



Risk Assessment Solutions

“Prevent, Don’t Cure”

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Subject: Caribbean MOU Campaign 2014 - Important Port State Control Issue!

In connection to our “**Don’t Cure, Prevent**” policy, we would like to inform our clients that **from 1st September 2014 until 30th November 2014**, the Maritime Authorities of the Caribbean Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) on Port State Control (PSC) will implement a Concentrated Inspection Campaign (CIC).

This Campaign aims to ensure compliance with **SOLAS Chapter II-2** and the **International Code of for Fire Safety Systems (FSS)**. Furthermore, it intends to verify the readiness of the firefighting equipment and the familiarization of the master, officers and crew with fire safety related issues.

During regular PSC inspections selected items will be inspected in more detail for compliance with SOLAS Chapter II-2 and the FSS Code. A **Questionnaire** of 11 selected items relating to documentation, equipment, and crew familiarization will be applied by the Port State Control Officers. (*see the attached US Coast Guard Marine Inspection Notice/ Questionnaire*)

Our company is offering a wide range of 'deficiencies', case studies, clarification on the MLC provisions through our Training Activities which are delivered on regular intervals in our office or in-house, at client's request.

We remain at your disposal for more details,

Prevention at Sea