



UKMTO

Weekly Report

29 Sep - 6 Oct 2019

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Command Overview

1. This week UKMTO issued no advisories or warnings.
2. Vessel operators and ships masters are reminded to register their ships transits of the Strait of Hormuz (SoH) at least 72hrs ahead of their passage. Registering SoH transits with UKMTO and remaining cognisant of the latest Industry, Government and Military guidance remains vital to mitigate against potential risks in the area.
3. The CTF 151 led Counter Piracy Focused Operation 'KING CRAB' concluded operations on 26 September 2019 (see article a).
4. Open Source Media Articles of interest. UKMTO is not responsible for the accuracy of this reporting.
 - a. 5 Oct 19 - Operation King Crab (CMF): <http://bit.ly/2LQ3a8H>
 - b. 4 Oct 19 - CTF150 (FS NIVOSE) achieved major drugs bust in Arabian Sea (CMF): <http://bit.ly/2IpTZKb>
 - c. 4 Oct 19 - Saudi Arabia pledges commitment to protecting global shipping (Hellenic Shipping News): <http://bit.ly/30Umqq4>
 - d. 2 Oct 19 - Safety in the Red Sea corridor can't be taken for granted (Institute for security studies): <http://bit.ly/2lrwArQ>
 - e. 30 Sep 19 - Photos: Royal Navy Escorts 7M Tonnes of Shipping Through Hormuz (Maritime Executive): <http://bit.ly/30MCM3K>



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ATTACKED, BOARDED OR HI-JACKED

- (1) **Attacked**
No incidents to report.
- (2) **Boarded**
No incidents to report.
- (3) **Hijacked**
No incidents to report.

VESSELS & PERSONS HELD CAPTIVE

Details of Vessel	Vessels held	Souls held	Date Taken
Merchant Vessels	0		
Fishing Boats	0		
Dhows	0	3	26/03/15
Total	0	3	

FUTURE EVENTS

Date	Event	Location
19 - 20 Nov 2019	SHADE	Bahrain
28 Nov 2019	MIEVOM	Dubai

LIAISON AND VISITS

2 Oct 19: Brigadier Hayward, New Zealand Defence Attache Middle East Region visited the Dubai Office.

If anyone wishes to visit our Dubai office or to arrange a briefing from UKMTO please contact Lt Cdr Chris Long E-mail: Dubai-oic@ukmto.org

ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF INFORMATION

- www.ukmto.org
- [MSCHOA](#)
- [Combined Maritime Forces \(CMF\)](#)
- [Middle East Navigation Aids Service \(MENAS\)](#)
- [United Kingdom Hydrographic Office](#)
- [IMB Live Piracy Reports](#)
- www.marad.dot.gov/MSCI
- [NATO Maritime Command \(MARCOM\)](#)
- www.maritimeworldsecurity.org

SHIPS BRIEFED

Date	Location	Vessel
30/09/2019	JEBEL ALI	GULF COBALT
30/09/2019	JEBEL ALI	UNION ERWIN
01/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	KSL XINYANG
01/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	MUZAH
03/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	TEAM HOPE
03/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	CMA CGM VELA
03/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	GMB ATHENA
03/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	COSCO SHIPPING PLANET
04/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	CARIBBEAN 1
04/10/2019	JEBEL ALI	LOUISE

WARNINGS

No Warnings issued.

ADVISORIES

No Advisories issued.



NOTES

For further information or queries regarding any UKMTO Warnings, Advisories or Notices ring: 0044 2392 222060. These Advisories are not classified as Maritime Security Events and have not been verified by UKMTO.

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