NOTICE TO MARITIME INDUSTRY ORGANISATIONS AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES

 Notice No 02/2012

Amended Indexed Maximum Amount for Funeral Expenses
(Effective 1 July 2011)

1. This Notice revokes and replaces the compensation entitlements for section 30(2) ‘Funeral expenses – maximum’ prescribed by Seacare Notice No. 07/2011 issued on 6 December 2011.

2. All other compensation benefit amounts prescribed by Seacare Notice No. 07/2011 remain effective from 1 July 2011.

3. Seacare Notice No. 07/2011 included a maximum amount of $10,412.50 for funeral expenses. This is the maximum amount for funeral expenses prescribed by the Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1988 (SRC Act) and not the maximum amount for funeral expenses prescribed by the Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1992 (Seafarers Act).

4. The correct amount applicable effective from 1 July 2011 is:

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<th>Nature of Compensation Benefit</th>
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<td>30(2)</td>
<td>Funeral expenses – maximum</td>
<td>5,662.54</td>
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5. Compensation for funeral expenses should be calculated under section 30(2) of the Seafarers Act using the above amount.

6. Any enquiries relating to this notice may be directed to the Seacare Management Section.

Seacare Management Section
Comcare
23 May 2012