

UKMTO

Weekly Report

17 - 23 Feb 2019

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Command Overview

1. UKMTO has issued no Advisories and no Warnings this week.

2. A US Navy and international maritime industry partnership exercise will take place from 3 -15 March 19. 'Lucky Mariner 2019' will exercise communications and simulated guidance to shipping in the Indian Ocean Voluntary Reporting Area (VRA). Merchant vessels are invited to participate in the exercise and register with the US Naval Co-operation and Guidance for Shipping (NCAGS) while transiting through Communications Reporting Gates (see page 3), adding NCAGS to existing position reports for the duration of the exercise. For more information and to register please contact US NCAGS watch centre email at cusnc.ncags@me.navy.mil tel. +973 3904-9583.

3. Open Source Media Articles of interest. UKMTO is not responsible for the accuracy of this reporting.

a. 23 Feb 19 - CMF: HMS Dragon conducts fifth drug seizure under CTF 150 Command: <https://bit.ly/2tCgun7>

b. 21 Feb 19 - 'Iran Launches Large-Scale Naval Drill Near Strait of Hormuz' (The Maritime Executive): <http://bit.ly/2GGcSZQ>

c. 21 Feb 19 - UK secures naval base in Oman (The Maritime Executive): <http://bit.ly/2XI6LPJ>

d. 19 Feb 19 - 'Chinese aim for Somalia's shores' (Daily Sabah): <http://bit.ly/2DSyaQ9>

e. 18 Feb 19 - 'Kenya Recalls Ambassador Over Boundary Dispute with Somalia' (The Maritime Executive): <http://bit.ly/2TVBz7M>



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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 UNDER PIRATE CONTROL

Details of Vessel	No. Vessels held	No. Souls held	Date Taken
Merchant Vessels	0		
Fishing Vessels	0		
Dhows	0	4	26/03/15
Total	0	4	

FUTURE EVENTS

Date	Event	Location
16 - 17 April 2019	SHADE	Bahrain
25 April 2019	MIEVOM	Dubai

LIAISON AND VISITS

20 Feb - UKMTO MNLO Chris Scothern, visited Capt Bob Buckham, GEM Office, Dubai.

Should anyone wish to visit our office in Dubai or arrange a briefing from UKMTO please contact Lt Cdr Chris Long 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 \(MARCOM\)](#)
- www.maritimeglobalsecurity.org

SHIPS BRIEFED

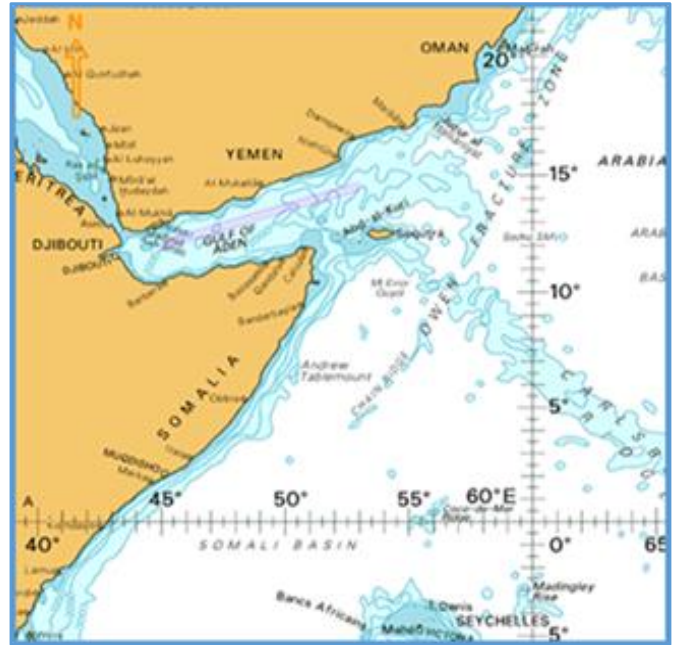
Date	Location	Vessel
17/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	MAERSK CHICAGO
17/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	EMIRATES HANA
17/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	KOTA KAYA
17/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	MOGRAL
18/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	APL TEMASEK
18/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	ANNAMARIA
18/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	CMA CGM MUSCA
18/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	PAOLO TOPIC
19/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	TORM HELENE
19/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	TORM CARINA
19/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	KAMOME VICTORIA
19/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	MAUD
21/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	LAKE STURGEON
21/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	WEMBLEY
21/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	GULF COAST
21/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	TORM SOVEREIGN
22/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	GLOBAL ARC
22/02/2019	JEBEL ALI	SSL BHARAT



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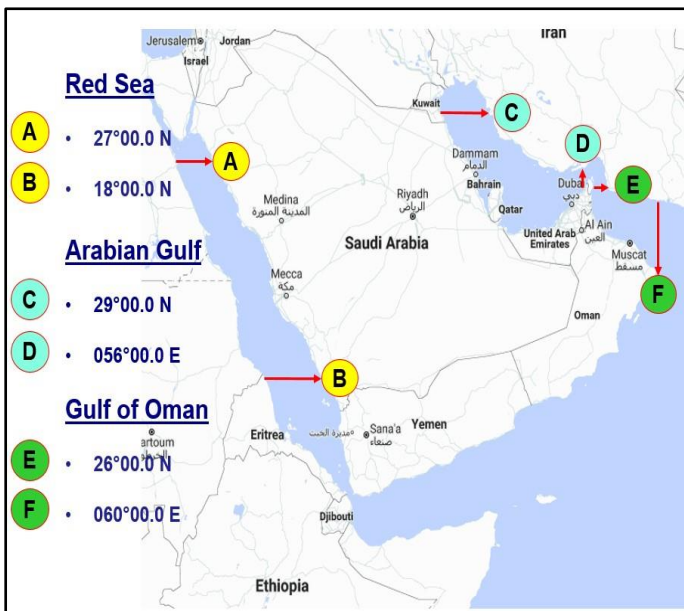


WARNINGS
No Warnings issued.
ADVISORIES
No Advisories issued.
NOTES
<p>For further information or queries regarding any UKMTO Warnings, Advisories or Notices ring: 0044 2392 222060.</p> <p>THESE ADVISORIES are not classified as a Maritime Security Events and have not been verified by UKMTO. This information is provided to inform maritime situational awareness for mariners operating in the region. UKMTO is not responsible for the accuracy of this reporting.</p>



US NCGAGS EX 'Lucky Mariner 2019'

Communications Reporting Gates



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