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SANCTIONS INFORMATION NOTICE

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

Subject: New UN and EU restrictive measures in view of the situation in Libya- Listing of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines flagged vessel "LYNN S" (IMO No. 8706349)

I refer to the above matter and further to DMS Circulars No. 10/2011, No. 29/2011, No. 32/2011, No. 33/2012, No. 51/2012, No. 8/2014, No. 18/2014 No. 35/2014, No. 5/2015, No. 20/2015, No. 09/2016, No. 21/2016, and to the DMS Sanctions Information Notices SIN. No. 10/2017 and SIN. No. 11/2017, I wish to inform you as follows:

1. On 2 August 2017 the United Nations Security Council decided the **addition** of below vessel to the list of entities and individuals subject to the restrictive measures (sanctions) against Libya-

Name of Vessel: "LYNN S"
Flag : Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
IMO No.: 8706349

2. As a result of the listing of the above vessel by the UNSC, on 10 August 2017 the European Union adopted -

- **Council Implementing Decision (CFSP) 2017/1458** amending Annex V of **Decision (CFSP) 2015/1333** as amended;
- **Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2017/1456** amending Annex V of **Regulation (EU) 2016/44** as amended; and

Thus, the vessel "LYNN S", designated by the UNSC and contained in Annex V of Regulation (EU) 2016/44 as amended and of Decision (CFSP) 2015/1333 as amended, is **prohibited** from **loading, transporting or discharging crude oil** from Libya, to **access ports** in the territory of the European Union, and to be provided with **bunkering or ship supply services**. The said designation is valid

from 2 August to 2 November 2017. It is noted that as of 26 July 2017, this vessel was located in international waters approximately 50 nautical miles southeast of Cyprus.

3. The text of the aforesaid EU instruments may be obtained from <http://eur-lex.europa.eu> whereas, 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. The text of United Nations Security Resolutions may be found on <http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/>.

4. It is recalled that the House of Representatives of the Republic of Cyprus, has enacted in April 2016 the *Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Security Council Resolutions or Decisions (Sanctions) and the European Union Council Decisions and Regulations (Restrictive Measures) Law of 2016 (Law 58(I)/2016)*.¹ The purpose of Law 58(I)/2016 is to set out the obligations of any person or entity in the Republic of Cyprus to abide and comply with all the provisions of the UNSCRs and /or the relevant EU Decisions and Regulations. Under this Law all UN and EU instruments are incorporated and adopted into the national legal order without the need of enacting Prohibition Orders (as was the practice in the past years), and are thus automatically applicable and binding.

For further information on this Law, as well as information on the relevant penalties please refer to our DMS Circular No. 16/2016.

5. All recipients of the present Sanctions Information Notice are invited to take note of its content and should strictly abide by the provisions of the relevant EU Instruments and the DMS Circulars and Sanctions Information Notices.

This Sanctions Information Notice must be placed on board vessels flying the Cyprus flag.



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