



## MARITIME INDUSTRY AUTHORITY

28 December 2016

MARINA ADVISORY NO. 2017-01

TO : ALL DOMESTIC SHIPOWNERS/SHIP OPERATORS ENGAGED IN THE TRANSPORT OF PASSENGERS AND ALL CONCERNED

SUBJECT : MARINA CIRCULAR (MC) NO. 2016-01 ON THE REVISED RULES ON THE MANDATORY PASSENGER INSURANCE COVERAGE; EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE TO SURVIVORS OF MARITIME ACCIDENTS/INCIDENTS; AND OTHER RELEVANT CONCERNS

NOTICE is hereby given, that the MARINA Board of Directors, during its 240<sup>th</sup> Regular Meeting held on 29 April 2016, has approved the Marina Circular (Mc) No. 2016-01 On The Revised Rules On The Mandatory Passenger Insurance Coverage; Emergency Assistance To Survivors Of Maritime Accidents/Incidents; And Other Relevant Concerns.

The above-mentioned MC imposes the mandatory obligation to shipowners and/or operators to include in its insurance coverage for passengers the additional amount of Fifty Thousand Pesos (Php 50,000.00) as a reimbursable emergency assistance to survivors appearing in the Passenger Manifest, that is over and above the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php 200,000.00) insurance coverage per passenger who are casualties of maritime accident/incident.

In view of the above, all shipowners and/or operators are directed to submit insurance policies conforming to the above requirements of MC 2016-01 **three (3) months from the effectivity of this Advisory**. Likewise, it is hereby advised that the concerned shipowners and/or operators coordinate the subject hereof with their respective insurers.

This Advisory shall take effect immediately upon its publication.

For compliance.

  
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