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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 : INTERNATIONAL MARITIME ORGANIZATION (IMO) CIRCULARS AS OF 31 JANUARY 2026

Notice is hereby given on the following attached Circulars relating to International Maritime Organization (IMO) Instruments published as of 31 January 2026:

IMO ISSUANCE	SUBJECT / TITLE
Circular relating to Convention on the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 as amended — status and related communications	
COLREG.2/Circ.80/Rev.3 14 January 2026	TRAFFIC SEPARATION SCHEMES AND ASSOCIATED ROUTEING MEASURES "IN NORRA KVARKEN" TEMPORARY SUSPENSION Communication by the Government of Sweden
Convention on the Prevention of Marine Pollution by Dumping of Wastes and Other Matter (London Protocol 1996)	
LC-LP.2/Circ.38 16 January 2026	1996 PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION ON THE PREVENTION OF MARINE POLLUTION BY DUMPING OF WASTES AND OTHER MATTER, 1972 Arrangement on the Export of Wastes or Other Matter under Article 6 of the London Protocol Notification by Denmark
Circular relating to general information disseminated by the Maritime Safety Committee on safety matters	
MSC.1/Circ.1663/Corr.1 12 January 2026	GUIDELINES FOR LIFTING APPLIANCES Corrigendum
MSC.1/Circ.1633 12 January 2026	REVISED STANDARDIZED LIFE-SAVING APPLIANCE EVALUATION AND TEST REPORT FORMS (OTHER LIFE-SAVING APPLIANCES)

MSC.1/Circ.1663 13 January 2026	GUIDELINES FOR LIFTING APPLIANCES
Circular relating to International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW), 1978 — Equivalent arrangements and other STCW communications	
STCW.2/Circ.140 09 January 2026	Communication received from the Government of China
STCW.2/Circ.137/Add.1 28 January 2026	Communication received from the Government of the Philippines

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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