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DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF SHIPPING, MUMBAI

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DGS Circular No. 24 of 2023

Addendum to DGS Circular No. 19 of 2023 dated 28.07.2023

- 1. Whereas, the Directorate issued DGS Circular No. 19 of 2023 dated 28.07.2023 regarding "Revalidation Training Course of revalidation of Nautical Grade Certificate of Competency (CoC) of Masters and Deck Officers issued under STCW 78 as amended (2010 Manila Amendments) and decided that:-
- (1) MTI has to apply online (afresh) for approval of the course.
- (2) The Directorate will allow approval based on documents submitted by the MTIs, but all such documents will be verified by the respective MMDs within a period of six months i.e., prior to 31.01 .2024.
- (3) In case, if any MTI is found conducting course without inspection of MMD beyond 31.01.2024, a serious action as proposed under of DGS Order 5 of 2016 will be initiated.
- (4) The onus of liability of compliance within stipulated time for the conduct of the course as mentioned above will be of MTI. Hence in case if MTI is 100% compliant to issued Guidelines shall apply online for course approval.
- (5) This scheme will be valid only upto 31.07.2023, subsequently the interested MTI has to follow regular procedure where after applying online for the course approval of RUT, the MMD inspection will be required and only on recommendation of PO, MMD the approval may be considered by the Competent Authority.
- 2. Whereas, the Directorate is in receipt of requests from various MTIs to issue inspection order to respective MMDs to carryout inspection for approval of the said course.

- 3. Hence, the MTIs are requested to inform the concerned/respective MMDs about their readiness for the inspection for the said course. Accordingly, the concerned/respective MMDs may depute surveyors to carryout inspection of the institute and submit the final report in prescribed format to the Directorate.
- 4. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

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