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F. No. CR/CDC (Special)/ 2013

Dated: 29.10.14

DG Shipping Order No. 15 of 2014

(Corrigendum to the DG Shipping Order Nos. 8 of 2013, 09 of 2013, 06 of 2014 & 13 of 2014)

Sub: Issuance of Indian CDCs to hospitality crew working on cruise vessels and also to seafarers who are working on board trading vessels without an Indian CDC – reg.

The Director General Shipping [DGS], Govt. of India's Order No. 8 of 2013 [F. No. CR/CDC (Special)/ 2013] dated 22.03.13, on the aforesaid subject has enabled an issuance of Continuous Discharge Certificates-cum-Seafarers Identity Documents (CDCs) to additional categories of Indian seafarers, such as hospitality crew currently working on cruise vessels without any Indian CDC and also those working with experience on board trading vessels. Corrigenda thereto were issued to the said Order, vide the subsequent DGS Order No. 09 of 2013 [F. No. CR/CDC (Special)/2013] dated 10.04.13, 06 of 2014 [F. No. CR/CDC (Special)/2013] dated 06.06.14 & DGS Order No. 13 of 2014 [F. No. CR/CDC (Special)/2013] dated 26.08.14.

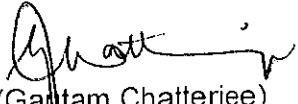
2. Para no. 6.1.4. of the original said DGS Order No. 08 of 2013 was modified by issuing a corrigendum thereto in the said later DGS Order No. 09 of 2013. The same is now, with a view to streamlining the systems and procedures thereof, further modified as here-in-under;

Sr. no.	Para no. of the said DGS Order No. 8 of 2013	Existing provision as provided for in the corrigendum DGS Order No. 09 of 2013	Provision to be now read as
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	6.1.4[for seafarers working on cruise vessels]	Two years of sea experience on board a cruise vessel .The said experience should be on a foreign CDC, duly authenticated for the entire period of sea service claimed, copies of which have to be submitted, alongwith copies of the corresponding Indian passport immigration entries concerned. The CDC will be issued in the rank last served.	Two years of sea experience on board a cruise vessel .The said experience should be on a foreign CDC, duly authenticated for the entire period of the sea service claimed, self-attested copies of which have to be submitted, alongwith self-attested copies of the corresponding Indian passport immigration entries concerned.

			The candidates also have to submit their original passports for verification, the detailed procedure of which is given herein below.
2.	6.3.4. [for seafarers with experience on board trading vessels]	Two years of sea experience, on board a merchant vessel. The said sea experience should be on a foreign CDC, duly authenticated for the entire period of such service claimed, copies of which have to be submitted, alongwith copies of the corresponding Indian passport immigration entries concerned. The CDC will be issued in the rank last served.	Two years of sea experience, on board a merchant vessel. The said sea experience should be on a foreign CDC, duly authenticated for the entire period of such service claimed, self-attested copies of which have to be submitted, alongwith self-attested copies of the corresponding Indian passport immigration entries concerned. The candidates have to also submit their original passports for verification, the detailed procedure of which is given herein below. The CDC will be issued in the rank last served.

Note: Such CDCs in the experience category are intended to be issued considering the experience gained by the seafarers during their profession. Hence, the prescribed period of experience set out in the said DGS Order No. 08 of 2013, is required to be verified by the Shipping Master(s) concerned who issues the CDCs. Applications for an issuance of CDCs in the experience category (individual category) are filed online. Hence, the Shipping Masters concerned on their verification of such application forms and on finding the same to be in order, will immediately intimate the candidates, concerned by email & for the submission by the candidates of their original passports for counter-verification of the sea service claimed by the seafarers concerned for obtaining their CDCs in the experience category. The seafarers have to then submit their original passports to the Shipping Masters concerned either by post or in person, on receipt of the said communication from the said Shipping Master. The latter shall, after such counter-verification of the period of experience claimed by the seafarers concerned from their original passports immediately return such passports, alongwith the duly issued corresponding CDCs, within two working days there from. These documents shall concurrently be dispatched to the respective applicants by speed post A/D.

3. Mutatis- mutandis all the other terms & conditions of the said DGS Orders No. 8 & 9 of 2013 and 06 & 13 of 2014, shall remain unchanged.


 (Gattam Chatterjee)
 Director General of Shipping

To the;

I. Shipping Masters, Govt. Shipping Offices, Chennai, Kolkata & Mumbai.

II Copy forward for an information & necessary action to the;

1. Principal Officers, Mercantile Marine Departments, Chennai, Kandla, Kochi, Kolkata & Mumbai.
2. Surveyors-in-Charge, Mercantile Marine Departments, Haldia, Jamnagar, Mangalore, Marmagao, NOIDA, Paradip, Port Blair, Tuticorin & Vishakapatnam.
3. INSA, FOSMA & MASSA.
4. NUSI & MUI.
5. Nautical, Engineering, Naval Architecture, Training, SD, Hindi & E-Governances Branches of the DGS, GoI, Mumbai. The DDG[E-Governance], DGS hdqrs. Mumbai shall work out modalities, on priority for an auto- transmission, on the e-mode, of mails to the applicants, immediately on the verification of the applications concerned. This facility may be enabled by mid November, 2014.

III Copy submitted for an information to the Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Shipping, Transport Bhavan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi – 110001 [Attn: Smt. Kanchan Bala Hamza, Under Secretary (MA)].

