



**MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND WORKS
DEPARTMENT OF MERCHANT SHIPPING
LEMESOS**

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To all Owners, Managers
and Representatives of Ships
under the Cyprus Flag

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Subject: List of Circulars issued by the Department of Merchant Shipping during the first half of 2005

I wish to inform you that, during the 1st half of year 2005, the Department of Merchant Shipping issued the following fifteen circulars:

25.1.2005 List of Circulars issued by the Department of Merchant Shipping during the (No. 1/2005) second half of 2004

25.1.2005 International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and (No. 2/2005) Watchkeeping for Seafarers, STCW 78, as amended – Issue of Seafarer’s Identification and Sea Service Record Books and Endorsements attesting the recognition of Non Cyprus Certificate

8.2.2005 Introduction of Maritime Identification Zone by Australia (No. 3/2005)

10.2.2005 Static test of launching appliances’ winch brakes (No. 4/2005)

18.3.2005 Regulation (EC) No 2037/2000 of the European Parliament and of (No. 5/2005) the Council of 29 June 2000 on substances that deplete the ozone layer and its application to existing cargo ships

29.3.2005 Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Cyprus and the (No. 6/2005) Government of the Syrian Arab Republic on Cooperation in the Field of Merchant Shipping

5.5.2005 The Cyprus Ships (Prohibition of Transportation of Arms and (No. 7/2005) Related Materiel to Burma/Myanmar) Order of 2005 implementing Council Common Position 2004/423/CFSP

- 5.5.2005 The Cyprus Ships (Prohibition of Transportation of Arms (No. 8/2005) and Related Materiel to Sudan) Order of 2005 implementing Council Common Position 2004/510/CFSP and UN Security Council Resolution 1556 (2004)
- 12.5.2005 Consolidated English version of the Merchant Shipping (Port State (No. 9/2005) Control) Laws of 2001 and 2004, available on the DMS Website
- 19.5.2005 Protocol of 1997 to Amend the International Convention for the (No. 10/2005) Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973, as modified by the Protocol of 1978 Relating Thereto
- 25.5.2005 Implementation of EU Harmonising Legislation: The Merchant Shipping (No. 11/2005) (Specific Stability Requirements for Ro-Ro Passenger Ships) Law of 2005
- 13.6.2005 Libyan Fishing Protection Zone – Extension of the Libyan territorial (No. 12/2005) waters
- 13.6.2005 Procedure followed by Cyprus Flag Administration for the conduct (No. 13/2005) of CAS survey
- 14.6.2005 Alterations of COMMUNICATIONS facilities in Joint (No. 14/2005) Rescue Coordination Centre – Larnaca (Cyprus) (Jrcc-Larnaca)
- 30.6.2005 New Government Policy on the Registration of Vessels in the Cyprus (No. 15/2005) Register of Ships

A copy of the above circulars may be obtained from the Department of Merchant Shipping or the Department's website at <http://www.shipping.gov.cy>. The Owners, Managers and Representatives of ships flying the Cyprus flag are advised to strictly abide by the circulars listed herein.

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