

# 10 Green Principles

- 1.** Promote sustainable development of maritime transport, minimising shipping's impact on the environment.
- 2.** Advocate a sustainable use of the oceans and seas, meeting the society's needs whilst guaranteeing fair access to all
- 3.** Facilitate the deployment of all existing 'green technology' with the capacity of contributing to a safer and cleaner environment
- 4.** Support investment in research, development and innovation with the aim of further advancements of 'green technologies'.
- 5.** Cooperate with policy makers in the definition of legislative measures providing for standards on environmental protection
- 6.** Implement safer, greener and innovative production processes, including Corporate social responsibility schemes.
- 7.** Advocate for policies that reward industry's efforts to meet environmental standards
- 8.** Reward innovators and inventors by effectively safeguarding and enforcing their intellectual property rights.
- 9.** Engage in an open dialogue with civil society and NGOs to create awareness on the beneficial role of green technologies.
- 10.** Commit to implement the principles and keep on the horizon the idea of 'environmentally conscious shipping'.

