



MARINE NOTICE 003-2005

To: Masters of Panamanian Vessels, Legal Representatives
Recognized Security Organizations, Company Security Officer, Ship
Security Officer

Subject: Ship Security Level

References: SOLAS 74 (2002 Amendments)
The International Code for the Security of Ships and Port
Facilities (ISPS)

From: Deputy Director of Merchant Marine

Date: July 14, 2005

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alfonso Castillo", is written over the "From:" field.



Dear Users:

The purpose of this communication is to formally notify, that the Panama Maritime Authority has decreased the security level (MARSEC LEVEL), from Level 2 to Level 1.

The Administration increased the security level the last week for a limited time to strengthen the Security Measures of the United Kingdom and the United States of America.

We wish to remind all the parties involved, that the General Directorate of Merchant Marine, through the Maritime Security Department is responsible for set the security levels of the vessels under this Registry. In order to be up date, please visit our web page: www.amp.gob.pa .