

## Annex

### Numbers of inspections conducted, warnings or directions issued to the persons involved, prosecutions instituted by the Marine Department, convictions and the amount of fines in the past five years

Year	Number of inspections conducted	Number of warnings or directions issued	Number of prosecutions instituted	Number of convictions	Amount of fines
2018	4 913	137	72	72	Ranging from \$1,000 to \$60,000
2019	4 714	149	63	62	Ranging from \$500 to \$40,500
2020	2 204	66	31	27	Ranging from \$500 to \$76,000
2021	2 891	89	45	45	Ranging from \$600 to \$4,400
2022	2 240	70	40	40	Ranging from \$1,000 to \$29,500
<b>Total</b>	<b>16 962</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>N/A</b>

*Note 1: There was no case of imprisonment in the past five years.*

*Note 2: The decrease in number of inspections conducted during 2020 - 2022 was mainly due to the special work arrangements implemented by the Government due to the COVID-19 pandemic.*