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Applicable to: This circular is for the attention of ship owners and managers of Singapore-registered vessels

LIST OF ACTIVE SHIPPING CIRCULARS

The list of active Shipping Circulars is attached as **Appendix 1**.

2 The contents of the circulars can be found on MPA's website (<http://www.mpa.gov.sg>) under the heading "Circulars and Notices". You can retrieve the circulars from the corresponding year they were issued.

3 Circulars that are not found in the list in **Appendix 1** are deemed to be no longer valid or sufficiently promulgated and have been removed.

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LIST OF ACTIVE MARINE AND SHIPPING CIRCULARS (2021)

YEAR	NO.	SUBJECT	DATE OF ISSUE
1998	MC 6	The 1992 Protocol of the International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage 1969	5 Aug 1998
1999	MC 13	National Colours for Singapore Ships	20 Jul 1999
2003	MC 17	Recognised Security Organisations (RSO) (Chapter XI-2) (Special Measures to Enhance Maritime Security)	25 Aug 2003
	MC 21	Marking of Ship's Identification Number (IMO)	13 Oct 2003
	SC 9	The 1988 International Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts against the Safety of Maritime Navigation (SUA Convention)	31 Mar 2004
	SC 11	Legislation to give effect to the Special Measures to Enhance Maritime Security and Issues relating thereto	21 Apr 2004
	SC 24	Reporting of any Changes in the Registered Particulars of a Singapore Ship	14 Oct 2004
	SC 25	Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Oil) Regulations – Phasing out of Single-Hulled Oil Tankers	12 Nov 2004
2005	SC 4	Flash-Fire in the Forward Storeroom caused by Bunker Fumes	24 Jan 2005
	SC 5	(1) Guidance to Masters, Companies and duly Authorised Officers on the Requirements relating to the Submission of Security-Related Information prior to the Entry of a Ship into Port- MSC/CIRC.1130 (2) Guidance relating to the implementation of SOLAS Chapter XI-2 and the ISPS Code – MSC/CIRC.1132	24 Jan 2005
	SC 6	Registration of Oil Rigs and Other Offshore Industry Mobile Units with the Singapore Registry of Ships (SRS) Merchant Shipping Amendment Act 2004	25 Jan 2005
	SC 7	Guidelines on Early Assessment of Hull Damage and Possible need for Abandonment of Bulk Carriers	28 Jan 2005
	SC 12	Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Oil) (Amendment) Regulations 2005 – Phasing out of Single-Hulled Oil Tankers	15 Mar 2005
	SC 13	Accidents Involving Bulk Cargoes not specifically listed in the Code of Safe Practice for Solid Bulk Cargoes (BC Code)	16 Mar 2005
	SC 18	The Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims, 1976 (LLMC 76) Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Act 2004	14 Apr 2005
	25	Guidance on the Access of Public Authorities, Emergency Response Services and Pilots on Board Ships to which SOLAS Chapter XI-2 and the ISPS Code Apply – MSC/CIRC.1156	8 Jul 2005
2006	4	Changes in Regulation III/20 (Operational Readiness, Maintenance and Inspections) of SOLAS 74 Adopted by Resolution MSC. 152(78) on 20 May 2004 with effect from 1 Jul 2006 and the Reference to MSC Circular MSC/CIRC.1093 dated 17 Jun 2003	8 Feb 2006
	9	Annual Performance Test for Voyage Data Recorder (VDR)	24 Apr 2006
	17	Resolution MSC. 150(77) – Recommendation for	19 Jun 2006

		Material Safety Data Sheets for MARPOL Annex I Cargoes and Marine Fuel Oils	
	18	Measures to Prevent Accidents with Lifeboats	12 Jul 2006
	20	Guidance on Voluntary Self- Assessment by Administrations and For Ship Security – MSC/CIRC. 1193	14 Sep 2006
	21	Guidelines on the Basic Elements of a Shipboard Occupational Health and Safety Programme	18 Sep 2006
	23	Guide on Recovery Techniques	10 Oct 2006
	25	Guidelines for Developing Operation and Maintenance Manuals for Lifeboat Systems	30 Oct 2006

2007	5	Determination of Gross Tonnage for the Purpose of Application of Chapter IX (Management for the Safe Operation of Ships) and the ISM (International Safety Management) Code	21 Feb 2007
	6	Guidelines on Annual Testing of Voyage Data Recorders (VDR) and Simplified Voyage Data Recorders (S-VDR)	1 Mar 2007
	12	Resolutions Adopted by the 81 st and 82 nd Sessions of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 81 and MSC 82) of IMO	4 Jun 2007
	13	Requirement for Maritime Crew Visa for Entering into Australian Migration Zone	5 Jun 2007
	18	Training of Company Security Officer (CSO)	24 Sep 2007
	20	Resolutions Adopted by the 83 rd Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 83) of IMO	6 Dec 2007
	21	Update on the ISM Code and the Role of the Human Element	6 Dec 2007

2008	2	Guidance on Shipboard Operational Matters Approved by the 83 rd Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 83) of IMO	25 Jan 2008
	9	IMO Unique Company and Registered Owner Identification Number Scheme	20 Mar 2008
	11	IMO Unique Company and Registered Owner Identification Number Scheme. Amendments to the Format and Guidelines for the Maintenance of the Continuous Synopsis Record (CSR) (Resolution A.959(23))	16 Jun 2008
	13	Resolutions Adopted by the 84 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 84) of IMO	8 Jul 2008
	14	Draft Amendments to Mandatory Instruments Approved by the 84 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 84) of IMO	8 Jul 2008
	15	Guidance on Shipboard Operational Matters Approved by the 84 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 84) of IMO	23 Jul 2008
	17	Fitting of a Simplified Voyage Data Recorder (S-VDR) on Regional Passenger Ferries and High Speed Craft	25 Jul 2008
	18	Enhancement to the Existing On-Line Application for Certificate of Endorsement (COE) through Marinet	31 Jul 2008
	26	The International Convention on Civil Liability for Bunker Oil Pollution Damage, 2001 (Bunker Convention)	19 Sep 2008

2009	1	Resolutions/Unified Interpretations (UIS) Adopted/Approved by the 58 th Session of the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 58) of IMO	2 Jan 2009
	2	Amendments to MARPOL Annex VI (Regulations for the Prevention of Air Pollution from Ships) and the NOX Technical Code	2 Jan 2009
	3	Draft International Convention for the Safe and Environmentally Sound Recycling of Ships	5 Jan 2009
	4	Guidance on LRIT Operational Matters Approved by the 85 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 85) of IMO	5 Jan 2009
	11	Annual Testing of Automatic Identification System (MSC.1/CIRC.1252)	16 Feb 2009
	12	Periodic Testing of Immersion Suit and Anti-Exposure Suit Seams and Closures (MSC/CIRC.1114)	3 Mar 2009
	13	Resolutions Adopted by the 85 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 85) of IMO	6 Apr 2009
	22	Resolutions Adopted by the 86 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 86) of IMO	21 Jul 2009
	24	Guidance on Shipboard Operational Matters Approved by the 85 th and 86 th Sessions of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 85 and MSC 86) of IMO	17 Aug 2009
	26	Resolutions, Amendments to Resolutions, Guidelines, Interim Guidelines and Unified Interpretations Adopted/Approved by the 59 th Session of the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 59) of IMO	11 Sep 2009
	28	MSC-MEPC 2/CIRC.8: Prohibition of Blending MARPOL Cargoes on board during the Sea Voyage	14 Oct 2009

2010	2	The Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2009	27 Jan 2010
	3	Online Application for the Ship Station Licence and the Maritime Mobile Service Identity (MMSI) Number	25 Feb 2010
	8	The Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2010	16 July 2010
	12	Resolutions Adopted by the 87 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 87) of IMO	17 Sep 2010
	13	Guidance on shipboard operational matters: Circulars approved by the 87 th session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 87) of IMO	20 Sep 2010
	15	Securing Arrangements and Cargo Stowage	11 Oct 2010
	16	Importance of Voyage Planning and Avoiding Dangerous situations in adverse Weather & Sea Conditions	12 Oct 2010
	21	Bridge Navigation Watch Alarm System (BNWAS) Resolution MSC.282(86))	08 Dec 2010
	22	Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Oil) (Amendment) Regulations 2010	21 Dec 2010

2011	4	The Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment No. 2) Regulation, 2010	25 Jan 2011
	7	Resolutions Adopted by the 88 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 88) of IMO	22 Mar 2011
	8	Guidance on Shipboard Operational Matters: Circulars Approved by the 88 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 88) of IMO	22 Mar 2011

13	(I)Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Oil) (Amendment) Regulations 2011 (II) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment) Regulations 2011	28 Jun 2011
14	Resolutions Adopted by the 89 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 89) of IMO	18 Jul 2011
15	Guidance on Shipboard Operational Matters: Circulars Approved by the 89 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 89) of IMO	18 Jul 2011
18	Implementation of the Manila Amendments to the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers, 1978 (STCW Convention)	8 Nov 2011
19	Reduction of Global/Emission Control Area (ECA) Marine Fuel Sulphur Limit under MARPOL Annex VI	21 Nov 2011
20	Resolutions Adopted by the 61 st and 62 nd Sessions of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) of IMO	2 Dec 2011
21	The Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2011	15 Dec 2011

2012	2	Prevention of Pollution of the SEA(AIR) (Amendment) Regulations 2012	20 Jan 2012
	4	Technical Resolutions Adopted by the 27 th Session of the IMO Assembly(A 27)	7 Feb 2012
	7	North American ICE Service: Iceberg Information and Services	24 Feb 2012
	9	Resolutions Adopted by the 63 rd Session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) of IMO	11 May 2012
	10	Entry Into Effect of the North American Emission Control Area under MARPOL Annex VI	11 May 2012
	11	The Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations, 2012	29 Jun 2012
	12	The Imposition of Unilateral Sanctions by Foreign Jurisdictions	29 Jun 2012
	14	Guidance for Company Security Officers – Preparation of a Company and Crew for the Contingency of Hijack by Pirates in the Western Indian Ocean and the Gulf of Aden	18 Sep 2012
	15	Guidance on the use of Privately Contracted Armed Security Personnel on board Singapore-Registered Ships in the High Risk Area	18 Sep 2012
	16	Maritime Labour Convention: Seafarer Recruitment and Placement Requirements	22 Oct 2012
	19	Resolutions Adopted by the 64 th session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 64) of IMO	13 Dec 2012
	20	(i) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Sewage) (Amendment) Regulations 2012 (ii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Garbage) Regulations 2012 (iii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment no. 2) Regulations 2012	28 Dec 2012
	21	(i) Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment no. 2) Regulations 2012	28 Dec 2012

2013	3	Maritime Labour Convention 2006 – Requirements	25 Jan 2013
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		Pertaining to the Training of Cooks and the Provision of Food on Ships	
	4	Maritime Labour Convention: Reporting of Occupational Accidents, Injuries and Diseases Affecting Seafarers	8 Mar 2013
	5	Resolutions Adopted by the 90th and 91st Sessions of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 90 and MSC 91) of IMO	28 Mar 2013
	6	Update on the Implementation of the Maritime Labour Convention 2006 (MLC)	4 Apr 2013
	10	(i) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Oil) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (ii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Noxious Liquid Substances in Bulk) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (iii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Sewage) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (iv) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Garbage) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (v) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment) Regulations 2013	31 Jul 2013
	11	Resolutions Adopted by the 65th Session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 65) of IMO	31 Jul 2013
	12	Guidance on Shipboard Operational Matters: Circulars Approved by the 65th Session of the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 65) of IMO	31 Jul 2013
	14	Maritime Labour Convention 2006 – Application to MODU Code Certified Ships as well as Persons on Board	6 Aug 2013
	15	Consolidated Monthly Billing Arrangement for Ship Registration and Crewing-related Services	3 Sep 2013
	17	Resolutions Adopted by the 92nd Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 92) of International Maritime Organization	11 Sep 2013
	18	Guidance on Shipboard Operational Matters: Circulars Approved by the 92nd Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 92) of IMO	11 Sep 2013
	19	Implementation of Guidance Related to the Maintenance, Testing and Inspection of Fire Protection Systems and Fire Fighting Systems and Appliances	26 Sep 2013
	21	Entry into Effect of the United States Caribbean Sea Emission Control Area under MARPOL Annex vi	17 Dec 2013
	22	Revised Safe Manning Requirements for Singapore Ships	19 Dec 2013
	23	(I) Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (ii) Merchant Shipping (Load Line) (Amendment) Regulations 2013	31 Dec 2013
2014	5	Importance of Safe Navigation in the Singapore Strait and Singapore Waters	13 Feb 2014
	6	Clarifications of the Security Related Training and Certification for Seafarers Required under the 2010 Manila Amendments to the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW Convention)	12 Mar 2014
	9	Maritime Labour Convention 2006 - National	31 Mar 2014

	Legislation, Seafarer's Employment Agreement (Sea), Official Log Book and Medicines and Medical Equipment	
11	(I) Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2014 (li) Merchant Shipping (Load Line) (Amendment) Regulations 2014	27 Jun 2014
12	Singapore Registered Ships - Recommended Steps to take in the event of a Marine Casualty or Marine Incident (Aide-Memoire)	9 Jul 2014
14	Resolutions Adopted by the 66th Session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 66) of IMO	20 Aug 2014
17	Authorisation of DNV GL to Carry out Statutory Requirements and Services for Ships on Behalf of the Government of Singapore	19 Nov 2014
18	Online Authentication Services for Certificates Issued by the Singapore Registry of Ships	21 Nov 2014
19	Amendments to Merchant Shipping Regulations and The Prevention of Pollution of The Sea Regulations	31 Dec 2014

2015	2	Enhancements to the Seafarer Certification System (SCS)	9 Jan 2015
	3	Safe Towing Operations for Towed Ships and other Floating Objects	13 Feb 2015
	4	Resolutions Adopted by the 93rd and 94th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 93 and MSC 94) of the International Maritime Organization	26 Feb 2015
	5	Report of Voluntarily Trial Study Conducted by Singapore on Onboard Sampling and Analysis of Ballast Water	5 Mar 2015
	6	Resolutions Adopted by the 67th Session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 67) of IMO	18 Mar 2015
	8	Early Implementation of SOLAS Regulation xi-1/7 on Atmosphere Testing Instrument for Enclosed Spaces	6 Apr 2015
	9	Advisory for Singapore-Flagged Ships Calling Ports in Yemen	15 Apr 2015
	11	Exemption from Withholding Tax for Qualifying Payments Made in Respect of Qualifying Financing Arrangements Obtained for Financing Singapore-Flagged Ships	26 Jun 2015
	12	Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2015	26 Jun 2015
	13	Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment) Regulations 2015	26 Jun 2015
	15	For Testing of the Ship Security Alert Systems (SSAS) on Singapore-Registered Ships	20 Aug 2015
	16	UN Security Council Sanctions against the Taliban	20 Aug 2015
	21	Resolutions Adopted by the 68th Session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 68) of IMO	24 Aug 2015
	22	Maritime Labour Convention Certificate of Authorisation for Seafarer Recruitment and Placement Services	28 Sep 2015
	23	Resolutions Adopted by the 95 th Session of the	2 Oct 2015

	Maritime Safety Committee (MSC 95) of the International Maritime Organization	
24	Maritime Cluster Fund Support for Revalidation of Certificate of Competency	8 Oct 2015
25	Guidance for Good Practice for Ships using Electronic Chart Display and Information System (ECDIS) & Electronic Nautical Publications	14 Oct 2015
26	New Initiatives to Promote Seafaring Careers	22 Oct 2015
29	Enhancement to the Seafarer Certification System	1 Dec 2015
31	Authenticity and Validity of Seafarers' Certificates Issued by the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore	17 Dec 2015
33	(i) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Oil) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (ii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Noxious Liquid Substances in Bulk) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (iii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Sewage) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (iv) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Garbage) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (v) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment no. 2) Regulations 2015 (vi) Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment no. 2) Regulations 2015 (vii) Merchant Shipping (Load Line) (Amendment) Regulations 2015	29 Dec 2015

2016	3	Updates on UN Security Council Sanctions against Iran	22 Feb 2016
	4	Use of Inappropriate Fuel to Ignite and Sustain Barbecue Onboard for Social Events	17 Feb 2016
	7	Use of Electronic Log Books (Deck and Engine Logbooks) Onboard Singapore Registered Ships	25 Feb 2016
	8	(I) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Oil) (Amendment) Regulations 2016 (II) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment) Regulations 2016	29 Feb 2016
	9	Regulation I/10 of STCW Convention (Recognition of Certificates) - Familiarisation with Singapore's Maritime Legislation	28 Mar 2016
	12	Implementation of SOLAS Regulation VI/2 on Verified Gross Mass of Containers	27 May 2016
	13	Inspection of Shipments Intended for Yemeni Ports	10 Jun 2016
	14	Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2016	27 Jun 2016
	15	Requirements for Certificate of Competency as Electro-Technical Officer (COC-ETO) and Certificate of Proficiency as Electro-Technical Rating (COP-ETR)	28 Jun 2016
	16	Applications for a Certificate of Endorsement (COE) for Holders of Electro-Technical Officer (ETO) Certificate of Competency issued by a Foreign Administration	28 Jun 2016
	19	Enhancement of the Maritime Sector Incentive – Shipping Enterprise (Singapore Registry of Ships) (MSI-SRS)	30 Jun 2016
	20	Formation of Transport Safety Investigation Bureau (TSIB)	5 Aug 2016
	22	Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 – New Compulsory Financial Security Requirements Relating to	13 Oct 2016

	Repatriation of Abandoned Seafarers and Work Injury Compensation	
26	(A)Implementation of the 2010 Manila Amendments to STCW Convention (B)Renaming of IDA (Info-Communications Development Authority of Singapore) to IMDA (Info-Communications Media Development Authority)	28 Nov 2016
29	Implementation of Amendments to Radio Regulations Concerning the Revised Maritime Frequencies and Channelling Arrangements	12 Dec 2016
30	Amendments to the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea Regulations and Merchant Shipping Regulations	31 Dec 2016

2017	2	Relief Support for Companies Providing Cadet Training Berths	3 Jan 2017
	3	Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 – Compulsory Financial Security Requirements Relating to Repatriation of Abandoned Seafarers and Work Injury Compensation/Rev.1	23 Jan 2017
	4	Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 – Updated Requirements for MLC Certification / Rev.1	30 Mar 2017
	6	Amendments to the Merchant Shipping (Maritime Labour Convention) Act 2014 and other Relevant Regulations	23 Jan 2017
	8	Ballast Water Management Convention (BWMC), 2004	23 Mar 2017
	9	(A) Approval for and Report on Alterations to Passenger Ships (B) Report on Defect or Deficiency in Passenger Ships (C) Five-Yearly Lightweight Survey for Passenger Ships	27 Mar 2017
	10	Update on the Implementation of the Ballast Water Management Convention (BWMC), 2004	12 Jun 2017
	11	Update on Enhancements to the Annual Administrative Fee (AAF) Scheme	15 Jun 2017
	12	Advisory on the Maintenance and Inspection of the Fixed Carbon Dioxide Fire Fighting Extinguishing System and the Engine Room Escape Hatch Door	1 Aug 2017
	13	Implementation of the Wreck Removal Convention 2007 for Singapore-Registered Ships	16 Aug 2017
	14	(i) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Noxious Liquid Substances in Bulk) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 (ii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Sewage) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 (iii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment) Regulations 2017	31 Aug 2017
	15	(I) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Amendment) Act 2017 (li) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Ballast Water Management) Regulations 2017 (lii) Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Reception Facilities and Garbage Facilities) (Amendment) Regulations 2017	6 Oct 2017
	16	Safe Carriage of Solid Bulk Cargoes that may Liquefy	23 Oct 2017
	18	Implementation of 24/7 after Office Hours Customer Service Hotline for Singapore Registered Ships	1 Nov 2017
	19	Carriage of Ammonium Nitrate Based Fertilizer (Non-Hazardous)	2 Nov 2017

	20	Update on Initiatives to Promote Seafaring Careers: Skillsfuture Earn and Learn Programme (ELP) for Seafaring	7 Nov 2017
	21	Certificates of Competency Issued by Foreign Maritime Administration Recognised by MPA	9 Nov 2017
	23	United Nations Security Council Sanctions Against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea	14 Nov 2017
	25	Carriage on Board of Safe Working Practice Publications	2 Dec 2017
	26	Use of Electronic Certificates on Board Singapore Ships	15 Dec 2017
	27	Expansion of Marinet Online Services for Certificates Issued by the Singapore Registry of Ships	20 Dec 2017
	28	Application of Noise Limit to Singapore Registered New Ship Below 1600GT	21 Dec 2017

2018	2	United Nations Security Council Sanctions Against the Democratic People's Republic of Korea	26 Jan 2018
	3	Resolutions Adopted by the 70 th and 71 st Session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 70 and MEPC 71) of the IMO	22 Feb 2018
	4	Amendments to the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea Regulations	1 Mar 2018
	5	Safety Measures on the Use of AC Electric Arc Welding Equipment to Prevent Electric Shock Incidents	13 Mar 2018
	6	Reporting of Incidents of Piracy and Armed Robbery Against Ships in the Gulf of Guinea	6 Apr 2018
	7	Precautions when Navigating Through Fishing Vessel Areas in the Coastal Waters of Ningbo-Zhoushan Port, China	16 May 2018
	8	The IMO Data Collection System for Fuel Oil Consumption (DCS)	13 June 2018
	9	Importance of Safe Navigation in the Singapore Strait and Singapore Waters	6 July 2018
	10	Piracy and Armed Robbery Against Ships and Amendment to Best Management Practices (Version 5) to Deter Piracy in the High Risk Area and Enhance Maritime Security in the Red Sea, Gulf of Aden, Indian Ocean and Arabian Sea	16 Jul 2018
	11/rev1	Reporting of Incidents Involving Singapore-Registered Ships / Rev.1	5 Sep 2018
	12	Singapore Regulations Affecting the Singapore Shipping Community: United Nations (Sanctions – Democratic People's Republic Of Korea) Regulations 2010	28 Sep 2018
	13	Acceptance for the use of Remote Inspection Techniques for Surveys	23 Oct 2018
	14	Resolutions Adopted by the 96 th , 97 th , 98 th and 99 th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC) of the International Maritime Organization	14 Nov 2018
	15	Enhancement to Suite of Services on Marinet: Online Services for Submission of MLC Financial Security Certificates	20 Nov 2018
	16	Enhancement of the Maritime Sector Incentive – Shipping Enterprise (Singapore Registry of Ships) (MSI-	12 Dec 2018

		SRS)	
	17	Training and Certification Requirements for Ships Operating in the Polar Waters	17 Dec 2018
	18	Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Air) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2018	31 Dec 2018

2019	2	Enhancement to Suite of Services on Marinet: Auto Issuance of Receipt of Acknowledgement (ROA) Upon Application of Certificate of Endorsement (COE)	22 Jan 2019
	4	2016 Amendments to the Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 • Validity of the Maritime Labour Certificate • Guidance on Eliminating Shipboard Harassment and Bullying	1 Apr 2019
	5	Defects of Sewage Treatment Plant Becoming a Common Item for PSC Detentions	12 Apr 2019
	6	Training and Certification Requirements for Seafarers on Ships Subject to the IGF Code	4 Jun 2019
	7	Revalidation of the GMDSS General Operator Certificate and Restricted Operator Certificate	12 Jun 2019
	8	Resolutions Adopted by the 72nd and 73rd Session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 72 and MEPC 73) of the IMO	7 May 2019
	9	Commissioning Testing of Ballast Water Management Systems	1 Jul 2019
	10	Incorporation of Contingency Measures into Ballast Water Management Plan	1 Jul 2019
	11	Implementation of Requirements for Maintenance, Thorough Examination, Operational Testing, Overhaul and Repair of Lifeboats and Rescue Boats, Launching Appliances and Release Gear	20 Nov 2019
	12	Extension of the Green Ship Programme under the Maritime Singapore Green Initiative	29 Nov 2019
	13	Merchant Shipping (Safety Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2019	30 Dec 2019

2020	2	Amendment of Frequency Range(s) in Ship Station Licence	10 Feb 2020
	3	Impact of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (covid-19) Outbreak on Singapore-Registered Ships	26 Feb 2020
	4	Long Range Identification and Tracking (LRIT) Conformance Testing and Certification	28 Feb 2020
	5	Guidelines on the Medical Examination of Seafarers and Seafarer's Medical Certificate	24 Mar 2020
	6	Extension of STCW Certificates Issued by Singapore	10 Apr 2020
	7	Registration and Safety Requirements for Pleasure Craft Registered with the Singapore Registry of Ships (SRS) from 1 July 2020	21 Apr 2020
	8	Resolutions Adopted by the 74th session of the Maritime Environment Protection Committee (MEPC 74) of the IMO	27 Apr 2020
	9	Revalidation of Certificates of Competency and Tanker Endorsement Issued by Singapore	4 May 2020
	10	Use of Electronic Record Books under the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL)	5 May 2020

	on Board Singapore-Registered Ships (SRS)	
11	Precautions when Navigating through Fishing Vessel Areas in and around Ningbo-Zhoushan Port, China	8 Jun 2020
12	Enhancements to the Maritime Sector Incentive – Shipping Enterprise (Singapore Registry of Ships) (MSI-SRS)	12 Jun 2020
13	Measures to Support Seafarers on Board Singapore-Registered Ships in Light of Restrictions Caused by Coronavirus Disease 2019 (covid-19)	18 Jun 2020
14	Best Practices for Singapore-Registered Ships to Minimise Risk of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (covid-19) on Board	24 Jul 2020
15	Maritime Cyber Risk Management	13 Aug 2020
16	Further Extension of STCW Certificates Issued by Singapore	23 Sep 2020
17	Amendments to the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea Regulations	25 Sep 2020
18	2018 Amendments to the Maritime Labour Convention, 2006	30 Nov 2020
19	Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Noxious Liquid Substances in Bulk) (Amendment no. 2) Regulations 2020	29 Dec 2020