

UKMTO

Weekly Report

11 - 17 Nov 17

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Command Overview

- 1. This week UKMTO has issued one advisory, see page 3 for details.
- 2. It was reported to UKMTO on 17 Nov that an MV transiting off the Somali coast was followed and approached at speed by a skiff. Vessel and crew are reported as being safe. Ref ADVISORY NOTICE 002/NOV/2017. Subsequent reporting indicated that an attempted boarding failed and that weapons were discharged at the vessel.
- 3. EUNAVFOR have assessed that, as at 1055hrs on 18 Nov 17, there is a possibility of a Pirate Action Group operating within a 150nm radius of 01-56s 047-23e. Full details can be found at the following link MSCHOA
- 4. There are reports that the Saudi led coalition will ease the restrictions presently in place for merchant vessels accessing Yemen ports. Articles (a) and (b) refer.
- 5. Combined Maritime Forces come to the aid of a sailor in medical need. Further details in article (c).

- 6. The Calling Notice has been issued for the next MIEVOM which will be held on Tuesday 28th November 2017 at the Dubai International Seafarer's Centre, al Mina Road, Dubai. As space at this venue is restricted, those wishing to attend should confirm their details to Dubai-op1@ukmto.org at their earliest convenience.
- 7. Open Source Media Articles of interest. UKMTO is not responsible for the accuracy of this reporting:
- a. 14 Nov 17 The Saudi-led coalition says that it will ease its blockade on Yemen
- http://bit.ly/2zbbD1m
- b. 14 Nov 17 The Coalition to Restore Legitimacy in Yemen Announces Resuming Humanitarian and Commercial Access to all Ports under the Control of the Legitimate Government of Yemen
- http://bit.ly/2ipkiTL
- c. 13 Nov 17 CMF warships provides urgent medical support to Iranian fishing vessel
- http://bit.ly/2iZSZP5





ATTACKED, BOARDED OR HI-JACKED

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

Vessels & persons under pirate control

| Details of Vessel | | No. Vessels held | No. Souls held | Date Taken |
|--------------------------|-------|------------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| Merchant Vessels | | 0 | | |
| Dhows/Fishing Vessels | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Dhow | | 8 | 26/03/15 |
| | Total | 0 | 8 | |

FUTURE EVENTS

| Date | Event | Location |
|--------------|--------|----------|
| 21-22 Nov 17 | SHADE | Bahrain |
| 28 Nov 17 | MIEVOM | Dubai |

LIAISON AND VISITS

No visitors this week.

Should anyone wish to visit our office in Dubai please contact Lt Cdr Beaton E-mail: dubai-oic@ukmto.org

ALTERNATIVE 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)

SHIPS BRIEFED

| Date | Location | Vessel |
|------------|-----------|----------------------|
| 12/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | JAG ROHAN |
| 12/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | MAGNUM POWER |
| 13/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | FPMC 17 |
| 13/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | EVER URANUS |
| 13/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | CARPE DIEM II |
| 13/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | HYUNDAI RESPECT |
| 14/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | GLOBAL KING |
| 14/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | EDITH MAERSK |
| 14/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | MSC MANYA |
| 14/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | LAUSANNE |
| 15/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | ZEALAND AMSTERDAM |
| 16/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | ENERGY CENTURION |
| 16/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | PRIGIPOS |
| 16/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | MAERSK HONG KONG |
| 17/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | RHODOS |
| 17/11/2017 | JEBEL ALI | NAVE ORION |

WARNINGS

No warnings issued this week.

ADVISORIES

002/NOV/2017

Category: Sighting

Description: At 0917UTC on 17 November 2017, an MV in position 0155.9S 04756.8E (363NMs off the Somali Coast) reported that 1 skiff with 4 POB with Weapons. Approached the MV at speed to within 1.6NM. Skiff has subsequently withdrawn. MV is SAFE.

NOTES

Any queries regarding these Advisory Notices ring: 0044 2392 222060 only, for further information.

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