

MERCHANT MARINE CIRCULAR MMC-364

To: Ship-owners/Operators, Company Security Officers, Legal Representatives of Panamanian Flagged Vessels, Panamanian Merchant Marine Consulates and Recognized Organizations (RO).

Subject: Segumar Shanghai Office

- 1- Taking into consideration the needs of the users of our registry, and our commitment to provide the best quality service; this Administration has planned to open new technical offices in different locations around the world. Furthermore, in the last months actions have been taken in order to fulfil this goal.
- 2- In addition, our expectations regarding the establishment of a Consulate General of the Republic of Panama in the People's Republic of China, based in Shanghai, raised to the Private Merchant Marine Category, is to enhance services of excellence of our registry for the Chinese and greater Asian maritime sector and being the catalyst for maritime development in the country, taking advantage of the recent establishment of diplomatic relations between China and Panama, based on the principles of cooperation and reciprocity.
- 3- Starting April 16, 2018, these new office will provide the exact same services available at the Segumar Panama office. Users will be able to request the issuance of certificates and authorizations issued at any other Segumar office. In addition, this office will have full decision and capacity given to the Panama office.
- 4- The contact details for Segumar Shanghai, People's Republic of China office is as follows:

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5- We invite users of our registry to contact the Segumar office of their best convenience.

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