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To : Maritime Lloyd Authorized Surveyors

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Subject: Maritime Labour Convention 2006 Implementation

Dear All,

Kindly be informed that Maritime Lloyd has obtained the Authorization from the Ministry of Transport and Road Infrastructure of Republic of Moldova for ML Surveyors to conduct surveys and issue a MLC Statement of Compliance (MLC-SOC) as well as the preparation of the Declaration of Maritime Labour Compliance Statement (DMLC – SOC) Part I in accordance with the Provisions of Maritime Labour Convention 2006.

Authorization of Moldova Flag covers Survey and Certification:

- of commercial vessels 500 GT and over engaged on international voyages to ports of MLC Member States, which should be in compliance and certified and have on board ML- SOC and DMLC – SOC;
- of commercial vessels under 500 GT engaged on international voyages to ports of MLC Member States are not required by the convention to carry MLC – SOC or DMLC – SOC, but the vessels must have been inspected and found to comply. A copy of the inspection report must be kept on board.

All attending surveyors instructed to contact with Ship Owners/Managers to arrange compliance of their vessels that are operating in port States which are MLC members, prior to 1st of August 2013.

Moldova flagged vessels that are not operating in ports of Member States enforcing MLC compliance have to be informed to make arrangements for compliance and verification for their next normal inspection.

The full understanding of the applicable procedures is disclosed in the attached documents, which are:

1. Circular No.217/2013 Maritime Labour Convention,
2. ML - TWP - ST – 021 - Survey of Ships in compliance with MLC 2006,
3. Templates of MLC – SOC and DMLC – SOC.

Kindly confirm the understanding of the Circular and receipt of procedure and templates by signing the corresponding receipt form attached.

Best Regards,
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Chief Executive Officer
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