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This Directorate vide its Training Circular No.5 of 2015 dated 10th July, 2015 had issued necessary guidelines for (1) Basic Training for Oil Tanker Cargo Operations (course ID 73), (2) Basic Training for Chemical Tanker Cargo operations (Course ID 74), (3) Basic Training for Liquefied Gas Tanker Cargo Operations (Course ID 75) and (4) Basic Training for Oil and Chemical Tanker Cargo Operations (Course ID 76).

2. It has been observed that some maritime administrations have raised objection towards conduct and issuance of certificates separately for Basic Training for Oil Tanker Cargo Operations and Basic Training for Chemical Tanker Cargo Operations on the ground that as per Chapter V of STCW convention, the Officers and Ratings assigned specific duties and responsibilities related to cargo or cargo equipment on oil or chemical tankers are required to hold a certificate in basic training for oil and chemical tanker cargo operations.

3. In view of the above, the Competent Authority has directed that from 1st March, 2017 onwards, the separate courses of (a) Basic Training for Oil Tanker Cargo Operations (course ID 73) and (b) Basic Training for Chemical Tanker cargo operations (Course ID 74) shall stand discontinued and only one course i.e. Basic Training for Oil and Chemical Tanker Cargo Operations (Course ID 76) shall be conducted by the DGS approved maritime training institutes.

4. The maritime training institutes who are conducting separate courses of Basic Training for Oil Tanker Cargo Operations (course ID 73) and (b) Basic Training for Chemical Tanker cargo operations (Course ID 74) are allowed to conduct combined course under an intimation to the DGS. They may submit the course curriculum within 15 days from commencement of course. The maritime training institutes who are conducting only one course out of these above two courses shall forward their proposal to the Directorate General of Shipping for course approval of Basic Training for Oil and Chemical Tanker Cargo Operations (Course ID 76).

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5. The seafarers who have completed both the courses [course ID 73 and 74] from one maritime training institute can approach the same maritime training institute for issuance of combined certificate for Course ID 76. The seafarers who have completed these courses from two separate maritime training institutes can approach any one MTI conducting combined course (ID 76) along with the course completion details for issuance of combined certificate for course ID 76.


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Dy. Director General of Shipping

To

All the DGS approved Maritime Training Institutes (thru DGS official website)

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