



Republic of Mauritius

**Ministry of Public Infrastructure, Land Transport and Shipping
4th Floor, New Government Centre
Port Louis**

NOTICE TO MARINERS Ref.: 2 of 2008

Title: Implementation of IMO Unique Company and Registered Owner Identification Number Scheme (Resolution MSC.160 (78))

Notice to All Shipowners, Operators, Masters and Officers of Merchant Ships and Recognized Organizations.

The Maritime Safety Committee (MSC) of the International Maritime Organization at its eightieth session (May 2005) adopted SOLAS Regulation XI-/3-1 which is binding on all contracting parties and requires the following:

Company and registered owner identification number

- 1. This regulation applies to Companies and registered owners of ships to which chapter I applies.*
- 2. For the purpose of this regulation, registered owner shall be as specified by the Administration and Company as defined in regulation IX/I.*
- 3. Every Company and registered owner shall be provided with an identification number which conforms to the IMO Unique Company and Registered Owner Identification Number Scheme adopted by the Organization*. (*Refer to resolution MSC.160 (78) entitled "Adoption of the IMO Unique Company and Registered Owner Identification Number Scheme".)*
- 4. The Company identification number shall be inserted on the certificates and certified copies thereof issued under regulation IX/4 and section A/19.2 or A/19.4 of the ISPS Code.*
- 5. This regulation shall take effect when the certificates referred to in paragraph 4 are issued or renewed on or after 1st January 2009.*

To this end, it will be required from all Owners or potential Owners, Managers or potential Managers of Mauritius ships, when applying for any transaction to the Director of Shipping after the 1st January 2009, to submit the IMO Unique Company or Registered Owner Identification Number as appropriate.

The procedure for obtaining the IMO Unique Company and Registered Owner Identification Number is described in Annexes 1 and 2 of the IMO Circular letter No 2554/Rev. 1 which are attached to this Marine Notice.

It must be noted that this Ministry will not provide any service in order to obtain the IMO Unique Company of Registered Owner Identification Number on behalf of Owners of Managers.

The Recognized Organizations issuing on behalf of the Republic of Mauritius, ISM and ISPS related certificates are requested when issuing or renewing relevant certificates on or after 1st January 2009 to add the **IMO Unique Company Identification Number as appropriate, preferably under or adjacent to the Company's name and business address.**

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1st December 2008*

ANNEX 1

REQUEST FOR IMO COMPANY (DOC)
IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

LLOYD'S REGISTER - FAIRPLAY (LRF)
Lombard House
3 Princess Way, Redhill
Surrey RH1 1UP
UNITED KINGDOM

Telephone +44 1737 379060
International fax +44 1737 379040
Email: owners-data-feedback@lrfairplay.com

TO ENABLE ASSIGNMENT OF A COMPANY IDENTIFICATION NUMBER, PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING DETAILS:

CURRENT COMPANY NAME*
FORMER NAME(S) (if known)

Please indicate if: This is correcting the details for an existing company on the LRF database
 This is a newly established company
 This is a change of company name (please give former names above)
 This is a company merger (please give former names of all companies above)

DATE OF REGISTRATION
COUNTRY OF REGISTRATION
OPERATIONAL ADDRESS*

TOWN*
POSTAL/ZIP CODE*
COUNTRY*
TELEPHONE FAX
E-MAIL WEBSITE
IF KNOWN PARENT COMPANY

IMO ship identification number(s) *
If not available other ship details (please supply at least one IMO ship identification number in the current fleet. This helps in the identification of company records)

Company requesting IMO Number
COMPANY NAME*
CONTACT NAME*
SENDER'S EMAIL*
SENDER'S FAX NUMBER*

Items indicated with an asterisk (*) are required and must be filled in before a number can be provided.

It is the policy of LRF to record the operational addresses of companies which have been issued with a Document of Compliance (DOC). The operational address can be the address of a head office or a branch office, or a care-of address for the manager or company which has been issued with a DOC and managing the ship for which communication details are provided.

The country of registration of the company which has been issued with a DOC is also recorded.

For office use only.:
IMO Company No.

ANNEX 2

REQUEST FOR IMO REGISTERED
OWNER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

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TO ENABLE ASSIGNMENT OF A REGISTERED OWNER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER, PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING DETAILS:

CURRENT COMPANY NAME*
FORMER NAME(S) (if known)

Please indicate if: *This is correcting the details for an existing company on the LRF database*
 This is a newly established company
 This is a change of company name (please give former names above)
 This is a company merger (please give former names of all companies above)

DATE OF REGISTRATION
COUNTRY OF REGISTRATION
OPERATIONAL ADDRESS*

TOWN*
POSTAL/ZIP CODE*
COUNTRY*
TELEPHONE FAX
E-MAIL WEBSITE
IF KNOWN PARENT COMPANY

IMO ship identification number(s)*
If not available other ship details (please supply at least one IMO ship identification number in the current fleet. This helps in the identification of company records)

Company requesting IMO Number
COMPANY NAME*
CONTACT NAME*
SENDER'S EMAIL*
SENDER'S FAX NUMBER*

This company has also been issued with a DOC for this fleet

Items indicated with an asterisk () are required and must be filled in before a number can be provided.*

It is the policy of LRF to record the operational addresses of registered owners. The operational address can be the address of a head office or a branch office, or a care-of address for the manager or company which has been issued with a DOC and managing the ship for which communication details are provided.

LRF only records the Registered Address of Registered Owners when this information is received directly from Administrations in the XML schema described in section 2 of annex 4.

The country of registration of the registered owner is also recorded.

For office use only:
IMO Registered Owner No.

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