



# MDAT – GoG

## Weekly Report 41-19

04<sup>th</sup> October – 11<sup>th</sup> October 2019

### INCIDENT DISPOSITION

### IN THIS ISSUE

## OVERVIEW

### INFORMATION TO READ

MDAT – GoG reports are primarily based upon information sent by vessels using the Voluntary Reporting Scheme. Masters and CSOs are encouraged to report as early as possible, events or sightings with as much detail as possible to allow MDAT-GOG to initiate the appropriate response.

**Sometimes incomplete reports cause delay to the issue of Warnings or Advisories and our ability to contact Local Law Enforcement assets for assistance. Masters are requested to call MDAT-GoG (+33 298 228888) at the time of any incident occurring. This phone number is monitored permanently (24/7).**

It is requested the Masters contact MDAT-GoG as soon as possible to facilitate quick actions by the MDAT-GoG and their regional contacts.

Details can be found on SHOM Chart 8801CSD or UKHO Chart Q6114, 30 June 2016, to allow them to report their vessels when transiting the revised Voluntary Reporting Area (VRA), also described on both security charts with the MDAT-GOG, using the email address [watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org](mailto:watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org)

Companies / Ships Exercises: MDAT-GOG would like to extend an invitation to Companies / CSOs to be included in Company led exercises/drills. Please do not hesitate to contact the MDAT-GOG in advance of the exercise. The Exercise telephone number is +33 298 221302. As this keeps the Live Emergency Line free.

**Two events have been reported to MDAT-GOG this week.**

### CONTACT

Contact the MDAT-GoG:

E-mail: [watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org](mailto:watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org)

Phone : +33 (0) 2 98 22 88 88 (emergency)

Phone : +33 (0) 2 98 22 13 02 (exercise)

**Phones and mail are monitored 24/7.**

**Website:** <https://gog-mdat.org>

### ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF INFORMATION

[Naval Oceanic and Hydrographic Service \(SHOM\)](#)

[United Kingdom Hydrographic Office \(UKHO\)](#)

[IMB Live Piracy Reports](#)

[Global Counter Maritime](#)

***Fair winds and following seas!***



Type	Date	Brg/Rge from nearest port	Summary of event
Maritime Crime Activity	05/10/2019	220 / 8 Nm / Lagos/	On the 05th October, while anchored in Lagos secured anchorage, three persons boarded the tanker and were immediately spotted by the duty team. As soon as alarm was raised, the persons escaped jumping over board. Tanker informed local authorities and a nigerian patrol boat investigated. Nothing found in the area, crew and tanker are safe.
Maritime Crime Activity	06/10/2019	Lagos, Nigeria	On the 06 OCT 2019 at 2230Z as the ship was berthed and discharging it's cargo in APAPA BOP TERMINAL a tanker was attack by two wooden boats manned with approx. 7/8 persons. The intruders were approaching in order to steal the cargo. The crew reacted immediately and suspended the discharging ops. During their escape from the jetty one of the robbers shot at the crew with a firearm. Few hours later, on 07 OCT 2019 at 0212Z a second attempt took place. Once again two wooden boats with approx. 4/5 persons on board approached the tanker. The crew and jetty security guards took action, at 0230Z the thieves to retreated. No crew member was injured and the vessel was reported safe.

## WEEKLY EVENTS

- (1) **Hijack:**  
Nil incident reported .
- (2) **Attack:**  
Nil incident reported.
- (3) **Boarding:**  
Nil incident reported.
- (4) **Suspicious approach:**  
Nil incident reported.
- (5) **Robbery – Sea theft:**  
Two incidents reported.
- (6) **Sighting – Irregular activity:**  
Nil incident reported.

## WARNINGS

Nil WARNING Notice issued this week

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## ADVISORIES

Nil ADVISORY Notice issued this week

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## MARITIME CRIME

Three Maritime Criminal Activities reported this week

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## NOTES

Any queries regarding Advisory Notices ring: 0033 298 22 88 88 only, for further information. ADVISORIES are not classified as Maritime Security Events and have not been verified by MDAT-GoG. This information is provided to inform maritime situational awareness for mariners operating in the region. MDAT-GoG is not responsible for the accuracy of this reporting.

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Sea State Forecast w/c 11<sup>th</sup> October 2019