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IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REVISED REGULATION 13G AND REGULATION 13H OF MARPOL ANNEX I

Communication received from the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore

- 1 A communication has been received from the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore concerning implementation of the revised regulation 13G and regulation 13H of MARPOL Annex I.. The said regulations will enter into force on 5 April 2005.
- 2 At the request of the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore, the above-mentioned communication, annexed hereto, is circulated to Member States for their information.

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Dear Mr Sainlos

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REVISED REGULATION 13G AND REGULATION 13H OF MARPOL ANNEX I-COMMUNICATION OF INFORMATION TO IMO

We submit the following information as required by Resolution MEPC.111(50).

- 2 Information required under Regulation 13G (8)(a) and 13H(8)(a): See attached
 1. Shipping Circular No. 25 of 2004 issued on 12 Nov 2004(without Attachment A i.e. Resolution MEPC.111(50));
 2. Shipping Circular No.12 of 2005 issued on 15 Mar 05; and
 3. Port Marine Circular No.22 of 2004 issued on 23 Sep 04.
- 3 The Shipping Circular No. 25 of 2004 indicate that Singapore registered ships will be allowed continued operation as spelt out in Regulations 13G(5), 13G(7), 13H(5) and 13H(6) provided that ships meet the conditions for such continued operation mentioned in these regulations. Foreign ships calling at Singapore will be treated in the same manner.
- 4 Shipping Circular No.12 of 2005 informs the shipping community of the entry of force of Singapore regulations giving effect to Resolution MEPC.111(50) on 5 Apr 05. It also advises the shipowners to approach the nine approved classification societies to get Form B (Supplement to the IOPP Certificate) replaced with amended Form B.
- 5 Port Marine Circular No. 22 of 2004 describes our requirements for ships operating in Singapore waters in accordance with Regulation 13H(7).

6 The circulars can be viewed on the web site of the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore. The addresses are:

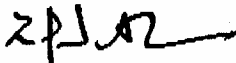
http://www.mpa.gov.sg/circulars_and_notices/shipping_circulars/sc04-25.htm

http://www.mpa.gov.sg/circulars_and_notices/shipping_circulars/sc05-12.htm

http://www.mpa.gov.sg/circulars_and_notices/portmarine_circulars/pc04-22.htm

With warm regards.

Yours sincerely



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