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Subject : Indian Seafarers facing trouble in UAE-reg.

It has been reported to this Directorate that Indian seafarers are stranded at Dubai for last 22 months due to abandonment by the owners/recruiting agencies. The details of vessel and recruiting companies are given below :

Sr No.	Vessel Name	Name of the recruiting owner/agency
1	ENJAZ 1	Shah Al Arab Marine Agency
2	ENJAZ-2	Shah Al Arab Marine Agency
3	M T Dharma	M/s. Alco Shipping Services LLC, Ajamn, Dubai
4	M.V. Azab	M/s. Alco Shipping Services LLC
5	SHARJAH MOON	M/s. Alco Shipping Services LLC
6	M.T. Ocean Prestige	M/s. Alco Shipping Services LLC
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7	Ocean Grace	M/s. Alco Shipping Services LLC
8	AJWA	M/s. Alco Shipping Services LLC

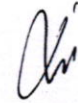
3. The seafarers are distressed, not paid wages for months not repatriated from after completion of contract. The Indian mission abroad has also conveyed that despite all efforts the above said companies continue to recruit Indian seafarers. It has also been brought to the notice of the Directorate that some registered RPSLs have also sent seafarers to these vessels.

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3. Since the above listed companies/recruiting agents have been found to be habitual defaulters in terms of payment of seafarers wages & basic provisions, it has been decided to blacklist the above recruiting owners/ agencies.

4. The registered RPSL who have recruited and placed Indian seafarers on the above said vessels/shipowners are directed to immediately withdraw Indian seafarers and repatriate them. RPSLs are also cautioned not to recruit and place seafarers on the above said vessels/agencies. The immigration authorities are also requested not to give immigration clearance to the seafarers for boarding above said vessels.

5. This issued with the approval of the competent authority.



(S. Barguzer)

Deputy Director General of Shipping(crew)

Encl : as above.

To,

- 1) Shipping Master, Mumbai/Kolkata/Chennai.
- 2) ADG(E-Gov.)
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