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TO

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ALL SHIPOWNERS, SHIP OPERATORS, MASTERS AND OFFICERS OF PHILIPPINE REGISTERED SHIPS ENGAGED IN THE DOMESTIC TRADE, RECOGNIZED ORGANIZATIONS. AND OTHER

CONCERNED MARITIME ENTITIES

SUBJECT :

ADVISORY ON REITERATION OF COMPLIANCE TO MARITIME

SAFETY REGULATIONS AND PARTICIPATION IN SELF-

ASSESSMENT

In our continuous pursuit of maritime safety excellence, the Maritime Industry Authority (MARINA) in collaboration with the French Maritime Expert (FME), will be conducting a **Self-Assessment Survey and Training activity**, which aims to ensure adherence to maritime safety standards and regulatory compliance.

This assessment is a vital component of our commitment to maintaining the highest levels of safety and operational excellence in maritime industry. The primary objectives of this assessment activity are as follows:

- Evaluation of Compliance: Assessing our company's compliance with relevant maritime safety regulations and industry standards.
- Identification of Gaps: Identifying any areas where improvements or corrective measures may be necessary to enhance safety and regulatory compliance.
- Enhancement of Safety Culture: Promoting a culture of safety awareness, responsibility, and continuous improvement among all stakeholders.
- 4. **Enhanced Collaboration:** Facilitating dialogue and collaboration among stakeholders to address common challenges and foster a safer maritime environment.

All ROPAX and Passenger ship owners/ operators are hereby directed to actively participate in the **Self-Assessment Survey** by accomplishing the questioner provided in the link below to determine compliance with maritime safety standards and the safety level of the domestic passenger ships:

SURVEY LINK: https://forms.gle/nQB1xy2MnCi2j2N19

MARINA and FME will provide guidelines and self-assessment training in Batangas and Cebu during the month of May. A letter of invitation containing details of the training courses will be sent out after publication of this Advisory.

We would highly appreciate receiving your responses on or before 30 June 2024.

For further information on how you can participate or contribute to the Self-Assessment Survey and Training activity, please contact the Shipyards Regulation Service at 02 8525 7212 or email at srs@marina.gov.

Please be guided accordingly.

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