

Five beneficial changes from
IMO's **Sulphur Limit** for ships' fuel oil

Sulphur 2020



Cleaner air

77% drop in overall sulphur oxide (SOx) emissions from ships – annual reduction of approximately 8.5 million metric tonnes of SOx.



Positive impacts on human health

Premature deaths, cardiovascular, respiratory and pulmonary diseases will all be reduced.



Higher quality fuels

The majority of ships will switch to higher quality, low sulphur fuel oil to meet the limit.



Ship operators, owners + refineries have adapted

Guidance issued by IMO and other stakeholders to enhance preparedness ahead of the entry into force of Sulphur 2020.



Changes for enforcement authorities

Flag and port State control will be making sure ships are compliant.