

PANAMA MARITIME AUTHORITY

MERCHANT MARINE CIRCULAR MMC-274

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To:

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

Subject: Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 (MLC, 2006) - Marine Casualties

Reference: Law 2 of January 6, 2009.

- 1. The purpose of this Circular is to inform users of the Panamanian registry that in accordance to the established by the Maritime Labour Convention, 2006, Regulation 5.1.6 about Maritime Accidents, any serious marine casualty taking place on board Panamanian flagged vessels, resulting into injuries or loss of life, shall be investigated by the Marine Accident Investigation Department.
- 2. That the investigation shall only be performed by personnel of the Marine Accident Investigation Department of the Panama Maritime Authority.
- 3. That the e-mail to report an accident causing injuries or death to seafarers is casualty@amp.gob.pa
- 4. That given the aforementioned, each company or ship shall develop its internal procedures and send the information or report through the form that is published in the webpage www.segumar.com.
- 5. That given the established on Title 4 of MLC, 2006, the following forms shall be found below and must be completed and sent to labormar@amp.gob.pa
 - Model of Maritime Declaration of Health
 - Seafarers Injury Medical Record
 - Ship's Master Report Form

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