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GENERAL CIRCULAR

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Date: 07th Mar 2022

To: Fleet

SUBJECT: Prohibition on use of Alcohol onboard the Vessels

The purpose of this circular is to provide guidelines for prevention on use of Drugs & Alcohol onboard our vessel. All crewmembers, pilots, office personnel, guests, visitors, agents, vendors, contractors, and any other person assigned to any Ship of MTMPL should be aware that the company has a policy of “Zero Alcohol” (No Alcohol is to be sold, distributed, brought onboard or consumed on the vessel).

Also, there should not be any misuse of legitimate drugs as those prescribed in the “medicine chest” and use, possession, distribution, or sale of illicit or unprescribed controlled drugs is prohibited and will not be condoned.

As per company’s SMS, office is instructing Master’s to carry out the unannounced D&A test onboard the vessel. In addition to the one initiated by office, Master to carry out his own unannounced Alcohol test monthly.

Master to carry out an unannounced cabin inspection with the sole objective to check compliance with company’s policy. Master must also exercise effective controls to ensure that no alcohol is brought onboard & ensure that BAC level should always remain within 0.04 % . Special attention must be paid while ship’s staff are returning from shore leave, carry out thorough search of the items/bags brought by them at the gangway & confirm No Alcohol is to be brought onboard, Any Noncompliance issues with above will have to face dire consequences which might lead to dismissal from ship and company.

Drinking alcohol or consumption of legitimate drugs may lead to Accident/ Incident/ Injuries, both minor and major, such as Collisions, falls, drowning, and other unintentional injuries. Personnel under the influence of alcohol becomes a physical hazard onboard the ship as drinking could impair the decision-making ability of a person. Owing to this fact, all shipboard staff are hereby advised to comply with company’s Drug & Alcohol Policy strictly & no deviation is allowed from this policy at any given point of time.

Please also refer annex’s as a case study for consumption of alcohol

From,

QHSE Team

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