The Guidelines on Cyber Security Onboard Ships

To: Shipowners, Ship Managers, Ship Operators, Ship Masters and Officers

Summary

The purpose of this Note is to promulgate IMO circular MSC.1/Circ.1639 to advise the parties concerned of The Guidelines on Cyber Security Onboard Ships.

1. The Maritime Safety Committee (MSC) of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) at its 103rd session, approved the dissemination of the fourth version of The Guidelines on Cyber Security Onboard Ships (the Guidelines) by means of MSC.1/Circ.1639.

2. The circular MSC.1/Circ.1639 can be found on the website of Marine Department (https://www.mardep.gov.hk/en/msnote/msin.html) as attachment to this Note.

3. Shipowners, ship managers, ship operators, ship masters and officers of Hong Kong registered ships are reminded to consider the Guidelines and act accordingly.

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