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MSTSPAC NOTICE 2390

From: Commander Military Sea Transportation Service, Pacific Area  
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Subj: International Radio Call Signs; improper use of

Ref: (a) COMSTS INST 2110.2, para 3.19.b. (MSTS Communication Manual)

1. Purpose. To direct compliance with the requirements of reference (a).

2. Background. The increasing number of messages received from ships in which the ship's International Radio Call Sign is used for the originator and clear text for the addressees, indicates that Radio Officers are not complying with reference (a) which prohibits the use of clear text addressees together with call signs.

3. Action. Masters of USNS Ships are directed to ensure that all messages are transmitted in accordance with the provisions of reference (a).

4. Duration. This notice is cancelled when information has been disseminated to all communication personnel and for record purposes on 1 Dec 1954.

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