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TO : ALL SHIPPING COMPANIES/SHIPOWNERS/OPERATORS

**SUBJECT : AMENDMENT OF FSAA NO. 57 ON THE
DEPLOYMENT/DESIGNATION OF GOVERNMENT-
COUNTERPART MARITIME MARSHALS ONBOARD
PASSENGER/PASSENGER CARGO SHIPS IN THE
DOMESTIC TRADE**

This is to advise all concerned, that Flag State Administration Advisory (FSAA) No. 57 is hereby amended, as follows:

1. The deployment/designation of Government-Counterpart Maritime Marshals in each passenger/passenger-cargo ships trading domestically shall be discretionary / optional on the part of shipping companies/shipowners/operators provided, however, that the following alternative/equivalent security measures are complied with:
 - 1.1. There shall be an adequate security measures within the passenger terminal premises, such as X-ray machines or K-9 dogs and detectors among others;
 - 1.2. All private security guards and designated company-maritime marshals onboard each passenger/passenger/cargo ships in the domestic trade shall undergo training on Ship Security Course;
 - 1.3. All ships concerned shall carry onboard a Security Plan which shall form part of the ship's emergency plan; and,
 - 1.4. The designation of Company-Maritime Marshall shall remain compulsory.

All other provisions of FSAA No. 57 shall remain in full force and effect.

For strict compliance.

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