

Commonwealth of Dominica



Office of the Maritime Administrator

TO: ALL SHIPOWNERS AND OPERATORS OF MERCHANT VESSELS, AND DOMINICA FLAG STATE INSPECTORS

SUBJECT: ADVISORY ON THE 2019 NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

APPLICABILITY: This circular applies to all Dominica flagged vessels and inspectors or surveyors working on behalf of the flag State.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this circular is to provide notice to Dominica Ship owners/operators and Flag State Inspectors on Commonwealth of Dominica Maritime Administration requirements in order to prevent the spread of 2019 Novel Coronavirus.

REQUIREMENTS:

As a result of the recent outbreak of the 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) the Dominica Maritime Administration has made the decision to suspend all flag State inspector and surveyor travel as a precaution to prevent the spread of COVID-19 and protect the health of individuals working on behalf of the flag State.

Vessels requiring flag State inspection or survey are by virtue of this circular provided dispensation from their annual survey requirements until further notice.

Any questions can be directed to:

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