

## MARITIME AND PORT AUTHORITY OF SINGAPORE

PORT MARINE CIRCULAR NO. 14 OF 2015

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**Shipping Community** 

## CESSATION OF COMPULSORY MARITIME HEALTH DECLARATION BY VESSELS FOR EVD MONITORING MEASURES

This circular supersedes PMC 13 of 2015.

- The World Health Organisation has officially declared that Guinea is now free of the Ebola virus (EVD) transmission from 29 Dec 2015.
- In reference to National Environment Agency (Port Health Office) updated requirement, all vessels that had been to the previously EVD affected countries in the past 21 days, are **NOT** required to submit the Maritime Declaration of Health Form to the Port Health Office with immediate effect.
- The advice by Port Health Office is attached in "**Appendix A**".

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CESSATION OF COMPULSORY MARITIME HEALTH DECLARATION BY VESSELS THAT HAVE BEEN TO EBOLA AFFECTED COUNTRIES IN THE PAST 21 DAYS

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- 3 Should you have further queries, please contact Port Health Office at Email: Port\_Health\_CRO@nea.gov.sg, Tel: 6222 2585 or VHF Channel: 14

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