



## **CHIRP- Confidential Hazardous Incident Reporting Programme**

### **Dear Master**

The Confidential Hazardous Incident Reporting Programme (CHIRP) Maritime reviews and investigates reports of hazardous incidents and near misses by providing an independent and confidential reporting system for the maritime industry.

The aim of CHIRP is to obtain, analyze and relay safety messages related to navigation, cargo, engineering, security, pollution prevention etc in order to improve safety at sea and to help reduce the number of incidents at work.

CHIRP Maritime Feedback (MFB) is also available in Tagalog for improving Filipino seafarers' understanding of CHIRP Maritime and to encourage them to report on issues such as safety breaches, environmental issues, sexual harassment, bullying and health concerns.

The link to the CHIRP website is: <https://www.chirpmaritime.org/newsletters/>

We encourage all officers and crew to read these reports, apply the lessons learnt and contribute where the crew believe it would help other seafarers.