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TO

ALL SEAFARERS, SHIPPING COMPANIES, CREWING AND

MANNING AGENCIES, AND OTHER ENTITIES CONCERNED

SUBJECT

CONDUCT OF THEORETICAL EXAMINATION IN THE MARINA

REGIONAL OFFICES (MROs) V, VII and XI

With reference to the conduct of Theoretical Examination in the MARINA Regional Offices (MRO), all concerned are hereby informed of the following:

- The conduct of theoretical examination in the MROs VI (Iloilo), VII (Cebu) and XI (Davao) under the MARINA Board Examination (MBE)-Old System as contained in STCW Circular Nos. 2014-08 to 13 and 2016-17 shall resume beginning August 2020. The specific schedule shall be posted in a separate notice.
- 2. The conduct of theoretical examinations in MROs VI (Iloilo), VII (Cebu) and XI (Davao) under the <u>New System</u> as prescribed by STCW Circular Nos. 2018-08 and 2018-09 is temporarily suspended until December 2020. Examinees may transfer their theoretical examination to the MARINA Central Office (MCO) starting 19 August 2020 without forfeiture of payment.

For assistance, concerned examinees may send their queries and concerns through Email at stcwo\_ead@marina.gov.ph

For guidance of all concerned.

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