

MARINE DEPARTMENT NOTICE NO. 1 OF 2010

(Miscellaneous Information)

HONG KONG MARINE DEPARTMENT NOTICES

The following Marine Department Notices (MDN) are still in force as at 1 January 2010:

(I) Navigation Warnings & Related Information	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Typhoon Season	55/09	29/04/09

(II) Establishment, Withdrawal and Changes of Aids to Navigation, Fairways, Anchorages & Other Port Facilities	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Establishment of a Physical Floating Barrier Along the Northwestern Boundary of the Hong Kong International Airport Approach Area Number 3	40/05	30/03/05
Floating Barriers Across Tolo Channel	113/07	13/07/07
Temporary withdrawal and establishment of light buoys off Pillar Point, Urmston Road	26/09	27/02/09
Temporary Relocation of the Sha Chau Approach Channel, Urmston Road	41/09	01/04/09
Floating Barriers Across Starling Inlet	64/09	14/05/09
Withdrawal of Government Mooring Buoys	163/09	30/11/09
Establishment of Lights on the Stonecutters Bridge	165/09	30/11/09
Adoption of Emergency Wreck Marking Buoy for marking new dangerous wreck in Hong Kong waters	173/09	17/12/09
Relocation of Government Mooring Buoys	178/09	29/12/09

(III) Marine Works	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Backfilling Operations North of the Hong Kong International Airport	145/07	11/09/07
Permanent Closure of Landing Steps (NP 042) in Tuen Mun Typhoon Shelter	72/08	16/05/08
Laying of a Drainage Outfall and Construction of a Temporary Seawall off Cyberport, Hong Kong Island West	77/08	23/05/08
Dredging, Piling, Site Investigation and Reclamation Works in Central Harbour	51/09	15/04/09
Seawall Construction Works on Middle Island	59/09	07/05/09
Dredging Operations off West Coast of Lamma Island	61/09	11/05/09
Temporary Establishment of a Current Meter off Yau Kom Tau and at Western Dangerous Goods Anchorage	62/09	11/05/09
Dredging Operations off Tung Chung	99/09	27/07/09

Widening Works for the Tai Lam Bridge, Tuen Mum Road	102/09	03/08/09
Dredging Operations North of the Hong Kong International Airport	110/09	20/08/09
Repair Works to the Landing Steps at Ap Lei Pai, East Lamma Channel	111/09	21/08/09
Construction of Two Groynes at the Cheung Sha Beach, Lantau Island	117/09	08/09/09
Extension Works to a Pier and Dredging Operations off Tap Shek Kok, Urmston Road	120/09	14/09/09
Submarine Pipeline Repair Works in Urmston Road	136/09	12/10/09
Marine Site Investigation in Junk Bay	143/09	22/10/09
Re-construction Works to a Public Pier in Leung Shuen Wan, Sai Kung	144/09	22/10/09
Dredging Operations in Tuen Mum Typhoon Shelter	145/09	23/10/09
Silt Curtain at Tai Shue Wan, South of Hong Kong Island	149/09	10/11/09
Marine Site Investigation in Kwai Chung Basin, Northern Fairway and Western Fairway	150/09	10/11/09
Marine Site Investigation in Junk Bay	151/09	12/11/09
Marine Site Investigation off Cyberport, Hong Kong Island West	158/09	24/11/09
Marine Site Investigation off Hong Kong International Airport	162/09	27/11/09
Construction of Staircases on the Seawall at Stanley Bay	170/09	14/12/09
Rubble Removal and Sand Replenishment Works at Lo So Shing Beach, Lamma Island	174/09	18/12/09
Fender Replacement Works for Dolphins in New Yau Ma Tei Typhoon Shelter	176/09	24/12/09
Construction of Drainage Outfall at Yau Kom Tau	179/09	29/12/09

(IV) Statutory Requirements and Related Information	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Donning of Lifejackets	35/03	20/03/03
IMO Ship Identification Number (IMO No.) Additional information to be provided in Pre-Arrival Notice	66/04	07/05/04
Prevention of Accidental Oil Pollution – Measures for Existing Oil Tankers Additional information to be provided in Tanker Arrival Notice	37/05	16/03/05
Cargo Loading Safety of Wooden Cargo Vessels	63/06	18/04/06
Safe Loading of Fluorspar Cargo	80/06	30/05/06
Implementation of Freight Containers (Safety) Ordinance, Cap. 506	145/06	01/09/06
Safe Lookout on Local Oil Barge	175/06	05/10/06
Authorization of Surveyors and Recognition of Authorities for carrying out Approval of Plans and Surveys of Local Vessels under the Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) Ordinance (Cap. 548)	8/07	16/01/07
Recognition of former certificates under the Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) Ordinance, Cap. 548	10/07	19/01/07
Implementation Issues under the Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) (Safety and Survey) Regulation (Cap. 548 Sub. Leg.)	25/07	15/02/07
Acceptance of Towing Voyage Survey Conducted by Non-Government Surveyors	56/07	30/03/07

Provision of Insurance Information in Pre-Arrival Notification	105/07	29/06/07
Replacement of former exemption certificates issued under Cap. 313	109/07	06/07/07
Towing of Banana Boat or Similar Vessel	124/07	06/08/07
Updated Arrangements in the Recognition of PRC Fishery Vessel Officer's Certificates for the Operation of "Guangdong/Hong Kong Mobile Fishing Vessels" under The Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) Ordinance (Cap. 548)	129/07	10/08/07
Charges for Discharge of Polluting Waste	68/08	09/05/08
2008 Amendments to the International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) Code and its Supplement	2/09	06/01/09
Speed in Restricted Zones	84/09	29/06/09
Requirement to Produce Local Certificate of Competency	139/09	15/10/09

(V) Port Operations Procedures	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Ngan Chau and Lei Yue Mun Pilot Stations Procedures	16/01	02/02/01
Pilotage Requirements for Vessels in Transit of Hong Kong Waters	142/01	18/12/01
Suspension of Pilotage Services during Adverse Weather Conditions	97/07	22/06/07

(VI) Navigational & Seamanship Safety Practices	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Engine Room Explosion	142/00	02/11/00
Notices to Owners, Masters, and Crew members on All Vessels	2/01	10/01/01
Engine Room Explosion	104/01	27/09/01
Safety in Anchor Handling	107/02	04/09/02
Safety in Electrical Work	119/02	24/09/02
Safe Operation of Vessels	144/02	30/11/02
Danger of Synchronized Rolling and Failure to Carry Life Saving Appliances on Board	154/02	18/12/02
Notice to Owners, Operators, Masters and Persons-in-charge of Locally Licensed Vessels – Importance of Communication between Crewmembers	37/03	25/03/03
Notice to Owners, Operators, Masters and Persons-in-charge of Locally Licensed Vessels – Observance of Rules 5 and 6 of International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea 1972	70/03	27/05/03
Notice to Owners, Operators and Persons-in-charge of Locally Licensed Vessels – Precautions to be taken before entering tanks and other enclosed spaces	74/03	09/06/03
Notice to Owners, Operators, Masters and Persons-in-charge of Locally Licensed Vessels – Observance of Good Seamanship Practices, Awareness of Dangerous Working Places and Importance of Communication during Mooring Operation	103/03	01/08/03
Notice to Masters and Persons-in-charge of Vessels	48/04	06/04/04

Notice to Owners and Masters of all Fishing Vessels	74/04	28/05/04
Notice to Owners and Masters of all Coastal Vessels	87/04	18/06/04
Notice to Owners, Operators and Persons-in-charge of Dumb Steel Lighters – Precautions to be taken for avoiding shifting containers	97/04	12/07/04
Notice to Owners, Masters of all Outboard Open Sampan (P4 Sampan)	105/04	28/07/04
Notice to Owners and Masters of Launches and Pleasure Vessels	106/04	28/07/04
Notice to Owners, Operators, Masters and Persons-in-charge of Locally Licensed Vessels – Fire in Engine Room	123/04	31/08/04
Notice to Owners, Operators, Masters and Persons-in-charge of Locally Licensed Vessels – Fire during Bunkering	167/04	07/12/04
Prevention of Containers Falling Overboard	134/05	30/08/05
Fuel Oil Transfer or Filling Operation on Locally Licensed Vessels	94/06	21/06/06
Safety Precautions for Swimmers on Diving Activities	124/06	08/08/06
Fatal accident caused by mooring rope	114/07	13/07/07
Sinking of a non-propelled dredger	190/07	11/12/07
Safe Working Practices for Fishing Vessels in Pair Trawling Operation	90/08	17/06/08
Notice to Owners and Masters of all Local Motor Trading Boats	125/08	06/10/08
Vessel Traffic Services Navigation in the Eastern Part of Hong Kong Waters & Reporting Points at Mirs Bay Area	148/08	27/11/08
Marine Sporting Activities For The Year 2009	48/09	14/04/09
Safe Navigation in Poor Visibility	172/09	17/12/09

(VII) Marine Industrial Safety	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Diving Operations – Code of Safe Working Practice	6/01	15/01/01
Fatal Fall into Cargo Hold	119/01	29/10/01
Precautions to be taken in handling piled up plywood boards that packed in bundles	121/01	06/11/01
Precautions Against Electric Shock from Electric Arc Welding	18/03	06/02/03
Avoidance of Excessive Hours of Work	151/03	10/11/03
Safety Measures While Lifting Hatch Cover	157/03	24/11/03
Bulk Cargo Handling	3/05	07/01/05
Maintenance and Repair of Derrick and Permanent Attachments	39/05	19/03/05
Mid-Stream Operation – Vertical Tandem Lift	135/05	06/09/05
Precautions of Man Falling Overboard During Cargo Handling in Adverse Weather Conditions	136/05	06/09/05
Safety of Loading Containers onto Trailers by Derrick Lighters at Public Cargo Working Areas	137/05	06/09/05

Extension Power Cord	108/06	14/07/06
Safe Means of Access to Cargo Hold on Local Lighters Engaged in Mid-stream Cargo Operation (Amended)	38/07	27/02/07
Working at Height on Dumb Steel Lighters	198/07	20/12/07
Safe Practices for Unloading Block of Granite	137/08	04/11/08
Risk Assessment to Workplace and Access to Workplace Prior to Commencement of Works	38/09	31/03/09

(VIII) Requirements for Local Vessel Licensing, Safety Survey, Manning and Crew Certification	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Verification of Local Certificate of Competency	12/01	27/01/01
Basic Safety Training Requirement for Hong Kong Licensed Vessels Crew within the waters of Guangdong	172/03	29/12/03
Professional Training Requirement for the Crew Working on Hong Kong Licensed Fishing Vessels within the Mainland Waters	107/04	29/07/04
Manning Statement for Hong Kong Licensed Vessels within Guangdong Waters	121/04	27/08/04

(IX) Miscellaneous Information	<u>MDN</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
Safe Working Practice on Carriage of Used Motor Vehicles/Cycles and Related Parts by Vessels	167/00	22/11/00
Access to Ships and Port Facilities	91/04	26/06/04
Fencing of Openings on Deck	166/04	08/12/04
Hydrographic Publications and Products	46/05	02/04/05
Carrying Capacity of Open Deck Pleasure Vessels	92/05	21/06/05
Notice to Owners, Operators, Masters and Crew of Locally Licensed Fishing Vessels – Special Training Qualifications for Hong Kong Fishing Vessel Crew	100/05	12/07/05
Additional Licensing Requirement for High-Power Open Pleasure Vessels	112/05	26/07/05
Liquefied Natural Gas Tankers Transiting the Waters of Hong Kong at Mirs Bay	79/06	19/05/06
Safety Precautions for Diving Activities	118/06	03/08/06
The Danger of Carrying Passengers on Local Fishing Vessels	223/06	28/12/06
Extended Period of Validity of Certificate of Survey for Certain Local Vessels and Arranging Periodic Survey Prior to the Expiry of the Existing Certificates under the Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) Ordinance (Cap. 548)	26/07	15/02/07
International Health Regulations (2005)	99/07	22/06/07
Implementation of the Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Air Pollution) Regulation, on Local Vessels	46/08	15/04/08

Enhancement of Marine Department Electronic Business System	55/08	22/04/08
Implementation of the Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Air Pollution) Regulation	76/08	21/05/08
Requirements of Lighted Buoys for Marking Marine Works Area	23/09	26/02/09
Promulgation of Marine Department Notices	24/09	26/02/09
Safety Precautions for Diving Activities	37/09	30/03/09
Health Measures on Infectious Disease for Vessels Arriving Hong Kong	60/09	11/05/09
Clearance Requirements for Hong Kong-licensed Vessels that have undergone Repairs in the Mainland	76/09	05/06/09
Opening of Central Marine Office	168/09	14/12/09

2. This Notice supersedes MDN No. 1 of 2009.
3. Further MDN to update the above list will be issued annually.

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