

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**

Due to the extraordinary situation created by SARS-CoV-2 coronavirus crisis and in order to facilitate crew changes as well to ensure the continuity of maritime services, the Minister of Transport, Infrastructure and Communications updated measures regarding extension of validity of documents as follows:

**1. EXTENSION OF DOCUMENTS VALIDITY FOR SEAFARERS WHICH ARE ON BOARD OF VESSELS**

- 1.1 Certificates of competency and certificates of proficiency which will expire during seagoing service are accepted with a general extended validity until 1<sup>st</sup> of April 2021;
- 1.2 Medical certificates and seaman's books which will expire during seagoing service are accepted with a general extended validity until 1<sup>st</sup> of April 2021;
- 1.3 Endorsements issued by the RNA confirming or recognizing a certificate of competency/ certificate of proficiency which will expire during seagoing service are accepted with a general extended validity until 1<sup>st</sup> of April 2021;

**2. Contact for additional information**

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