



# MARITIME POLICE INTERNATIONAL

## Anti Piracy Measures

### Items To Report If Attacked

Ship:

Flag:

Date/Time:

Your Present Location:

GPS Coordinates:

Heading:

Planned Destination:

Any Serious Injuries:

Any Major Damage:

Number Of Attacking Vessels:

Number Of Pirates:

Visible Weapons/Equipment:

- Pistols
- Rifles
- Automatic Weapons
- Rockets/Grenades/Launchers
- Radios/Phones
- Other-Specify:

Additional Notes:

### Requirements To Prevent Pirate Boarding

- 1- Avoid known piracy problem regions.
- 2- Do not leave boarding ladders down while under way, secure all doors and hatches.
- 3- Train to use whatever equipment you have available to prevent boarding, including fire hoses. Practice all emergency drills.
- 4- Designate and prepare a Safe Room that can only be locked from the inside-consider engineering for access to ship controls.
- 5- Store food, water, lighting, first aid, batteries and communications equipment in Safe Room.
- 6- Post 24 hour lookouts with 360 degree coverage.
- 7- Maintain full speed ahead.
- 8- Be suspicious of any approaching vessel.
- 9- Report highly suspicious vessels or any attacks.
- 10- Sound alarm and initiate emergency drill.
- 11- Activate duress signals and call for help.
- 12- Take evasive action if approached or fired upon.
- 13- DO NOT STOP-Accelerate full speed ahead.
- 14- Continue taking drastic evasive actions until safe.

### Recommendations To Avoid Pirate Boarding

- 1- Coordinate travel with military and law enforcement assets in the region.
- 2- Travel in a convoy, preferably in an escorted/protected convoy.
- 3- Carry defensive capabilities onboard, including armed security measures to prevent boarding.
- 4- Have emergency response capabilities available, including military or law enforcement assets.
- 5- Seek professional assistance in dealing with this growing threat.

### Emergency Contact Numbers

Law Enforcement Phone:

Radio Frequency:

Military Coordination Phone:

Radio Frequency:

Emergency Notification Phone:

Radio Frequency:

Piracy Reporting Phone-IMB: 60 3 2031 0014

### If Boarded By Pirates

- 1- Sound Alarms. Cut all engines and generators-Dead In The Water.
- 2- Black out interior lighting, including emergency lights. Retreat to Safe Room.
- 3- Account for all personnel.
- 4- Secure and lock Safe Room.
- 5- Contact Emergency or Military Notification Hotline. Inform them that the crew is secured in a Safe Room, or other status if applicable.
- 6- DO NOT NEGOTIATE with pirates.
- 7- DO NOT LEAVE OR OPEN Safe Room for any reason before rescue has been confirmed.
- 8- Follow all responding Military or Law Enforcement Officials directions.

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