

## ADVISORY NOTICE

### ADVISORY NOTICE 004/APR/ 2017

1. **Category: SUSPICIOUS APPROACH**
2. **Description:** On 09 April at 0315 UTC in position 1420N 05311E, an MV reported a vessel closed to a distance of 1nm from their bow with additional four skiffs seen on their starboard beam at a distance of 0.5 nm. Four POB sighted on each skiff with weapons. AST showed presence and the vessels moved away. Vessel is SAFE.
3. **Source:** Reported to UKMTO by the vessel via EMAIL at 2136 UTC
4. **Any queries regarding this Advisory Notice ring 0044 2392 222060 only for further information.**

**THIS ADVISORY** is **not** Classified as a Maritime Security Event and has **not** been verified by UK MTO. This information is provided to inform maritime situational awareness for mariners operating in the region. UKMTO is not responsible for the accuracy of this reporting.

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