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REPORTS ON ACTS OF PIRACY AND ARMED ROBBERY AGAINST SHIPS

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1 In pursuance of the Maritime Safety Committee's instruction to the Secretariat to issue monthly reports of all incidents of piracy¹ and armed robbery against ships² reported to the Organization, the annex hereto provides, in the tabulated format agreed by the Committee, the summary of reports on incidents received between 1 and 30 June 2015 including a distinction between acts of piracy and acts of armed robbery against ships (annex 1) and attempted attacks (annex 2). The Secretariat has, since July 2002, classified separately any reported incidents of piracy and armed robbery **at sea** (international or territorial waters) vis-à-vis acts of armed robbery allegedly **committed in port areas**, as well as **attempted** acts of armed robbery.

¹ "Piracy" is defined in the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) (article 101) as follows:

"Piracy consists of any of the following acts:

- (a) any illegal acts of violence or detention, or any act of depredation, committed for private ends by the crew or the passengers of a private ship or a private aircraft, and directed:
 - (i) on the high seas, against another ship or aircraft, or against persons or property on board such ship or aircraft;
 - (ii) against a ship, aircraft, persons or property in a place outside the jurisdiction of any State;
- (b) any act of voluntary participation in the operation of a ship or of an aircraft with knowledge of facts making it a pirate ship or aircraft;
- (c) any act inciting or of intentionally facilitating an act described in subparagraph (a) or (b)."

² "Armed robbery against ships" is defined in the *Code of Practice for the Investigation of Crimes of Piracy and Armed Robbery Against Ships* (resolution A.1025(26), annex, paragraph 2.2), as follows:

"Armed robbery against ships means any of the following acts:

- (a) any illegal act of violence or detention or any act of depredation, or threat thereof, other than an act of piracy, committed for private ends and directed against a ship or against persons or property on board such a ship, within a State's internal waters, archipelagic waters and territorial sea;
- (b) any act of inciting or of intentionally facilitating an act described above."

2 Further, and as instructed by the Committee (MSC 89/25, paragraphs 18.9 and 18.10), the Secretariat has opened a "piracy and armed robbery" module on the Global Integrated Shipping Information System (GISIS) (<http://gisis.imo.org>) in order to improve the timeliness of reporting of incidents and to enable users to generate their own search criteria and produce customizable reports. This database is now configured for public, read-only access and is searchable. Reports can be compiled in GISIS directly by Member States and registered public users. These reports can now include follow-up information, for example dates of release of hijacked ships.

3 Previous incidents reported to the Organization since the fifty-ninth session of the Committee have been circulated by various MSC circulars, those issued during the previous 12 months and up to 31 May 2015 being, MSC.4/Circ.212, MSC.4/Circ.213, MSC.4/Circ.214, MSC.4/Circ.215, MSC.4/Circ.216, MSC.4/Circ.217, MSC.4/Circ.218, MSC.4/Circ.219 (Annual Report), MSC.4/Circ.220, MSC.4/Circ.221, MSC.4/Circ.222, MSC.4/Circ.223 and MSC.4/Circ.224.

ANNEX I
Acts of piracy and armed robbery allegedly committed against ships reported by
Member States or international organizations in consultative status

N°	Ship Name Type of Ship Flag Gross Tonnage IMO Number	Date Time	Position of the incident*	Details of the incident	Consequences for crew, ship, cargo	Action taken by the master and the crew	Was the incident reported to the coastal authority? Which one?	Reporting State or international organization	Coastal State Action Taken
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS

1	ORKIM HARMONY Product tanker Malaysia 5081 9524671	11/06/2015 21:00 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Appr. 17nm south of Pulau Aur, Johor Malaysia 02° 08.90' N 104° 27.30' E	Armed pirates boarded and took control of the laden product tanker, en route from Singapore to Kuantan, Malaysia. The Owners reported to the MMEA that since 11.06.2015 they were unable to establish contact with the tanker. The MMEA deployed patrol boats to search for the ship. On 17.06.2015, during the search, an RAAF aircraft reported spotting a tanker with a similar name and description. The Royal Malaysian Navy and MMEA intercepted the tanker as a result. The Navy was warned by the pirates to keep its distance and that failure to do so would bring harm to the crew. Under the cover of darkness the pirates were able to flee using the tanker's lifeboat. The ship was eventually boarded by Navy and MMEA personnel on 19.06.2015, and sailed to a safe port. One crew member who had been shot by the pirates was hospitalised. Eventually, the pirates were identified and detained by the Viet Nam Coast Guard.	One crew member injured	-	Yes Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency (MMEA)	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Tanker intercepted by Royal Malaysian Navy and MMEA. Pirates detained by Viet Nam Coast Guard
2	HARBOUR TRADER Tug Malaysia 156 9753375	13/06/2015 20:00 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Appr. 35nm NE of Pulau Bintan Indonesia 01° 35.00' N 105° 00.00' E	Five pirates armed with guns and knives boarded the tug, as it towed the Malaysian barge, Harbour Jupiter. The robbers stole crew's and ship's property, and damaged the ship's communication equipment before fleeing. The Master was able to activate the VHF DSC alert through the VHF equipment. Upon receipt of the distress signal, the Singapore Port Operations Control Centre (POCC) initiated a navigational broadcast. The MV Kota Dalia nearby responded by proceeding to the tug's location, and subsequently informed the POCC that a piracy incident had taken place. All crew safe.	Crew's and ship's property stolen. Ship's communication equipment damaged	Sent distress message to another ship in the vicinity	Yes MMEA and Singapore POCC	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard notified. Indonesian and Malaysian authorities also notified

IN TERRITORIAL WATERS

1	KILIAN S Bulk carrier Antigua and Barbuda 32987 9456173	01/06/2015 01:20 LT	INDIAN OCEAN Appr. 3.7nm west of Patenga Bangladesh 22° 15.54' N 091° 42.65' E	Five robbers armed with knives boarded the anchored bulk carrier with a rope ladder and tried to attack the crew's watchmen. The alarm was raised and the crew mustered. Upon hearing the alarm, the robbers fled with stolen ship's property.	Ship's property stolen	Alarm raised and crew mustered	No	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
2	ORKIM VICTORY Product tanker Malaysia	04/06/2015 00:15 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Appr. 8nm SW of Pulau Aur Malaysia	While en route to Kuantan port, Malaysia from Sg Udang, Malacca, Malaysia, more than eight masked robbers, armed with guns and knives,	All 18 crew members held and assaulted, and communication	-	Yes Malaysian Maritime Enforcement Agency	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur,	One helo, three ships and five boats

5036 9420095		02° 21.76' N 104° 22.81' E	boarded the product tanker underway. All 18 crew members were held and assaulted, although no injuries were reported. The robbers altered course and sailed the ship towards a motor tanker with a white superstructure and a black hull (approximately 100m in length and 2,000 GT), into which part of the ship's oil cargo was siphoned. In addition, the crew's and ship's property were stolen and all communication equipment was damaged, before the robbers fled at approximately 10.4nm SSW of Pulau Aur, Malaysia. The motor tanker involved in the incident was seen sailing towards Pulau Matak, Anambas, Indonesia. All crew reported safe. Ship sailed to a safe port.	equipment damaged. Crew's and ship's property stolen (770 metric tones of Automotive Diesel Oil siphoned)		(MMEA) and Viet Nam Maritime Security Information Centre	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	deployed by MMEA to locate the suspected motor tanker. ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore) received distress alert and informed MRCC Putra Jaya (Malaysia)
3 Balsa Container ship Marshall Islands 26412 9603611	04/06/2015 23:00 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Buoy No. 1, Vung Tau anchorage Viet Nam 10° 05.00' N 107° 02.00' E	Two robbers boarded the anchored container ship. Duty crew on routine rounds spotted the robbers and informed the D/O. The alarm was raised and the crew mustered. Upon seeing the crew's alertness, the robbers fled with stolen ship's stores. No injury to the crew.	Paint store door damaged and ship's stores stolen	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Vungtau VTS	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Viet Nam)	-
4 NCC SAFA Chemical tanker Saudi Arabia 29168 9411329	08/06/2015 04:00 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 3.9nm east of The Brothers Islands - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 11.80' N 103° 25.10' E	While underway, three unidentified persons were spotted in the engine room and the alarm was raised in response. Upon hearing the alarm, the unidentified persons fled empty-handed.	-	Alarm raised and search conducted on board	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS)	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore), ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Singapore VTIS notified the Singapore Police Coast Guard and the Republic of Singapore Navy. Malaysian and Indonesian authorities also informed. Tanker boarded by authorities for investigation
5 DENSA SHARK Bulk carrier Malta 93153 9607681	17/06/2015 02:21 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 1.1nm SSW of Pulau Takong Kecil, Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 05.23' N 103° 42.66' E	While sailing, duty oiler spotted three robbers armed with knives in the engine room of the ship and raised the alarm in response. The robbers fled upon hearing the alarm, while the Master activated the SSAS and informed VTIS Singapore. The crew mustered and a search was subsequently conducted, following which no robbers were found on board, but it was reported that engine spares had been stolen and traces of wet footprints were also found on the quarter deck. Coast Guard sent a patrol boat to escort the ship.	Engine spares stolen	Alarm raised, SSAS activated, search conducted on board and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS)	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore); ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Singapore VTIS notified Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian authorities also notified. Patrol boat dispatched by Coast Guard to escort the ship.

6	PRO TRIUMPH Oil tanker Panama 57773 9404948	17/06/2015 05:00 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 4.5nm SW of Nipah Island (Straits of Malacca and Singapore) Indonesia 01° 04.00' N 103° 34.00' E	Five robbers armed with knives boarded the crude oil tanker and were spotted in the engine room, as the ship approached the eastern anchorage area. Two engine crew members were confronted by the robbers and one of them was held while the robbers stole ship's property (generator spare parts) and fled. The alarm was raised, the crew mustered and a search was subsequently conducted in the accommodation and engine room. Master reported the incident to Singapore Port Operation Center (SPOC) and local authorities boarded the ship for investigation.	Ship's property stolen	Alarm raised, crew mustered and search conducted on board	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS)	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore VTIS notified Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian and Malaysian authorities also notified. Ship boarded by Coast Guard for investigation
7	CLIPPER POSH Gas carrier - LPG NIS (Norway) 48051 9656747	17/06/2015 05:03 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 0.8nm north of Heien Mar Reef, Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 08.23' N 103° 46.56' E	While sailing, five unauthorized persons were spotted in the engine room through the ship's CCTV. The Master raised the alarm and mustered the crew. Upon seeing the crew's alertness, the robbers fled. Subsequently, a search was conducted on board, following which it was determined that nothing had been stolen. No injury to the crew and nothing stolen.	-	Alarm raised and search conducted on board	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS)	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore), ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Singapore VTIS notified Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian and Malaysian authorities also notified. Ship escorted by a patrol boat
8	GREAT HOPE Bulk carrier Hong Kong, China 40913 9629639	18/06/2015 05:38 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 4nm east of Pulau Karimun Kecil, Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 08.26' N 103° 28.78' E	While sailing, the duty crew spotted one suspected robber on the poop deck and another attempting to climb on board. Duty crew informed the bridge and in response the Master raised the alarm, switched on all deck lights, activated SSAS, informed VTIS Singapore and the crew mustered in the citadel. Upon hearing the alarm and seeing the crew's alertness, the robbers fled in their boat. A search was eventually conducted on board, following which it was determined that nothing had been stolen. The crew is safe.	-	Alarm raised, SSAS activated, deck lights switched on, crew mustered, search conducted on board and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS)	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore); ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Singapore VTIS notified Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard . Indonesian and Malaysian authorities also notified
9	THERESA ARIES Chemical tanker Singapore 11438 9348508	19/06/2015 02:30 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 6nm southwest of Pulau Nipa, Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 05.25' N 103° 34.83' E	While sailing, the crew spotted two unauthorized persons on the deck of the ship, and the alarm was raised in response. Crew safe and nothing stolen.	-	Alarm raised, search conducted on board and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS)	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore VTIS notified Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard . Indonesian and Malaysian authorities also notified

10	OCEAN TRADER I Bulk carrier Liberia 14770 9190004	22/06/2015 03:25 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 6nm southwest of Pulau Nipa, Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 05.00' N 103° 34.81' E	While sailing, the crew spotted five masked robbers on the ship deck, having used a hook attached to a rope to climb on board. Subsequently, the robbers broke open the padlock of the fire locker and stole ship's property. The alarm was raised and the crew mustered. Upon hearing the alarm and seeing the approaching crew, the robbers fled in their wooden boat. VTIS Singapore informed.	Ship's property stolen	Alarm raised, crew mustered, search conducted on board and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS)	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore), ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Singapore VTIS notified Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard . Indonesian and Malaysian authorities also notified
11	PISTIS Bulk carrier Liberia 30053 9279769	24/06/2015 03:15 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 5.3nm south of Pulau Nipah - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 03.00' N 103° 40.00' E	Five robbers boarded the bulk carrier underway and proceeded to the engine room. Duty Engineer informed the Master who raised the alarm, switched on all deck lights and mustered the crew. The robbers fled upon hearing the alarm and seeing the alertness of the crew. A search was subsequently conducted on board, following which it was determined that nothing had been stolen. Incident reported to VTIS Singapore.	-	Alarm raised, all deck lights switched on, crew mustered, search conducted on board and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore VTIS	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore VTIS notified the Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian authorities also informed. Patrol boat dispatched to the ship
12	GIORGOS DRACOPOULOS Bulk carrier Malta 34810 9668403	24/06/2015 04:30 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 3.1nm west of Pulau Cula - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 02.41' N 103° 39.57' E	While underway, four robbers armed with knives were spotted entering the engine room of the ship after breaking the padlock. Duty oiler on routine rounds noticed footprints on the deck outside the workshop and was subsequently confronted by the robbers who tied him up. As the robbers attempted to steal spares from the engine room, the oiler managed to escape and raise the alarm, following which the crew mustered. Upon hearing the alarm, the robbers fled empty-handed. A search was eventually conducted on board the ship, after which it was determined that engine spares had been stolen. Incident reported to Singapore Coast Guard and on arrival at Singapore anchorage the Coast Guard boarded the ship for investigation.	Duty oiler tied up by robbers and Engine spares stolen	Alarm raised, crew mustered, search conducted on board and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore Vessel Traffic Information System (VTIS), Singapore Coast Guard	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore), ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Singapore VTIS notified the Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian authorities also informed. Ship boarded by Singapore Coast Guard for investigation
13	TE HO Bulk carrier Panama 41372 9290701	26/06/2015 01:50 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 1nm ESE of Pulau Takong Kecil - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 06.00' N 103° 44.00' E	While underway, three robbers armed with knives boarded the ship from the stern. They were spotted as they broke the padlock to the engine room entrance and the alarm was raised, following which the robbers fled empty handed. No injury to the crew and and nothing stolen.	-	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Singapore Port Operation	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore Port Operation notified the Republic of Singapore Navy and the Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian authorities also informed

14	LEONID LOZA Oil tanker Liberia 83747 9412347	26/06/2015 03:00 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 2.5nm NE of Pulau Karimun Kecil - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 11.30' N 103° 25.50' E	Robbers reportedly boarded the oil tanker underway, stole ship's property and fled unnoticed. The incident was discovered later in the day after two sets of footprints were sighted on the poop deck by the crew. A search was subsequently conducted on board the ship, following which it was determined that ship's property was stolen.	Ship's property stolen	Alarm raised and search conducted on board	Yes Singapore Port Operations Center	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore Port Operations Center notified the Republic of Singapore Navy and the Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian authorities also informed.
15	KIRAN TURKIYE Bulk carrier Malta 92050 9473353	26/06/2015 03:50 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 5.8nm NW of Pulau Cula - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 03.70' N 103° 37.18' E	While underway, the crew spotted one robber armed with a knife in the steering gear room. In response, the alarm was raised, the crew mustered and a search subsequently conducted on board. The master later reported that seven robbers were on board the ship.	-	Alarm raised, crew mustered, search conducted on board and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore VTIS	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore VTIS informed the Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian and Malaysian authorities also notified.
16	MSC DEILA Container ship Panama 153115 9461415	26/06/2015 05:30 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 5nm SSE of Tanjung Piai - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Malaysia 01° 10.58' N 103° 31.63' E	While underway, the crew spotted six robbers armed with knives, in the engine room of the ship. In response, the alarm was raised, the crew mustered and locked themselves in the accommodation. The Master requested assistance from Singapore PCG, and was advised to proceed to anchor within port limit for the Singapore PCG to board the ship and investigate the incident. Following a search by the Singapore PCG no robbers were found on board. The crew was unharmd but some engine spares were reportedly stolen.	Engine spares stolen	Alarm raised, the crew mustered and locked in the accommodation. Master informed Singapore VTIS and requested assistance from Singapore PCG	Yes Singapore VTIS	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore VTIS informed the Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Singapore Port Operations Control Center informed Indonesian and Malaysian authorities. Singapore Police Coast Guard boarded the ship and conducted a search.
17	OLYMPIC SPIRIT II Tanker Greece 52197 9133587	28/06/2015 04:00 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 7nm SW of Pulau Nipah - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 06.00' N 103° 32.00' E	Eight robbers in two small boats and armed with knives, boarded the tanker underway. The alarm was raised, SSAS activated, non-essential crew mustered in the citadel, and the robbers eventually fled. The crew later conducted a search on board the ship, following which it was determined that some engine spares had been stolen.	Engine spares stolen	Alarm raised, SSAS activated, non- essential crew mustered, search conducted on board and incident	Yes Singapore VTIS	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore VTIS informed the Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast

					reported to Singapore VTIS			Guard of the Master's request for assistance to board and search the ship. Singapore Port Operation Control Center informed Indonesian and Malaysian authorities. Tanker escorted by two patrol boats	
18	LEVAN Bulk carrier Bahamas 31198 9287986	29/06/2015 04:35 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 5.5nm SSE of Pulau Nipa - Straits of Malacca and Singapore Indonesia 01° 03.68' N 103° 40.30' E	While underway, the crew spotted three robbers boarding the ship via the poop deck. Upon seeing the crew, the robbers immediately fled empty-handed. No injury to the crew and nothing stolen.	-	Anti-piracy watch implanted and incident reported to Singapore VTIS	Yes Singapore VTIS	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	Singapore VTIS informed the Republic of Singapore Navy and Singapore Police Coast Guard. Indonesian authorities also notified.

IN PORT AREA

1	SICHEM CONTESTER Product tanker Singapore 11757 9416020	05/06/2015 14:00 LT	NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN Buenaventura Inner Anchorage Colombia 03° 51.60' N 077° 05.90' W	Duty A/B on routine rounds on board the anchored product tanker noticed the paint store's padlock broken. Following further investigation, it was determined that ship's stores were missing. Port control informed.	Paint store's padlock broken and ship's stores stolen	-	Yes Port Control	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
2	CABLE RETRIEVER Special purpose ship Singapore 5235	06/06/2015 16:10 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA G8 Vung Tau Anchorage Viet Nam 10° 21.50' N 107° 01.99' E	While at anchor, a small boat approached the ship and an unidentified person went on board. The trespasser jumped into the water once spotted and fled on the boat. No injury to the crew, no damage to the ship and nothing stolen.	-	-	Yes Viet nam Maritime Security Cente	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Vietnam)	-
3	NAME WITHHELD General cargo ship Liberia 18597	08/06/2015 00:10 LT	EAST AFRICA Beira Port Mozambique 19° 49.00' S 034° 50.00' E	Three suspected robbers in a small wooden boat and armed with knives, approached the berthed general cargo ship. One of the robbers managed to get on board and cut off a mooring rope. Duty crew attempted to approach the robbers but was threatened with a knife. The alarm was raised and the crew mustered. Upon seeing the crew's alertness, the robbers fled with the stolen ship's property. Port authorities informed.	Ship's property stolen	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Port authorities	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-

4	MCP TROODOS General cargo ship Cyprus 5316 9356907	08/06/2015 00:23 LT	WEST AFRICA Pointe Noire Anchorage Congo 04° 44.00' S 011° 45.00' E	Six unidentified persons in a wooden boat, armed with knives, approached the anchored general cargo ship. Two robbers managed to board the ship and were spotted by the duty crew. The robber armed with a knife chased the duty crew who successfully retreated into the accommodation and raised the alarm. Upon seeing the crew's alertness, the robbers fled empty handed. Port control informed.		Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Pointe Noire Port Control	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
5	ROBERTA Bulk carrier Marshall Islands 36286 9700653	08/06/2015 02:00 UTC	WEST AFRICA Port of Doula Cameroon 04° 03.16' N 009° 41.40' E	Following an inspection it was determined that eight FFE fire hose nozzles were missing	-	-	No	Marshall Islands -	-
6	GOLDENGATE PARK Chemical tanker Liberia 11733 9493145	11/06/2015 06:30 LT	INDIAN OCEAN CUFL Jetty Bangladesh	Chief officer on board the berthed chemical tanker spotted four robbers attempting to steal ship's property and the alarm was raised in response. Upon seeing alerted crew the robbers fled empty handed.	-	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Harbour Master and PSFO	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
7	WATER LILY Bulk carrier Panama 43652 9608221	12/06/2015 02:40 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Belawan anchorage Indonesia 04° 00.00' N 098° 54.00' E	Duty officer on board the anchored wood chips carrier spotted an unlit boat approaching the ship. He informed the duty crew on deck watch who reported that around 5-7 robbers armed with knives had boarded the ship. Once on board, the robbers threatened the crew with the knives. Subsequently, the alarm was raised, the crew mustered, and the robbers eventually fled. A search was conducted on board, following which it was determined that the robbers had broken the padlock to one of the ship's storerooms and stolen ship's property.	Storeroom padlock broken and ship's property stolen	Alarm raised, crew mustered and search conducted	No	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Japan)	-
8	BIRCH 6 Bulk carrier Hong Kong, China 16405 9138628	19/06/2015 02:05 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Belawan anchorage Indonesia 03° 55.00' N 098° 46.00' E	Duty crew on board the anchored bulk carrier spotted seven robbers in two motorboats and armed with knives, boarding the ship from the port and starboard sides. He informed the D/O who raised the alarm and mustered the crew. Upon seeing the crew's alertness, the robbers fled empty handed. All crew safe.	-	Alarm raised and crew mustered	No	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur, ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Contact Point (Hong Kong)	Ship boarded by Indonesia Navy and an inquiry was conducted once the ship was berthed
9	HELMUTH RAMBOW Container ship Antigua and Barbuda 9957 9306275	20/06/2015 06:30 LT	INDIAN OCEAN Chittagong B anchorage Bangladesh 22° 10.00' N 091° 42.00' E	Three robbers in a speed boat and armed with knives, boarded the container ship approaching the anchorage point. The bridge D/O informed the deck crew who verbally confronted the robbers. Upon seeing the crew's alertness the robbers threw stolen ship's property into the waiting boat and fled. Port authorities and Coast Guard notified.	Ship's property stolen	Robbers verbally confronted by deck crew	Yes Port authorities and Coast Guard	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
10	TAUNG GYI STAR Container ship Liberia 9590 9101819	22/06/2015 21:45 LT	INDIAN OCEAN Chittagong Anchorage Bangladesh 22° 09.00' N 091° 44.00' E	Duty crew on board the anchored container ship spotted robbers attempting to enter the accommodation. He informed the OOW on the bridge who raised the alarm and alerted the crew. The robbers chased after the crew, before fleeing with stolen ship's property. One crew member slipped and injured himself. Coast Guard informed.	Ship's property stolen	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Chittagong Coast Guard	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-

11	F. D. ANGELICA Bulk carrier Isle of Man (United Kingdom) 43007 9668893	24/06/2015 03:35 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Muara Berau Anchorage, Samarinda Indonesia 00° 18.00' S 117° 40.00' E	Two robbers armed with knives boarded the bulk carrier during cargo operations, via the anchor chain by forcing their way through the hawse pipe cover. The duty A/B was held and tied up while they stole his personal belongings. The robbers then entered the forward store and stole ship's property. Another duty A/B witnessed the incident and raised the alarm. Upon seeing the alerted crew the robbers fled in their boat.	One crew member held and tied up. Crew's property stolen	Alarm raised and crew alerted	No	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
12	TH SERENADE Oil tanker Panama 60205 9370848	27/06/2015 00:10 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Batangas Anchorage Philippines 13° 44.00' N 121° 02.00' E	Robbers boarded the anchored tanker, broke into the forepeak store and fled with ship's property. The duty crew on routine rounds noticed the theft and informed the OOW who raised the alarm and mustered the crew. A search was also conducted on board. Attempts were made to call port control but no response was received.	-	Alarm raised, crew mustered and a search conducted on board	No	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
13	SILVER AMANDA Product tanker Marshall Islands 29460 9682394	27/06/2015 23:40 LT	EAST AFRICA Shimanzi Oil Terminal, Mombasa Kenya 04° 02.60' S 039° 38.50' E	Robbers on a boat and armed with knives, boarded the tanker using a hook. They were spotted by a duty crew who alerted the C/O. The alarm was raised and the crew mustered. The robbers stole mooring ropes and fled. The incident was reported to Port control and local agent.	Ship's stores stolen	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes Port Control	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Tanker boarded by Maritime Police for investigation
14	ESHIPS COBIA Chemical tanker Marshall Islands 8473 9353888	29/06/2015 20:35 UTC	MALACCA STRAIT Belawan Anchorage Indonesia 03° 55.00' N 098° 46.00' E	Duty officer on routine rounds was held by robbers and tied up. One robber guarded the duty officer as the other two cut the padlock to the paint locker door and took 260 litres of paint. 2/O witnessed the incident and activated the forward whistle, following which the robbers fled. The crew was mustered and a search conducted on board the ship.	Duty officer held and tied up, padlock to paint locker broken and 260 litres of paint stolen	Whistle sounded, crew mustered and search conducted on board	Yes Belawan Port Authority	Marshall Islands -	-

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Acts of piracy and armed robbery allegedly attempted against ships reported by
Member States or international organizations in consultative status

N°	Ship Name Type of Ship Flag Gross Tonnage IMO Number	Date Time	Position of the incident*	Details of the incident	Consequences for crew, ship, cargo	Action taken by the master and the crew	Was the incident reported to the coastal authority? Which one?	Reporting State or international organization	Coastal State Action Taken
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS

1	PRABHU YUVIKA Bulk carrier Singapore 39818 9291781	29/06/2015 03:40 LT	MALACCA STRAIT Appr. 21nm NW of Pulau Ayu Kecil Indonesia 01° 26.20' N 103° 06.10' E	While underway, two suspected pirates in a speed boat approached the ship's starboard quarter. Once spotted by the duty officer, the ship's horn was sounded and the search light directed towards the speed boat. The fire pumps were activated and the crew began to spray water from the fire hoses. Upon seeing the alertness of the crew, the suspected pirates aborted their attempted boarding.	-	Ship's horn sounded, fire hoses turned on and towards the boat. CSO and POCC informed.	Yes Port Operations Control Center Singapore (POCC)	ReCAAP ISC via ReCAAP Focal Point (Singapore)	POCC Singapore informed Indonesian and Malaysian MRCCs. POCC Singapore also informed POLCOM and MSTF.
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IN PORT AREA

1	CABLE RETRIEVER Special purpose ship Singapore 11026 9063287	06/06/2015 15:15 LT	SOUTH CHINA SEA Vungtau anchorage Viet Nam 10° 21.00' N 107° 02.00' E	An unauthorised person on a small boat attempted to board the anchored cable ship. The alerted crew raised the alarm resulting in the person aborting and moving away.	-	Alarm raised	Yes Vungtau VTS	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	-
2	HANSA MARBURG Container ship Luxembourg 18327 9334818	26/06/2015 23:40 LT	WEST AFRICA Lome Anchorage Togo 06° 01.00' N 001° 17.00' E	Around seven suspected robbers in two boats came alongside the anchored ship. Upon seeing the robbers attempting to board the ship, D/O raised the alarm and sounded the ship's fog horn. On hearing the alarm and seeing the crew's alertness, the robbers fled. Togo Navy and Port Control were informed.	-	Alarm raised, ship's fog horn sounded and crew mustered	Yes Togo Navy and Port Control	ICC-IMB Piracy Reporting Centre Kuala Lumpur	Patrol boat dispatched to the ship

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