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NAVPHIL 072/15 – SULU SEA – METEOROLOGY AND OCEANOGRAPHY SURVEY

TOTAL E&P PHILS WILL CONDUCT, STARTING 08 NOVEMBER 2015 AND FOR AROUND FIVE (5) DAYS, SEA AND WEATHER PERMITTING, THEIR METEOROLOGY AND OCEANOGRAPHY (METOCEAN) SURVEY IN SOUTH SULU SEA AS PART OF THEIR PETROLEUM EXPLORATION ACTIVITIES. THEY WILL BE UTILIZING "RPS'S SS BARAKUDA" AS METOCEAN SURVEY VESSEL. METOCEAN SURVEY'S MOORING LINE IN A DEPTH OF WATER APPROXIMATELY 3,200 METERS BELOW CHART DATUM. IS LOCATED AT POSITION:

06° 29' 10.00" N., 119° 19' 16.00" E.

(Charts affected: 4200, 4707)

SAFETY ZONE – A "NO-GO AREA" IS ESTABLISHED WITHIN 5 NAUTICAL MILES FROM THE ABOVE POSITION.

ALL SHIPS/WATERCRAFTS TRANSITING THE VICINITY OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED AREA ARE ADVISED TO TAKE NOTE OF THE INFORMATION AND TAKE NECESSARY PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES.


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