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Today, the BSU published its annual report 2019. The report provides an overview of the activities in the last year and is divided into six sections.

The presentation of selected current investigations, some of which were meanwhile concluded, is the core part of the report. Moreover, the report focusses on detailed statistics in the last quarter of the report. The total number of the notifications relevant for the BSU remained almost the same. However, the number of the marine casualties leading to injuries to persons or even fatalities slightly increased again.

The part „public relations” covers a broad spectrum. The BSU held a press conference on the publication of an investigation report for a second time with some success. The information on the accident involving the GLORY AMSTERDAM attracted lively interest and subsequently found media distribution. This shows that the activities of the BSU are perceived as an important factor for the improvement of maritime safety.

The annual report is available on

https://www.bsu-bund.de/EN/Publications/Publications_node.html

Alternatively, the report can be forwarded upon request. Printed versions are available in the BSU office building. All investigation reports, safety recommendations as well as other publications of the BSU are available on

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