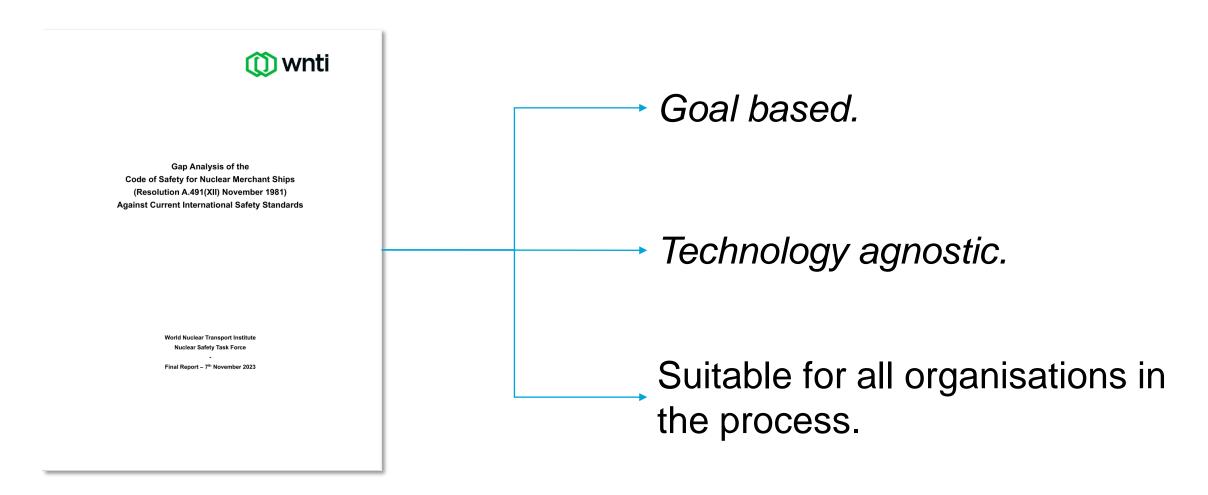


Levelling the playing field

Why?	Eliminate GHG from shipping, and improve energy efficiency.
What?	Nuclear is our ONLY true ZERO emission energy source – and we know it works at sea.
How?	Evaluate each alternative fuel and technology without prejudice, and without favour. Create a level playing field for all fuels and technologies.
Who?	IMO <u>must commence work</u> to revise SOLAS Ch 8, 'Code of Safety for Nuclear Merchant Ships' (Res A.491.Xii).
When?	MSC108 / 109 and onwards.

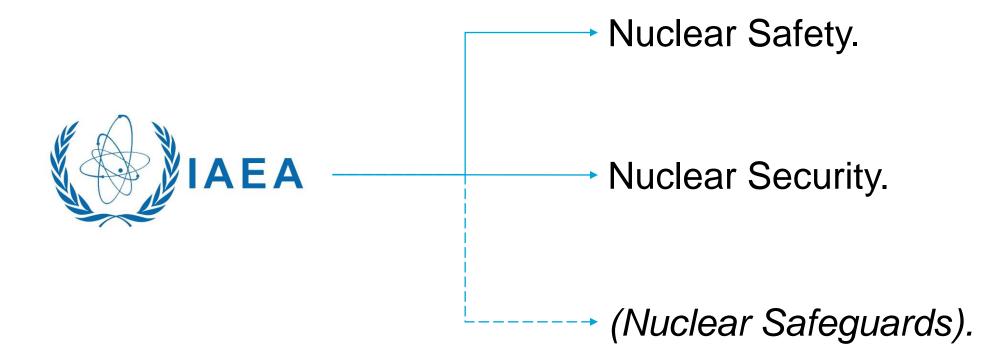


WNTI gap analysis of A.491(Xii) - Submitted as MSC108/INF.21



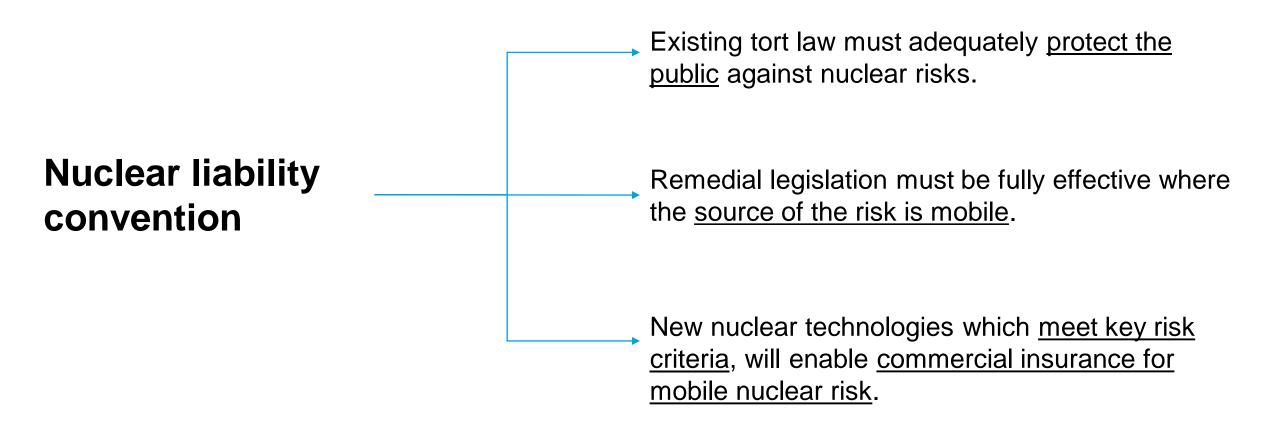


IAEA TECDOC - gap analysis for <u>floating nuclear power</u> as regards:





Key criteria for liability and commercial insurability

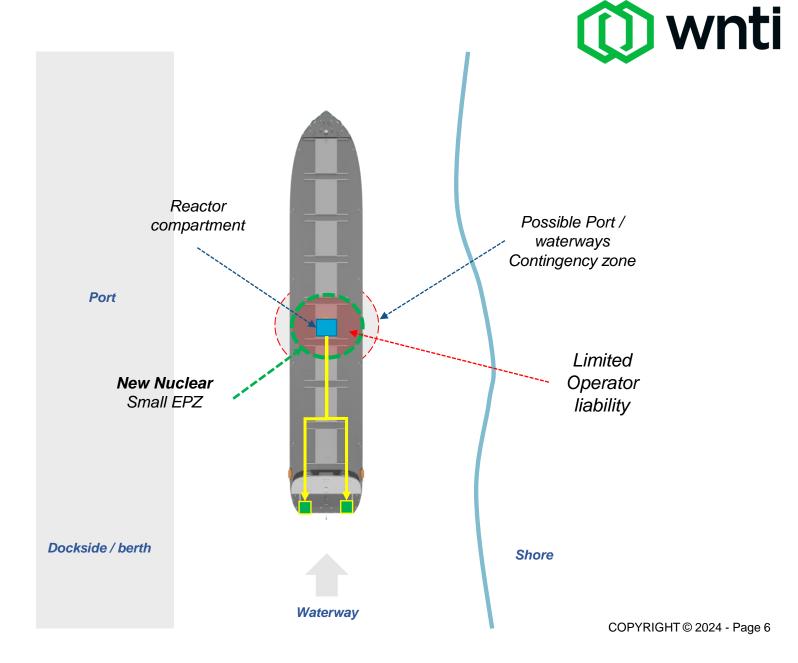


'New nuclear' in waterways

No-low pressure = Small EPZ.

Small 'mobile' EPZs = Easy to insure.

Nuclear electric = Only reactor is 'nuclear'.





Roadmap to 2030s

Step 1:	2024 - 2026	IMO revises Res. A.491(Xii) in close dialogue with the IAEA.
Step 2:	2024 - 2026	IAEA completes gap analysis of standards for floating nuclear in close dialogue with IMO.
Step 3:	2026 - 2028	Insurance industry use resulting unified standards as a <u>foundation for</u> <u>Liability Convention.</u>
Step 4:	2028 - 2030	Member states set down rules for <u>floating nuclear to transit waters</u> , <u>enter</u> and <u>operate in waterways and make port calls</u> .
The end game:	2030 +	Fit-for-purpose technology is coming to market in early 2030s.

Industry support for member states.



Voice of <u>nuclear transport industry</u>.

50+ members.

6 working groups including:

WNTI Marine Applications and Nuclear Propulsion Group (MANPG).

Existing NGO status at IMO and IAEA.



The voice of the <u>nuclear mobility industry</u>.

10 founding members (40 by end 2024)

3 Working Groups:

Maritime nuclear Nuclear maritime Liability.

Will apply for NGO status at IMO and IAEA.



Thank you.

Q&A

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Please join our drinks reception upstairs afterwards.