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25<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2023

**TO: SHIP OWNERS, OPERATORS, RECOGNISED ORGANIZATIONS  
(RO'S & RSO), LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF TANZANIA  
ZANZIBAR REGISTERED SHIPS**

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**SUBJECT: ANCHORING OF MERCHANT SHIPS IN UAE WATERS**

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Zanzibar Maritime Authority urges all Tanzania Zanzibar registered ships **NOT** to anchor in UAE waters including Exclusive Economic Zone unless duly authorised by respective authorities of UAE.

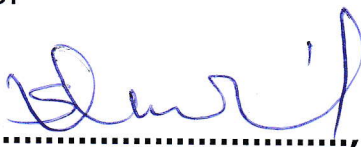
By this Circular, Tanzania Zanzibar registered ships are required to fully and effectively comply with FTA Circular No (10) of 2018 titled "Merchant ships anchorage regulations in UAE" **AND** any other lawful instruction issues by the relevant authorities of UAE.

Furthermore, all Tanzania Zanzibar registered ships are strongly urged to ensure that at all time while within UAE waters or elsewhere the AIS is switched on and functioning accordingly.

**NOTE:** Failure by any Tanzania Zanzibar registered ships to comply with the requirements of this Circular the defaulted ship shall be liable to the punishment as prescribed under the Laws of Zanzibar.

Strictly compliance is highly anticipated.

**Effective date:** The Circular shall be deemed to become effective on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2023.

**Signed and attested by:** ....., Registrar of Ships

**Issuing authority:** Zanzibar Maritime Authority.

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