



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation
OFFICE FOR TRANSPORTATION SECURITY

SECURITY ADVISORY

TO : **TUGBOAT OWNER/OPERATOR**

SUBJECT : **COMPLIANCE OF TUGBOAT TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY PROGRAM FOR SEA TRANSPORT AND MARITIME INFRASTRUCTURE (NSPSTMI)**

DATE : **NOV 08 2019**

Pursuant to the approved memorandum by the Administrator, OTS dated 25 October 2019, issuance of National Ship Security Certificate (NSSC) for tugboat shall be governed by Section 10, paragraph 1.2 of the NSPSTMI, Phased Implementation stating among others that, "Cargo ships (tankers, bulk carriers, including tugboats pulling/pushing non-propelled barges and assisting in maneuvering of ships) shall submit Ship Security Assessment (SSA) and Ship Security plan (SSP), respectively."

Hence, tugboat owner/operator are hereby advised to submit the required SSA/SSP to this Office for approval and consequent issuance of NSSC.

This Security Advisory shall take effect immediately upon the date of issuance.

Previously issued Security Advisory inconsistent with this is hereby declared null and void.

For information.


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Administrator



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