



Merchant Shipping Directorate



REGISTRATION IN TERMS OF THE MERCHANT SHIPPING (TAXATION AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO SHIPPING ORGANISATIONS) REGULATIONS, 2018

Merchant Shipping Notice 143

Notice to Shipowners, Ship Operators, Managers, Masters, Owners' Representatives and Recognised Organisations

In order to streamline the system of registration of shipping organisations that wish to benefit from the benefits contemplated in the Merchant Shipping (Taxation and Other Matters Relating to Shipping Organisations) Regulations, 2018, and for a ship to be declared a tonnage tax ship in terms of the said Regulations, the Directorate recommends adoption of the following procedure with effect from 1 May 2018:

- The written request for the registration of the shipping organisation should be submitted in the format of the sample letter as per the Annex to this Notice;
- The request letter shall be addressed to this Directorate;
- On confirmation of the accuracy of the details submitted and compliance with the provisions of the Regulations, the Registrar will confirm whether a ship can be declared as a tonnage tax ship;

In order to ensure that the system is implemented in a proper manner in the interest of all parties, existing shipping organisations having ships already registered in terms of the Merchant Shipping Act and wishing to benefit from the benefits contemplated in the Regulations, shall submit the written request by not later than 1 July 2018.

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16 April 2018

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ANNEX

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX COMPANY LIMITED-

1 March 2000

Registrar of Ships
Merchant Shipping Directorate
Transport Malta

Shipping Organisation: XXX Co Ltd
1 Main Street
Valletta

Company no: C000000

Name of Ship: ABCXYZ

IMO No: 1111111

Net Tonnage: 20,000

I hereby confirm that this shipping organisation is solely engaged in shipping activities as defined in the Merchant Shipping (Taxation and Other Matters Related to Shipping Organisations) Regulations, 2018 and meets the conditions set out in the said Regulations. Any additional ships owned/operated/managed/chartered by this shipping organisation, together with their respective above-mentioned details and flag State of the ships, are listed in the Annex to this letter.

I should be grateful for your confirmation that this shipping organisation has been duly registered in terms of the said Regulations and if you would inform the Commissioner for Revenue accordingly.

Yours faithfully

J Borg
On behalf of
XXX Co Ltd

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