

**NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARIES ACT**

**CHANNEL ISLANDS NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY**

VIOLATION	VIOLATION HISTORY -- PENALTY AMOUNT		
	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
Failure to have oil spill contingency equipment during hydro-carbon operations.*	\$10,000 - \$50,000	\$25,000 - \$50,000	\$50,000
Prohibited hydrocarbon operations	\$5,000 - \$50,000	\$10,000 - \$50,000	\$25,000 - \$50,000
Discharge of substances			
Hydrocarbons or hazardous substance	\$5,000 - \$50,000	\$20,000 - \$50,000	\$35,000 - \$50,000
Fuel, oil, etc. from recreational vessels	\$100 - \$5,000	\$1,000 - \$10,000	\$5,000 - \$20,000
Trash	\$100 - \$7,500	\$1,000 - \$30,000	\$5,000 - \$50,000
Raw material (unprocessed and not hazardous)	\$100 - \$5,000	\$750 - \$15,000	\$1,500 - \$50,000
Deposit of wrecks	Determine penalty on case-by-case basis.		
Alteration of or construction on seabed.			
Construction	\$5,000 - \$10,000	\$10,000 - \$15,000	\$20,000 - \$50,000
Drilling	\$10,000 - \$50,000	\$20,000 - \$50,000	\$30,000 - \$50,000
Dredging	\$5,000 - \$10,000	\$10,000 - \$15,000	\$20,000 - \$50,000
Altering	\$200 - \$10,000	\$500 - \$15,000	\$1,000 - \$50,000

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Commercial vessel operations in prohibited areas.	\$1,000 - \$5,000	\$5,000 - \$10,000	\$10,000-\$50,000
Aircraft disturbance of marine mammals and sea birds.	\$200 - \$2,000	\$500 - \$5,000	\$5,000 - \$10,000
Removing or damaging historical or cultural resources.	\$500 - \$5,000	\$2,000 - \$5,000	\$5,000 - \$25,000
Removing or damaging historical or cultural resources within commercial context.	\$1,000 - \$10,000	\$10,000 - \$20,000	\$20,000 - \$50,000

\*Partial compliance may reduce assessed penalty.