

ADVISORY NOTICE

ADVISORY NOTICE 003/MAY/2017

1. **Category: Sighting**
2. **Description:** At 110605ZMay17, UKMTO received information that 3 skiffs closed a Merchant Vessel at speed to approx. 600 metres in position 1321.7N 04923.8E with 5/6 people on board each skiff. The embarked security team fired a warning flare and the skiffs altered course and re-joined a dhow in position 1316.7 N 04915.2E. No weapons or ladders sighted. Vessel is SAFE
3. **Source:** Email from Master
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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