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TITLE	LIST OF NEW IMO OBLIGATORY REQUIREMENTS ENTERING INTO FORCE IN 2015
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To All Owners and Managers of Malaysian Vessels,

This is to remind, on the implementation of the new requirement/regulation coming into force this year (2015).

No	Requirement	Code/Res. No.	New Ship			Existing Ship			Keywords / Element
			Type	Size	Force Date	Type	Size	Force Date	
1	Enclosed space entry and rescue drills	SOLAS III/19, HSC, MODU, MSC.35x(92)	MODU, Pax	All	1/1/15	MODU, Pax	All	1/1/15	ISM / SMC
			Cargo	GT>500		Cargo	GT>500		
2	Passenger ship safety-ship engaged on a voyage for more than 24 hours, musters of newly-embarked passengers shall take place prior/immediately upon departure.	SOLAS III/19	Pax	All	1/1/15	Pax	All	1/1/15	ISM / SMC
3	Company to ensure each ship is manned by approved personnel & should periodically verify those undertaking ISM-related tasks are acting in conformity with the Company's responsibilities under the Code.	ISM Code Part A, updated to para 6, 12, footnotes paragraph 1.1.10, 1.2.3.2, section 3, 4, 8, 9, 11 and foreword of the Code	Pax	All	1/1/15	Pax	All	1/1/15	ISM / SMC
			Cargo	GT>500		Cargo	GT>500		
4	Amend the IMSBC Code to enhance the safety of carriage of cargoes that may liquefy.	IMSBC Code – Numerous changes & updates to the existing code stipulated in MSC.354(92)	Cargo ships carrying IMSBC Cargo	All	1/1/15	Cargo ships carrying IMSBC Cargo	All	1/1/15	ISM / SMC IMSBC
5	Installation of electronic chart display and information system (ECDIS)	SOLAS V/19 MSC.282(86)	Pax	GT>500	1/7/12	Pax	GT>500	1/7/14	ECDIS
			Tanker	All	1/7/12	Tanker	GT>3k	1/7/15	
			Cargo	GT>3k	1/7/14	Cargo	GT>50k	1/7/16	
			Cargo	3k<GT<10k	1/7/14	Cargo	20k>GT<50k	1/7/17	
6	Revise EEDI Requirements. Expansion of scope of application	Marpol Annex VI MEPC.251(66)	LNG, Vehicle Carrier, Ro-ro, Pax Cruise	All	D. Contract: 1/9/2015	-	-	-	SEEMP ISM (SMC) EEDI
					or				
6		Marpol Annex VI MEPC.203(62)	All	>400GT	D. K. Laying: 1/3/2016	-	-	-	
					or				
6					D. Delivery: 1/9/2019	-	-	-	
					D. Delivery: 1/7/2015				
7	BNWAS carriage requirement for ships constructed before 1/7/2002	SOLAS V/19 MSC. 350(92)	-	-	-	Cargo	150>GT<3k	1/1/16	BNWAS
							500>GT<3k	1/1/17	

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