

UKMTO WARNING

084-26 - SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

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UKMTO has received a report of an incident 50NM south of Aden, Yemen.

A tanker travelling east in the IRTC has reported being approached by 6 small boats approaching from the starboard side. One small boat has closed to 5 cables and the AST on board the tanker has fired warning shots. The other 5 small boats have remained at 1NM.

Authorities are investigating.

Vessels are advised to transit with caution and report any suspicious activity to UKMTO.

