

When carrying substances with IMDG classification as unit cargo through the Port of Kotka, the following reporting procedure shall be followed:

### Advance inquiry

An **advance inquiry** shall be made **at least one week before the intended transport** if the substances are included in the following IMDG classes:

- 1** = explosives
- 5.2** = organic peroxides when the amount carried is over 10 tons
- 7** = radioactive substances

In addition, an advance inquiry shall be made concerning **IMDG-coded substances with a subsidiary IMDG class of 6.1.**

The advance inquiry shall cover the following details:

**Technical name of substance, IMDG class, UN number, total amount of substance, and intended transport route.**

The inquiries shall be made to Harbour Master Laila Nykänen or to Environmental Supervisor Tommy Ulmanen (e-mail: [laila.nykanen@portofkotka.fi](mailto:laila.nykanen@portofkotka.fi), [tommy.ulmanen@portofkotka.fi](mailto:tommy.ulmanen@portofkotka.fi) or by fax: + 358 5 218 1375).

### Advance notice

An **advance notice** shall be made of **all** substances with IMDG classification at least 24 hours before the goods arrive at the port area. The notice shall **also** contain information on any IMDG-coded substances on board that are not unloaded/loaded in Kotka.

The advance notice shall cover the following details:

**Name of vessel, ETA, technical name of substance, IMDG class, UN number, and total amount of substance.**

This notice shall be made via the Portnet system or by fax (+ 358 5 218 1375 / Nykänen or Ulmanen).

### Storage facilities for IMDG cargoes at the Port of Kotka

It is not possible to store substances in the following IMDG classes. They must be **transported further immediately**:

**Hietanen Terminal:**

- 1** = explosives
- 2.3** = toxic gases
- 5.2** = organic peroxides
- 6.1** = toxic substances
- 7** = radioactive substances

**Kotka Container Terminal:**

- 1** = explosives
- 7** = radioactive substances