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DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
MILITARY SEA TRANSPORTATION SERVICE, PACIFIC AREA
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3 February 1966

MSTSPAC NOTICE 12721

From: Commander Military Sea Transportation Service, Pacific Area
To: Distribution List

Subj: Exclusive recognition and negotiated agreements with the Military Sea Transport Union (MSTU); extension of

Ref: (a) CMPI 721.2-5e(1)
(b) CMPI 721.2-7e(2)(d)

1. Purpose. The purpose of this notice is to announce the extension of exclusive recognition, as provided in reference (a), to subject employee organization, and to announce the extension of subject agreements which were negotiated in accordance with reference (b).

2. Background. Exclusive recognition was originally granted to MSTU on 20 September 1963 in a unit comprising all civilian marine steward officers employed by COMSTSPAC and on 5 June 1964 in a unit comprising all non-officer civilian marine personnel employed by COMSTSPAC. Effective 18 December 1965, the exclusive recognition in these units was extended for an additional one-year period ending 17 December 1966. Also, effective 18 December 1965, the two written agreements covering these units, which were negotiated between COMSTSPAC and MSTU on 18 December 1964, were extended for an additional one-year period ending 17 December 1966, as provided for in Article XII of the agreements.

3. Action. Masters shall:

a. Ensure that copies of the two basic agreements are maintained in the ships' permanent files.

b. Ensure that copies of the two basic agreements are available for employees in the units who may wish to borrow them for reference purposes.

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c. Continue to forward promptly two copies of all grievances filed by steward officers and non-officer personnel, and subsequent shipboard actions thereon, to COMSTSPAC (P-2) in compliance with the provisions of Article V of the basic agreements.

d. Request the assistance of COMSTSPAC (P-2), as needed, for interpretation of the provisions appearing in the basic agreements.

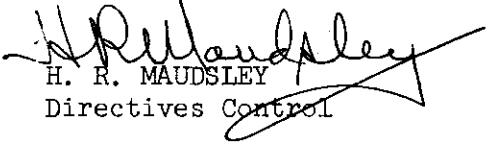
4. Cancellation. This notice is cancelled upon termination of the agreements but no later than 31 December 1966.

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