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To: Shipowners / Ship Managers and Classification Societies

Dear Sir/Madam,

### **Updated Information for Port State Control Detentions of Hong Kong Registered Ships**

Marine Department was deeply concerned with the fast escalating detention of Hong Kong registered ships by port States. As of today, we noted 33 detentions and within that 16 ships were detained by the Australian AMSA and 5 ships were detained by the US Coastguard. In actual fact, the last six detained Hong Kong registered ships was by AMSA in a row.

With respect to the above-mentioned detentions, we would like to inform that the most common detainable deficiencies registered by the PSCOs include fire dampers, fire flaps, air vents, weather-tight closings, main and emergency fire pumps, emergency generators, fire protection systems, lifeboats and rescue boats, and in some cases, all deficiencies were concluded by an ISM Code major non-conformity in respect of maintenance, key shipboard operations or emergency preparedness.

It should also be noted that the above-mentioned deficiencies are standard items on the pre-arrival checklist issued by Marine Department. Once again, we urge all ship's Master and Engineers to carry out thorough and decent pre-arrival checks, and in particular prior to arriving Australian and US ports.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Cargo Ships Safety Section as follows:

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