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To: Vessel Owners, Managers, Masters, Officers, Deputy Registrars, Surveyors and Other Interested Parties

Subject: New Maritime Legislation

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Summary

The Cook Islands Government and Maritime Cook Islands are pleased to announce the new suite of Maritime legislation giving full and complete effect to the international conventions to which is its party;

Cook Islands have brought into effect, legislation giving full and complete effect to, but not limited to the following

- **Maritime Labour Convention**
- **Wreck Removal Convention**
- **Non-Convention Ship Rules**
- **Maritime Rules (Offences) Regulations**
- **Shipping (Infringement Deficiency) Regulations**
- **International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS)**
- **International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL)**
- **International Convention on Load Lines (LL)**
- **International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW)**

LEGISLATION

For a full list and downloads of the legislation please visit <http://www.maritimecookislands.com/maritime-cook-islands/maritime-legislation.html>

CODES

For new and update Large Yacht Code, Small Yacht Code, Sail Training Code, and Yacht Masters Handbook please visit

<http://www.maritimecookislands.com/maritime-cook-islands/cook-islands-codes.html>

FLEET PUBLICATIONS

For a full list and downloads of the fleet publications please visit <http://www.maritimecookislands.com/publications.html>

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