

Circular No. FSI 06/2017

4 February 2017

To:

Ship-owners/ Operators, Recognized Organizations (RO's & RSO), Legal Representatives of Tanzania Zanzibar Registered vessels

Subject:

CANCELLATION OF THE POST OF DEPUTY REGISTRAR OF SHIPS

We would like to inform all concerned parties that the post of **Deputy Registrar of ships** was cancelled on 14<sup>th</sup> October 2014 following the termination of Philtex Corporation, the former agent for administration of TZIRS. Until now TZIRS has **NEITHER** appointed **NOR** designated any person as Deputy Registrar of Ships for administration of Zanzibar International Register of Shipping (TZIRS) in any region.

Accordingly, all ships' and/or seafarers' certificates and documents issued or signed under the capacity of Deputy Registrar of Ships on or after 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2014 to some of TZIRS registered vessels and seafarers working on board of such vessels, are null and void.

Hence, all ship-owners, ship managers, crewing agents, masters and ROs of TZIRS registered vessels or new applicants are advised not to apply any services or documents from persons who are designated themselves as Deputy Registrar of ships administering TZIRS.

We urge all ship-owners and masters who have certificates or documents issued or signed on or after 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2014 under hand of person who designated

themselves as Deputy Registrar of Ship, to report immediately to Administration by email, or telephone to:

Legal Section
Zanzibar Maritime Authority
Zanzibar-Tanzania

Email: info@zma.go.tz , Tel+255 24 2234064,

Mobile +255 774846699, +255772848498.

The reported information should at least include the following information:

- Certificates / Document copy;
- 2. Vessel/Seafarer Name;
- 3. Issuing Date;
- 4. Name of Issuing Officer and Organization (RO) and or Name of Agent / Office made Application/Request.

The name of authorized signatories and their sample signatures are found under the circular No. FSI 04/2017 titled "List of authorized signatories"

We advise all PSC Officers to detain and report to TZIRS administration, any TZIRS registered vessel which has been inspected and found on board with certificates or any documents signed or issued by Deputy Registrar of Ships after 14 October 2014.

Any inquiries concerning the subject of this circular should be directed to:

Director General and Register of Ships, Zanzibar Maritime Authority

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