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TO : All Shipowners/ Bareboat Charterers/ Ship Operators/ Ship Managers/ Shipmasters, Officers and Crew of Philippine-Registered Overseas Ships, Licensed Manning Agencies, Recognized Organizations, and Concerned Government Agencies

SUBJECT : IMO CIRCULARS RELATING TO THE MARITIME ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION COMMITTEE AS OF 30 APRIL 2025

Notice is hereby given on the following attached Circulars relating to the International Maritime Organization (IMO) **Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC)**, published as of 30 April 2025:

IMO ISSUANCE	SUBJECT / TITLE
MEPC.1/Circ.913 04 November 2024	GUIDANCE ON THE APPLICATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO APPENDIX IX OF MARPOL ANNEX VI ON INCLUSION OF DATA ON TRANSPORT WORK AND ENHANCED GRANULARITY IN THE IMO SHIP FUEL CONSUMPTION DATABASE (IMO DCS) AS ADOPTED BY RESOLUTION MEPC.385(81)
MEPC.1/Circ.914 04 November 2024	REVISED SAMPLE FORMAT FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF COMPLIANCE PURSUANT TO REGULATION 5.4.5 OF MARPOL ANNEX VI
MEPC.1/Circ.590/ Rev.1 22 November 2024	REVISED TANK CLEANING ADDITIVES GUIDANCE NOTE AND REPORTING FORM
MEPC.1/Circ.906/ Rev.1 29 November 2024	REVISED GUIDELINES FOR THE REDUCTION OF UNDERWATER RADIATED NOISE FROM SHIPPING TO ADDRESS ADVERSE IMPACTS ON MARINE LIFE
MEPC.1/Circ.915 29 November 2024	GUIDELINES ON MITIGATION MEASURES TO REDUCE RISKS OF USE AND CARRIAGE FOR USE OF HFO AS FUEL BY SHIPS IN ARCTIC WATERS
MEPC.2/Circ.30 01 December 2024	PROVISIONAL CATEGORIZATION OF LIQUID SUBSTANCES IN ACCORDANCE WITH MARPOL ANNEX II AND THE IBC CODE
MEPC.2/Circ.30/Rev.1 25 April 2025	PROVISIONAL CATEGORIZATION OF LIQUID SUBSTANCES IN ACCORDANCE WITH MARPOL ANNEX II AND THE IBC CODE

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A copy of the IMO Issuances may be viewed at or downloaded from <https://marina.gov.ph/marina-advisory-flag-state-administration-advisory/>.

Attention is therefore invited for all Philippine overseas shipping companies, shipowners, and other concerned maritime entities to observe any action/s you may deem appropriate.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

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