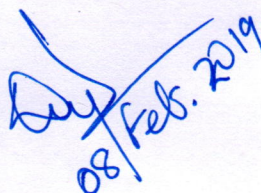
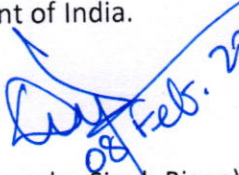
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<p>Ref.: QMS 7.0 Page 1 of 2</p>	<p>Subject: Allowing the seafarers already possessing Continuous Discharge Certificate(CDC) to undertake individual basic safety training course.</p>	<p>F. No. File No. TR/CIR/6(5)/2017</p>
<p>Issued by the Director General of Shipping Govt. of India</p>	<p align="center">Corrigendum to Training Circular No. 06 of 2018</p>	<p align="right">Date : 08.02.2019</p>

1. The Directorate had issued Training Circular No. 06 of 2018, dated 21 / 03 / 2018 regarding issuance of combined certificate for the four basic safety training required as per Chapter VI, Part A of Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for seafarers (STCW) Code, 1978 as amended. As per item 5 of the said Circular "The four basic safety STCW courses shall be removed from the list of courses in the e-governance system from 01 / 06 / 2018 and MTIs will not be able to upload batch details for these courses if conducted independently".
2. Noting that the Directorate has received a number of representations from seafarers and stakeholders stating that many companies and Flags require them to repeat an individual basic safety training course. In the absence of provision for undertaking individual basic safety training course, the seafarers are forced to repeat all the four courses.
3. In view of the above, the Directorate has now decided to delete item 5 of Training Circular No. 06 of 2018, dated 21 / 03 / 2018 for existing seafarers already possessing Continuous Discharge Certificate (CDC) to allow them to undertake individual basic safety training course. Those who are obtaining these certificates for the first time will have to obtain combined certificate for all four basic STCW Courses.
4. The maritime training institutes conducting the four basic safety training may admit seafarers having CDC to repeat an individual basic safety training course. The individual


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basic safety training course shall not be conducted in a separate class room. It shall be conducted as part of the combined basic safety training module. While admitting seafarer, the maritime training institute shall ensure that the intake capacity for a batch of basic safety training course does not exceed the approved intake capacity / batch.

5. Maritime training institutes approved for conducting the basic safety training course shall be deemed to be approved for conducting the individual basic safety course.
6. The maritime training institutes shall follow the following procedure to upload batch details of the seafarers undertaking individual basic safety training course.
 - 6.1. The INDoS number of seafarers undertaking individual course shall be entered along with the INDoS numbers of candidates undertaking the basic safety training at the start of the batch for the basic safety training.
 - 6.2. Upon clicking "**Continue**", the complete batch details appear on the second page.
 - 6.3. Under the column "**Admission taken for**", a drop down list of courses is provided. The MTI shall choose either "Basic safety training course" or individual basic safety training course against each candidate.
 - 6.4. The CDC number field is mandatory for seafarers undertaking individual basic safety training course.
 - 6.5. Upon filling all data, click on the "**submit**" tab.
 - 6.6. Upon completion of course, the procedure for "Generate certificate / Withdraw from batch" procedure shall be followed. A system generated certificate number shall be displayed. The MTI shall use the same certificate number on the individual basic safety training certificate.
7. This Training Circular enters in to force with immediate effect.
8. This issues with the approval of DG Shipping (In-charge) to Government of India.


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