

## YEN YÜKSEK R SKL BÖLGE SINIRLARI

Yeni düzenlenen Yüksek Riskli Bölge s²n²rlar²:

A mevkinden (Somali K²y²lar² 01° 30qG Enlemi)

**B** mevkisine (01° 30qG . 046° 00qD), oradan

C mevkisine (01° 00qK . 049° 30qD), oradan

**D** mevkisine (09° 00qK . 055° 00qD), oradan

E mevkisine (14° 20qK . 057° 30qD), oradan

**F** mevkisine (053° 00qD Yemen K²y²lar²), oradan

Yemenin güney k²y²lar²n² takiben kuzeye do ru **G** mevkisine (Yemen Taraf² K²z²ldeniz, 15° 00qK Enlemi), oradan

**H** mevkisine (15<sup>o</sup> 00qK enlemindeki karasular²), oradan

Güneye do ru I mevkisine (Cibuti ile Somali arasandaki kara sanara), devamanda A mevkisine kadar olan alana kapsayacak ekilde daraltama tar.



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TO: MARINE COMMITTEE

Copy: All Full and Associate Members (for information)

## REVISIONS TO THE HIGH RISK AREA AND NEW THREAT ASSESSMENT **PROCESS**

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The new coordinates of the HRA, which will apply from 1 September 2021 are as follows:



- oFrom position A (Latitude of 01 30¢ on the Somali coast), a line to
- oPosition B (01° 30qS . 046° 00qE), a line to
- oPosition C (01° 00qN . 049° 30qE), a line to
- oPosition D (09° 00qN . 055° 00qE), a line to
- oPosition E (14° 20qN . 057° 30qE), a line to
- oPosition F (the Yemen coast at longitude 053° 00qE), then
- oFollow the Yemeni coast westwards and northwards.
- oPosition G (the Yemeni Red Sea coast at latitude 15° 00qN), then a line to
- oPosition H (the Eritrea territorial sea border at latitude 15° 00qN), then
- oFollow southwards first Eritreacs and then Djiboutics territorial sea borders, to
- oPosition I (the coastal border point between Djibouti and Somalia), then
- oFollow the Somali coast eastwards and then southwards, to
- oPosition A.

As previously advised, this is a temporary revision which will subsequently be replaced with a new process which defines security threats consistently wherever they exist worldwide, ensuring that owners and operators will be aware of the level of threat faced, and mitigation measures that can be applied to minimise their effects. The first output of this new process is planned for January 2021, and members will be consulted throughout its development.

It is noted that the proposed revisions were released on social media and in the trade press prior to the completion of the consultation process. Whilst it is unclear how this occurred, it should be recalled that the publication of material that has not been agreed can result in confusion for shipowners and seafarers and impede the secretariat and its partners in other associations in conducting its work thoroughly for the benefit of the members. It is hoped that such leaks will not occur when similar material is developed for consultation in the future.

Members are invited to note the information provided and to circulate it as appropriate. Any comments or questions to the undersigned (john.stawpert@ics-shipping.org).

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