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TO

ALL LICENSED MANNING AGENCIES, SHIPOWNERS,

SEAFARERS AND OTHER ENTITIES CONCERNED

SUBJECT

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES FOR SEAFARERS IN VIEW

OF THE RUSSIA-UKRAINE CONFLICT

In view of the ongoing armed conflict between Russia and Ukraine, all Licensed Manning Agencies (LMAs), in coordination with shipowners, are reminded to ensure the safety of ships and crew pursuant to their responsibilities under the International Ship and Port Facility Security (ISPS) Code. All ships within the conflict areas are advised to leave and proceed to a safer haven and shall exert all efforts to repatriate seafarers/crew, if needed.

Any query or request for assistance regarding this situation can be sent to MARINA via its website at www.marina.gov.ph

For guidance and appropriate action.

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