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## "Bangla Instruction Manual For Life Rafts"

This is to inform all ship owners, ship operators, agents, masters and other stakeholders whose ships are registered under Mercantile Marine Office shall carry appropriate instruction manual for Life Rafts in Bangla in additional to an English Manual for the ease of understanding of the Bangladeshi crew on board ships. This directive shall come into effect from 15/03/2019.

Any ship failing to abide by the above directives will not be issued with "Life Raft Annual Inspection Certificate" by this office. All concerns are advised to take necessary actions accordingly.

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- The Chairman, Bangladesh Ocean Going Ships Owners Association, House No 11/B (6<sup>th</sup> Floor), Road No- 30, Gulshan 1, Dhaka. → With a request to inform all your members.
- 3. The Chairman, Bangladesh Coastal Ship Owners Association, Eastern Arju Complex (8th Floor), Room -09/06, 61 Bijoynagar, Dhaka 1000.
- The Chairman, Bangladesh Oil Tanker Owners Association, Happy Rahman Plaza (5<sup>th</sup> Floor), 25-27 Kazi Nazrul Islam Avenue, Banglamotor, Dhaka. —> With a request to inform all your members.
- The Chairman, Bangladesh Petroleum Tanker Owners Association, Suit -502, Level 5, Block -C, BGME Complex, 23/1, Panthapath Link Road, Karwan Bazar, Dhaka 1215. → With a request to inform all your members.
- The Chairman, Bangladesh Marine Fisheries Association, 13/A (14<sup>th</sup> Floor), Center Point Konkord, Farmgait, Dhaka - 1225. → With a request to inform all your members.
- 7. The Chairman, Marine White Fish Trawler Association, Islam Mansion (04th Floor), 437/A, Sadarghat Road, Chattogram. With a request to inform all your members.
- 8. Managing Director, New Juthi Enterprise, S R Tower (2nd Floor), SK Mujib Road, Chattogram.
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- Managing Director, Equipment Testing & Inspection Co. Ltd., Hasna Tower (5th Floor), 1110/A, Agrabad C/A, Chattogram.
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