

## INFORMATION BULLETIN No. 105

### ISPS CODE Interpretation Regulations 13.5, 13.6, 13.7 & 13.8

#### ISPS SHIP DRILL

Ships drills are to be carried out at three monthly intervals following a programme of drills controlled by the CSO and under the supervision of the SSO. See \*

#### Scope:

The simulation of ship operation under Security Levels 1, 2 & 3 while carrying out defined tasks taken from the Ship's Security Plan and designated by the CSO for each drill.

#### 13.7 AND 13.8

#### ISPS COMPANY EXERCISES

Company exercises to be carried out annually including the scope of a Ships Drill with the addition of communication checks planned in advance by the CSO. See \*\*

#### Additional Scope:

Following Ship Drill scenario liaison between Ship, Ship Company, Port Authority and Flag State, or other official body as appropriate to the emergency. See \*\*\* & \*\*\*\*

#### Optional Scope:

The transmitting of a 'Drill Only Alert' from the SSAS as meeting the requirement for the periodic checking of the communication arrangement in place to handle the Ship Security Alert System.

\* *Where more than 25% of the ship's crew has been changed since the last security drill an additional training drill shall be carried out under the control of the SSO.*

\*\* *In conjunction with and in co-ordination with the fourth 3 monthly ship security drill on one or more ships during which the interaction with a port authority would be required.*

\*\*\* *Additional scope may be conducted as a live exercise where 'For Exercise' communications are made as appropriate to the emergency and the responses received being recorded in the de-briefing notes of the exercise.*

\*\*\*\* *This Administration does not recognise seminar based training as a substitute for security drills or exercises.*

## COMPANY MEETING OF ISPS REQUIREMENTS

Companies may choose to carry out the Additional Scope once a year as a live exercise. In which case all other company security exercises co-ordinating with ship security drills in that year may be dealt with as simulations in which no communications are made.

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