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**CIRCULAR RELATING TO SEAFARERS RECRUITMENT AND PLACEMENT SERVICES (SEAMAN RECRUITING AGENTS) LICENSE FOR CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC**

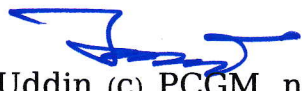
To : Ship owners, managers, operators masters, Officers, Crew, PSCO, Shipping agents, Seafarers recruiting and placement services (Seaman recruiting agent) and the Shipping Community

For dealing with the impact of the outbreak of COVID-19 Department of Shipping, Bangladesh issued an update circular No. 06/2020 on 28-10-2020 to apply relaxation on Seafarers Recruitment and Placement (Seaman Recruiting Agents) License where SRPS expiring before 30th June 2021.

Taking into account that serious interruptions to the shipping industries are becoming long-lasting and uncertain as the consequence of the pandemic COVID-19. Hence Bangladesh reviewed/revised and updated the circular number 06/2020 in order to cope with uncertain circumstances.

Seafarers Recruitment and Placement Services (Seaman Recruiting Agents) License which have expired or are expiring between 1st January 2021 and 30th September 2021 (both days inclusive), shall remain valid if there is no allegation against that SRPS. Seafarers recruitment and placement services (seaman recruiting agents) are not required to apply for the extension but may retain a copy of this circular.

During the revalidation of expired license, the new validity shall be issued for a period of two years from the original expiry date.

  
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