

AMENDMENTS TO MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 8-7-98 RE: ADDITIONAL GUIDELINES IN THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OPERATOR CERTIFICATE (GOC)

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Further to the provision of Memorandum Circular No. 8-7-98, the Commission hereby amends No. 2, Item 2.2 to read as “Fire on board ship” and to include an additional provision under said paragraph to read as follows:

“2.4 Preventive measures for the safety of ship and personnel in connection with hazards related to radio equipment, including electrical and non-ionizing radiation hazards”.

Item No. 4.4 is amended to read as follows “Practical examination on plotting the azimuth, elevation and operational/regional satellite as well as the knowledge to transmit the alphabet by morse code through keyer, voice, light or by any other means of transmitting or communicating the code signals.”

With the above amendments, all other provisions in Memorandum Circular No. 8-7-98 stand.

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