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AMENDMENT – INTERNATIONAL ICE PATROL SERVICES – 2009

1 At the request of the Government of the United States, the attached amendment to the Announcement of the 2009 International Ice Patrol Services (SN.1/Circ.277) is brought to the attention of Member Governments.

2 Member Governments are requested to bring this information to the attention of shipowners and shipmasters and other parties concerned, advising them to be guided by the attached announcement.



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Dear Sir or Madam:

The International Ice Patrol (IIP) is experiencing organizational delays in our transition to our New London office. With regard to our 2009 Announcement of Services (AOS), please continue to use our old Plain Language Address "COMINTICEPAT GROTON CT" for all ice and weather reports until further notice. All other changes noted in bold of our AOS have been effected.

If you have any feedback on these changes or any other unrelated recommendations, we welcome your input. My point of contact is LT Kellee Nolan, who can be reached via phone at (860) 271-2626, via fax at (860) 271-2773, or via email at Kellee.M.Nolan@uscg.mil. Thank you for your cooperation, and we look forward to working with you during the 2009 Ice Season.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. D. Rogerson", written over a horizontal line.

S. D. ROGERSON
Commander, International Ice Patrol