

December 2015

To the Members

Dear Sirs.

War and Piracy

We refer to our circular <u>L.252</u> War and Piracy dated March 2015. Following review by the Joint War Committee, the War Breach areas have been revised and amended as follows, and will apply with effect from 00:01 hours GMT 10th December 2015.

Amended:

Indian Ocean / Arabian Sea / Gulf of Aden / Gulf of Oman / Southern Red Sea

Deleted:

Bahrain, NE Borneo, Sulu Archipelago

The new list, incorporating the above, is as follows:

War listed areas:

Africa

Benin

Eritrea, but only South of 15° N

Gulf of Guinea, but only the waters of the Togolese, Beninese and Nigerian Exclusive Economic Zones north of Latitude 3° N

Libya

Nigeria

Somalia

Togo

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Waters as defined below

Asia

Pakistan

Indonesia / Malaysia / Philippines

The Port of Jakarta

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Middle East

Iran

Iraq, including all Iraqi offshore oil terminals

Israel

Lebanon

Saudi Arabia excluding transit

Syria

Yemen

South America

Venezuela, including all offshore installations in the Venezuelan EEZ

Definitions:

Named Countries shall include their coastal waters up to 12 nautical miles offshore, unless specifically varied above.

Named Ports shall include all facilities/terminals within areas controlled by the relevant port authority/ies (or as may be more precisely defined by Insurers) including offshore terminals/facilities, and all waters within 12 nautical miles of such but not exceeding 12 nautical miles offshore unless specifically stated.

Indian Ocean / Arabian Sea / Gulf of Aden / Gulf of Oman / Southern Red Sea

The waters enclosed by the following boundaries:

- a) On the north-west, by the Red Sea, south of Latitude 15° N
- b) on the west of the Gulf of Oman by Longitude 58° E
- c) on the east, Longitude 65° E
- d) and on the south, Latitude 12° S

excepting coastal waters of adjoining territories up to 12 nautical miles offshore unless otherwise provided.

K&R Breach areas remain unaltered, as follows:

K&R breach areas:

Area 1:

Indian Ocean/Gulf of Aden

Transit/breach area shall be: Gulf of Aden, Arabian Sea, Gulf of Oman, and Indian Ocean as an area enclosed by the following boundaries:

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- On the north-west, by the Red Sea, south of Latitude 15° North
- On the west of the Gulf of Oman at Longitude 58° East
- On the east, Longitude 78° East
- On the south. Latitude 12° South
- Waters between Mozambique and Madagascar (Mozambique channel) south of Latitude 12° South and north of Latitude 27° South.

Area 2:

Gulf of Guinea

Gulf of Guinea is deemed to be within 200 nautical miles of the coastlines of Nigeria, Ivory Coast, Ghana, Togo and Benin in any direction.

Details of the War and K&R cover which the Club is able to offer can be found at the following link:

http://www.steamshipmutual.com/underwriting/warrisk.htm

Members who would like a proposal for War or K&R cover are welcome to discuss this with their usual contacts at the Club.

Yours faithfully,

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