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PHILIPPINE NAVY (PN) VESSEL BRP GREGORIO DEL PILAR WAS REPORTEDLY RAN AGROUND LAST 29 AUGUST 2018 ON HASA-HASA SHOAL OR AT THE FOLLOWING POSITION:

08° 54' 10"N., 116° 16' 30"E.

A RETRIEVAL OPERATION IS BEING CONDUCTED TO REMOVE THE SAID VESSEL FROM THE SHOAL.

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

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