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MINISTRY OF
COMMUNICATIONS AND WORKS

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To all Registered owners, Registered bareboat charterers
Managers and Representatives of ships flying the Cyprus Flag

To all Owners, Managers, Representatives and Agents in Cyprus of Ships,
irrespective of flag they are flying, calling at Cyprus ports

*c/o Cyprus Shipping Chamber
c/o Cyprus Union of Shipowners
c/o Cyprus Shipping Association*



DEPARTMENT
OF MERCHANT SHIPPING
LEMESOS

27 March 2014

**Subject: - UN Security Council Resolution 2128 (2013)
- New EU Council Decision 2014/141/CFSP concerning restrictive
measures against Liberia;**

1. I refer to the above subject and further to DMS Circular No. 24/2010, regarding the adoption of Prohibition Order P.I. 345/2010, I wish to inform you of the adoption by the United Nations and the European Union of the following instruments concerning restrictive measures against Liberia:
 - ***UN Security Council Resolution (UNSCR) 2128 (2013);***
 - ***EU Council Decision 2014/141/CFSP.***
2. The impact of the aforesaid instruments is an amendment to the list of exemptions, to the general prohibition of transportation by Cyprus ships of arms and related material, so as to allow the transportation of other non-lethal military equipment intended solely for humanitarian or protective use, without the need to communicate such transportation to the relevant Sanctions Committee.
3. In particular paragraph 4 (1) (c) of P.I. 345/2010 (respective paragraph 3 (c) of DMS Circular No. 24/2010) is replaced as follows:

“(c) other non-lethal military equipment intended solely for humanitarian or protective use.”
4. The text of the aforementioned European Union instruments may be found on <http://eur-lex.europa.eu> whereas the text of United Nations Security Resolution may be found on <http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/>.

A regularly updated list of all the European Union restrictive measures in force can be found at http://eeas.europa.eu/cfsp/sanctions/docs/measures_en.pdf

5. All recipients of the present Circular are invited to take note of its content and should strictly abide by the provisions of the aforementioned UN & EU Instruments, Circular No. 24/2010 as well as national Prohibition Order P.I. 345/2010.

This Circular must be placed on board vessels flying the Cyprus flag.



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