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DEPARTMENT OF MERCHANT SHIPPING LEMESOS

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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

Subject: <u>The Safety Zones No. (2) Order of 2014 issued by the Minister of</u> <u>Communications and Works establishing a safety zone within the</u> <u>Exclusive Economic Zone/ Continental shelf of the Republic of</u> <u>Cyprus-Corrigendum</u>

1. I refer to the above subject and further to my Circular No. 45/2014 dated 22 December 2014 I wish to inform you that with regard to the *Safety Zones No. (2) Order of 2014* (Order P.I. 574/2014)¹ a necessary corrigendum has been published today in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Cyprus (Gazette no 4842, dated 31/12/2014, page 3274).

2. The said Corrigendum relates to the geographical coordinates stated in subparagraph (1) of paragraph 3 of Order P.I. 574/2014 so that the current geographical point with geographical latitude 33° 44' 18" North and geographical longitude 033° 19' 33" East ², is replaced with a reference to the geographical latitude 33° 50' 34.8" North and geographical longitude 033° 18' 51.8" East.

Therefore, the relevant safety zone of 500 metres established around the "SAIPEM 1000" platform is for operating about the geographical point with geographical latitude 33° 50' 34.8" North and geographical longitude 033° 18' 51.8" East.

¹ Published in the Official Gazette of the Republic no.4839, dated 19.12.2014, Supplement III(I).

² These geographical coordinates are determined with reference to the 1984 *World* Geodetic System.

3. As a result of the above mentioned Corrigendum, the corresponding wording of subparagraph (1) of paragraph 3 of the unofficial translation of the *Safety Zones No.* (2) Order of 2014 in the English language,³ has been corrected-amended accordingly.

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³ which can be downloaded from the Department's website <u>www.shipping.gov.cy</u> selecting "Legislation and Circulars/ Consolidated Cyprus Shipping Legislation/ National Instruments" from the homepage menu.