

WAR RISK AREAS AND PREMIUM PAY FOR OFFSHORE VESSELS

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Furthermore to Memorandum Circular No. 16 providing premium pay for seamen on board trading vessels, the area coverage for seamen working on offshore and supply vessels are likewise re-defined pursuant to a consensus reached by the Tripartite Technical Working Group. For uniformity and standardization, all areas in the Arabian Gulf West of Longitude 56° are declared war risk areas for offshore vessels. Seamen working on offshore vessels as defined in Circular No. 10 dated May 30, 1986 are entitled to a minimum 100% premium pay whenever they service Iranian/Iraqi oilfields or ports.

Manning agencies and their principals are hereby reminded to comply strictly with this Circular.

This Circular takes effect on September 15, 1986.

Adopted: 5 Sept. 1986

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Re-issued: 18 Feb. 1992

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