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GIBRALTAR PORT AUTHORITY PUBLISHES REVISED OIL SPILL CONTINGENCY PLAN

The Gibraltar Port Authority has announced the publication of its revised Oil Spill Contingency Plan. It follows an in depth review, conducted in consultation with all interested stakeholders and specialists in this field. Taking into account developments in this area, it is tailored specifically to routine activities taking place in the port and in British Gibraltar Territorial waters, underpinning Gibraltar's reputation as a centre of maritime excellence. The plan forms part of the Gibraltar Government's wider national contingency planning, and is a vital tool in effective oil spill response coordination.

The Minister with responsibility for the Port, the Hon Paul Balban said: "The environmental protection of our waters is paramount. In keeping with this policy, this revised plan complements the GPA's wider capabilities in ensuring that our environmental credentials remain second to none."