



26 February 2021

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Dear Sir/Madam

UPDATE OF THE IOTC IUU VESSELS LIST

Please find attached a communication from Thailand, which provides information on the disposal of the carrier vessel, UTHAIWAN (ex-WISDOM SEA REEFER), which was listed in the IOTC IUU Vessels List. Also included in the communication from Thailand is a copy of the original Disposal Certificate (in Bengali) and an unofficial translation of the certificate into English.

In line with the recommendation of the Compliance Committee (CoC17), which was endorsed by the Commission (S24), the IOTC IUU Vessels List has been updated to reflect the removal of the carrier vessel, UTHAIWAN (ex-WISDOM SEA REEFER). The updated IOTC IUU Vessels List can be accessed HERE.

Yours sincerely

Christopher O'Brien Executive Secretary

Attachment:

• Communication from Thailand

Distribution

IOTC Contracting Parties: Australia, Bangladesh, China, Comoros, Eritrea, European Union, France (Territories), India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Rep of), Japan, Kenya, Rep. of Korea, Madagascar, Malaysia, Maldives, Mauritius, Mozambique, Oman, Pakistan, Philippines, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Sudan, United Rep. of Tanzania, Thailand, United Kingdom, Yemen. Cooperating Non-Contracting Parties: Liberia, Senegal. Intergovernmental Organisations, Non-Governmental Organisations. Chairperson IOTC. Copy to: FAO Headquarters, FAO Representatives to CPCs.

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Department of Fisheries Kaset Klang, Chatuchak Paholyothin Road, Bangkok 10900 Thailand

25 February B.E. 2564 (2021)

Dear Mr. Christopher O' Brien,

Subject: Notify of the Progress for Scrapping of UTHAIWAN

According to the Report of the 24th Session of the Indian Ocean Tuna Commission (S24), paragraph 61, the Commission endorsed the recommendation that the carrier vessel, UTHAIWAN (ex-WISDOM SEA REEFER), be deleted from the IOTC IUU Vessels List upon receipt of proof that the vessel has been scrapped.

In this connection, the Department of Fisheries of Thailand would like to inform you that MV UTHAIWAN, Mongolian-flagged with the IMO number 7637527 has already completed the disposal procedure at Chittagong, Bangladesh since 30th January 2021. The disposal certificate of UTHAIWAN is enclosed for your reference.

Your kindly update on the above matter is highly appreciated. In addition, we also would like to urge the Secretariat to circulate this information to all IOTC contracting and cooperating non-contracting parties at your earliest convenience.

Please be assured of our full cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

(Mr. Bancha Sukkaew)
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For Director-General

Enclosure: As stated

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Unofficial Translation

Authorized by Ministry of Industries
GreenTech Safety Agency,
Disposal Certificate

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Date: 09/02/21

already completed the disposal procedure of its imported ship, MV UTHAIWAN, IMP No. 7637527, L.D.T. 1798.56MT dated Breaking and Ship Clearing Rule 2011 and International Hong Kong International Convention 2009. procedure and certifies that MS ASIAN MARINE SHIPYARD completed all disposal procedures as per the regulation under the Ship ASIAN MARINE SHIPYARD, who have both vocational and practical knowledge. Green Tech Safety Agency inspected the disposal 30.01.2021 after anchoring, receipt, storage, disposal & handling of hazardous waste by the safety experts and skilled workers of MS This is to certify that MS ASIAN MARINE SHIPYARD, Address M. SONAICHARI BARAWLIA, SITAKAND, Chittagong, has

safety agency The 'Tracking Report' of the above-mentioned ship's Hazardous/Explosive items is filled properly by the yard and submitted to this

On behalf of the Managing Director of Green Tech Safety Agency 09-02-21

Authorized Safety Agency by the Government

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