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EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENCY FOR OPERATIONS

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**ADVISORY TO SHIPPING No. A-33-2018**

September 7, 2018

**TO** : All Shipping Agents, Owners, and Operators

**SUBJECT:** Suspension of the Modification in the Duration of the Second Booking Period

Advisory to Shipping A-29-2018 announced a modification in the duration of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Booking Period, from the current 21 days to 30 days prior to booking date. This modification, scheduled to commence with the competition of September 10, 2018, is hereby suspended until further notice. Consequently, the Booking Periods for Neopanamax vessels will be as follows:

- The 1<sup>st</sup> Booking Period will extend from 365 days to 81 days prior to the booking date.
- The new Booking Period **1.a** will extend from 80 days to **22** days prior to the booking date.
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> Booking Period will remain from 21 days to 4 days prior to the booking date.

Applications for slots offered in Booking Period **1.a** will begin at 0900 hours September 10, 2018. The competitions for booking dates from October 2, 2018 through October 10, 2018, announced in Advisory to Shipping A-29-2018, will not be held.

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