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Dear Mr. Payne:

DIGITAL ADMIRALTY NOTICES TO MARINERS

I am pleased to inform you that, after following your progress in the development of digital data services and the successful trials conducted with the UK Maritime & Coastguard Agency (MCA), the Office of the Maritime Administrator for the Marshall Islands will now recognize the ChartCo electronic courier service as satisfying the carriage requirement for notices to mariners under Marshall Islands Maritime Regulation 7.41.11 and Regulation 20 of Chapter V of the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) Convention.

We are currently in the process of updating our Marine Notices. Marine Notice 7-041-2 on Safety of Navigation will be revised to reflect this recognition.

Sincerely,

Capt. Thomas F. Heinan  
Deputy Commissioner of Maritime Affairs  
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cc: Capt. D.J.F. Bruce  
International Registries (UK) Ltd.

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Approved, on time, up to date