



ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES

MARITIME ADMINISTRATION

CIRCULAR N° GEN 004

VESSELS INTENDING TO ANCHOR OFF THE PORT OF SINGAPORE

TO: SHIPOWNERS & SHIPS' OPERATORS & MANAGERS, MASTERS

APPLICABLE TO: All vessels intending to anchor off the port of Singapore
ENTRY INTO FORCE: DATE OF THE PRESENT CIRCULAR

Monaco, 15th April 2009

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Maritime Administration strongly recommend to the vessels intending to be anchored off the port of Singapore to contact the relevant local authorities in order to obtain an anchor position.

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Maritime would like to remind all Saint Vincent and the Grenadines registered vessels that the anchoring in the Traffic Separation Scheme (TSS) is not allowed.

Furthermore, the anchor position should be far from all submarine and undersea cables. Owners of the damaged undersea cables will hold the ship fully liable for any damage to their cables.

In addition MPA will investigate and prosecute the Owners, Masters and/or local agents of any ships who would cause damage to undersea cables or pipelines within the port of Singapore and its approaches.