

# UKMTO WARNING 008/DEC/2023 UPDATE 001

## BOARDING

**Incident Date:**  
**14/DEC/2023**

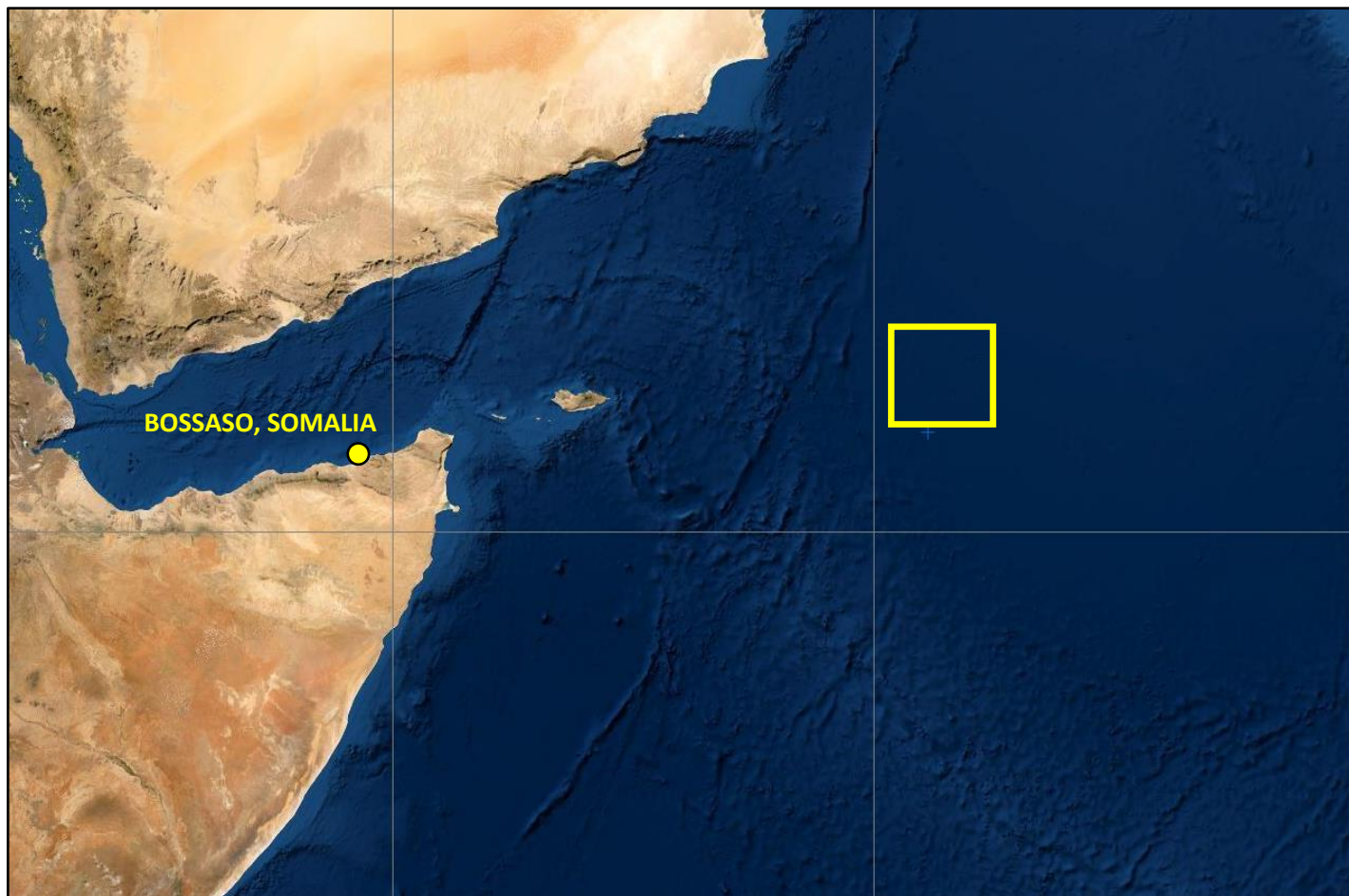
**Incident Time:**  
**1200UTC**

**Source: MASTER**

**Issued: 14 DEC 23 1500 UTC**

United Kingdom Maritime Trade Operations has received a report of a distress call heard over VHF of a vessel being boarded by unknown persons in the vicinity of 1203N 06120E, approximately 700nm east of Bossaso, Somalia. Authorities investigating.

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



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