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To: All Nautical Licence Training Centres

**NOTICE: 02/2017**

**Basic Seamanship and Safe Boathandling: Change in Nautical Licence Examination Procedures**

Further to Notice: 01/2017 dated 24 May 2017.

To expedite the processing of Nautical Licence applications after the exam, the following procedures will come into force:

- The original course completion certificate issued by the Training Centre is to be presented to the examiner on the day of the exam;
- Upon passing the exam, this certificate will be signed and stamped accordingly by the examiner;
- This will replace the certificate issued by MCAST which will no longer be issued; and
- The original signed and stamped certificate is to be then presented to the Authority with other required documents for processing.

Application procedures to sit for the examination and for the issue of a Nautical Licence remain unchanged.

Training Centres are to ensure that the original course completion certificate is given to the candidate for presentation to the examiner on the date of examination.

The application and requirements for the issue of a Nautical Licence can be downloaded from the following link:

<http://www.transport.gov.mt/admin/uploads/media-library/files/Nautical%20licence%20application%2010.06.14.pdf>

The above will come into force with immediate effect.

Yours Sincerely  
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