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SUBJECT : IMO CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 5030 ON THE "COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF UKRAINE REGARDING THE RECENT ATTACK BY THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION ON ODESA'S PORT INFRASTRUCTURE"

In reference to the International Maritime Organization (IMO) Circular Letter No. 5030 dated 09 June 2025, the Government of Ukraine transmits a communication regarding a recent attack by the Russian Federation on Odesa's port infrastructure.

The communication details a ballistic missile attack carried out by the Russian Federation on 23 May 2025, against the Odesa Maritime Commercial Sea Port, which resulted in the deaths of two port workers and injuries to seven others amidst regular container handling operations. This incident was followed by a destructive drone incursion the next day.

In view of this recent attack, the Government of Ukraine asserts that these actions, including previous attacks that have injured or killed one hundred six (106) people and damaged over thirty (30) vessels and almost four hundred (400) port facilities since February 2022, demonstrate a disregard for lasting peace and freedom of navigation and undermine maritime security and international law. Ukraine has requested that this information be disseminated to IMO Member States and relevant organizations.

Copy of the Circular Letters 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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