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**Subject: The Nairobi International Convention on the Removal of Wrecks, 2007**

Dear Madam/Sir:

We are pleased to inform you that on 8 January, 2015, Liberia deposited with IMO its instrument of accession to the Nairobi International Convention on the Removal of Wrecks, 2007. As part of its instrument of accession, Liberia agreed to extend the scope of the Convention to its territory, including its territorial sea.

The Liberian Registry will issue Wreck Removal Convention (WRC) certificates to ensure its flagged vessels have evidence of compliance prior to the Conventions entry into force on 14 April 2015. To facilitate the smooth entry into force of the Convention and assist shipowners, Liberia also plans to issue WRC certificates to ships flagged in countries that are not party to the Convention.

For questions regarding Liberia's implementation of the Convention and issuance of WRC certificates for Liberian and non-Liberian flagged vessels, please contact Vessel Certifications Division at the address above or: +1 703 790 3434 or email: [vesselcertification@liscr.com](mailto:vesselcertification@liscr.com).

Regards,

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