



ZANZIBAR MARITIME AUTHORITY

Circular No. FSI/10/2025

TO: Recognized Organizations (RO), Recognized Security Organizations (RSO) and Classification Societies

Subject: Information on Vessels and Managing Companies Currently Certified and/or classified.

Purpose: The purpose of this circular is to request all approved Recognized Organizations, Recognized Security Organizations and Classification Societies to submit the information of their certified/classified vessels and ship managing companies.

Scope and Applicability: This Circular applies to all approved Recognized Organizations, Recognized Security Organizations and Classification Societies

Date: September 10, 2025

1. The Tanzania Zanzibar International Register of Shipping (TZIRS) hereby confirms that as per the mandate given by The Maritime Transport Act No. 5 of 2006 and Zanzibar Maritime Authority Act No. 3 of 2009, has started a process of modernization and optimization and its currently reviewing the status and performance of the Recognized Organizations (RO), Recognized Security Organizations (RSO) and Classification Societies that have been delegated the authority to act in our behalf.
2. The Recognized Organizations (RO), Recognized Security Organizations (RSO) and Classification Societies are required to submit the following information to the Administration:
 - a. List of Vessels Currently Certified/Classified on an Excel table with the following information (Name, IMO No. GT, DOB)
 - b. Copy of the Latest Certification/Classification Status of each vessel
 - c. Copy of all Valid Certificates issued on our behalf (per vessel)
 - d. List of Ship Management companies currently certified on an Excel Table with the following information (Name, IMO, DPA Name, DPA 24/7 hours Contact details (Email and Mobile No.)
 - e. Copy of all valid Documents of Compliance (DOC) issued on our behalf.

3. The deadline for submitting this information is **September 22nd, 2025.**
4. The information is to be submitted to the following emails: dgzma@zma.go.tz, info@zma.go.tz and yassinthabit@zma.go.tz
5. The failure by the Recognized Organizations (RO), Recognized Security Organizations (RSO) and Classification Societies of submitting the required information by the deadline given will result in the immediate suspension and/or cancelation of our authorization.
6. The Zanzibar Maritime Authority and the Tanzania Zanzibar International Register of Shipping (TZIRS) want to thank all our approved Recognized Organizations (RO), Recognized Security Organizations (RSO) and Classification Societies for being our strategic partners in assuring that the vessels registered on the TZIRS complies with the International Safety and pollution prevention standards.

For additional enquiries on this circular, please contact:

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