

# UKMTO WARNING 006/DEC/2023 – Update 001

## INCIDENT

**Incident Date:**  
**13/DEC/2023**

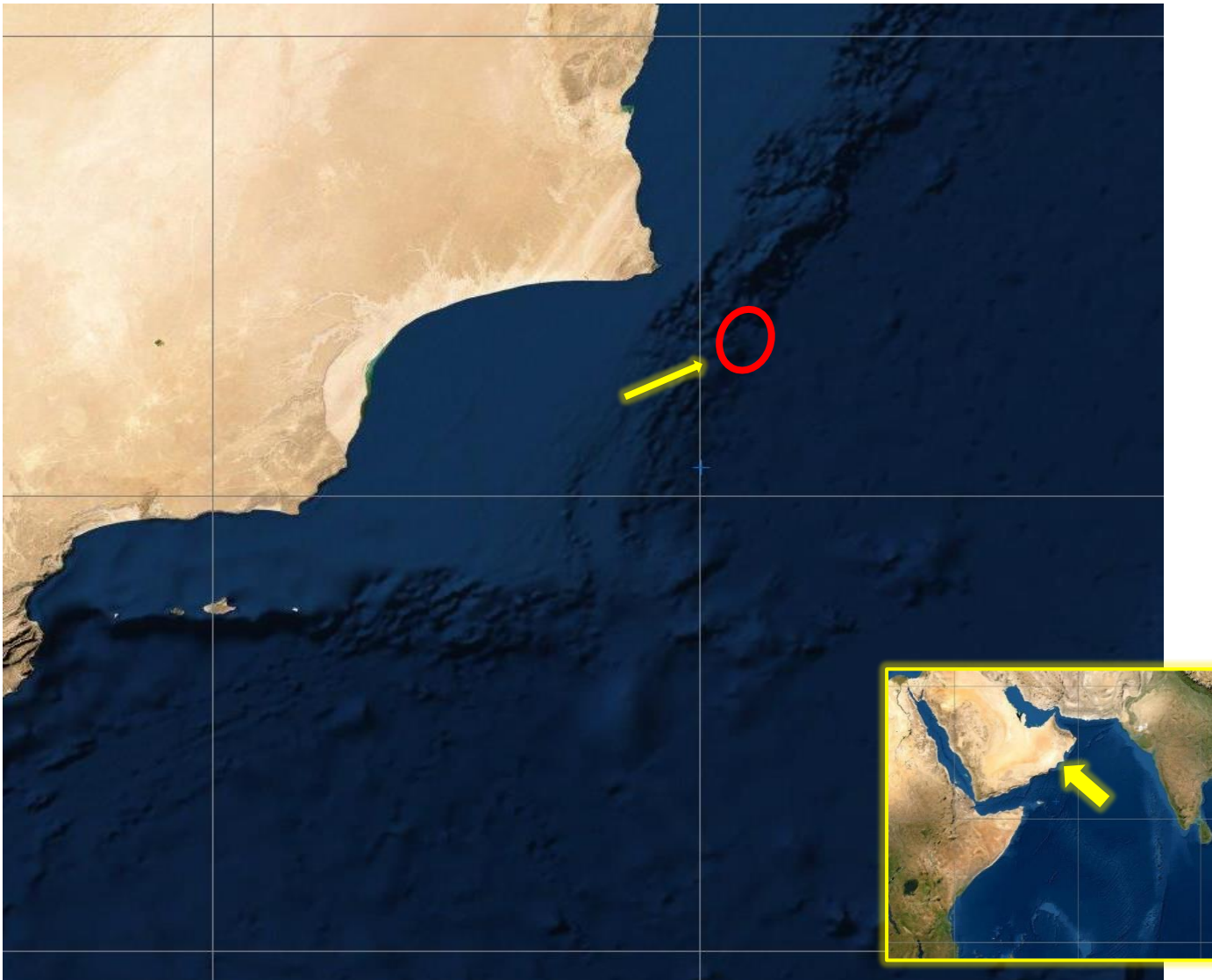
**Incident Time:**  
**0500UTC**

**Source:** Master

**Issued:** 13 Dec 2023 0800UTC

UKMTO has received a report that a Vessel 90 nm South of AL DUQM, was followed by 5 – 6 small boats for approx. 90 mins, the small boats had 3 POB and appeared to be in grey uniforms. The small boats had a machine gun mounted on the bow. Master reports the small boats had powerful outboards which can likely attain 25Kts. The small boats came to within 6-8 Cables.

The small boats have now cleared the area, the vessel and crew are safe.



**VESSELS TRANSITING THE AREA ARE ADVISED TO EXERCISE CAUTION**

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