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HONG KONG MERCHANT SHIPPING INFORMATION NOTE

United Nations Sanctions (Democratic Republic of the Congo) Regulation 2019 (Amendment) Regulation 2026

To : Shipowners, Ship Managers, Ship Operators and Masters

Summary

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ("HKSAR") gazetted the United Nations Sanctions (Democratic Republic of the Congo) Regulation 2019 (Amendment) Regulation 2026 (L.N.145 of 2026) (the "Amendment Regulation") on 6 November 2026. The Amendment Regulation, which came into operation on the same date, is to give effect to certain decisions in Resolution 2825(2026) adopted by the Security Council of the United Nations on 29 June 2026.

1. The Amendment Regulation amended the United Nations Sanctions (Democratic Republic of the Congo) Regulation 2019 (Cap. 537CJ) ("principal Regulation") and came into operation on 6 November 2026.

2. The Amendment Regulation gives effect to the prohibition against:-

(a) the supply, sale, transfer or carriage of arms or related materiel to certain persons;

(b) the provision of assistance, advice or training related to military activities in certain circumstances;

(c) making available to, or for the benefit of, certain persons or entities any funds or other financial assets or economic resources;

(d) dealing with funds or other financial assets or economic resources belonging to, or owned or controlled by, certain persons or entities; and

(e) entry into or transit through the HKSAR by certain persons.

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3. The Amendment Regulation prescribed that the relevant provisions of the principal Regulation are in force until midnight on 1 July 2027.

4. Details of the Amendment Regulation can be found on the website of Marine Department (https://www.mardep.gov.hk/en/legislation/notices/msin/index.html) as annex to this Information Note.

5. Shipowners, ship managers, ship operators and masters of Hong Kong registered ships should abide by the regulation mentioned above.

6. For further enquiry, please contact via email: hkmpd@mardep.gov.hk.

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