

## 4 ALBERT EMBANKMENT LONDON SE1 7SR

Telephone: +44 (0)20 7735 7611 Fax: +44 (0)20 7587 3210

Circular Letter No.4241/Add.10 24 June 2022

To: All IMO Members

Intergovernmental organizations

Non-governmental organizations in consultative status

Subject: Communication from the Government of the Hellenic Republic

The Government of the Hellenic Republic has sent the attached communication, dated 24 June 2022, with the request that it be circulated by the Organization.

\*\*\*



## **ANNEX**



HELLENIC REPUBLIC
MINISTRY OF MARITIME AFFAIRS AND INSULAR POLICY
HELLENIC COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS
GENERAL DIRECTORATE FOR SHIPPING
SEAFARERS' TRAINING DIRECTORATE

Piraeus, 24 June 2022 Ref no. 2233.1-34/ 45443 /2022

## NOTICE

SUBJECT: "UPDATE ON SEAFARERS' CERTIFICATION RELATED MEASURES TAKEN BY THE HELLENIC MARITIME ADMINISTRATION AS A RESULT OF COVID-19"

All Certificates of Competency (CoCs) and Certificates of Proficiency (CoPs) of seafarers, which have been issued by the competent Greek authority, in accordance with the provisions of the International Convention STCW 1978, as amended, and are due to expire from the 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2022, are granted with a general extended validity until the 31<sup>st</sup> of December 2022.

The Hellenic Maritime Administration also allows for the extension of the endorsements of attestation, provided that the CoCs and the CoPs of the foreign Authority, which are endorsed, have a period of validity extending until the date of the granted extension.

The aforementioned extensions are in effect without requiring any additional entry on the certificate or submission of relevant request or other documentation.

HELLENIC COAST GUARD
THE DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR SHIPPING

REAR ADMIRAL (HCG) REIZIS DROSSOS

IOANNA VASILEIOU TRUE COPY 24.06.2022 15:34

