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Maritime Circular to Maritime Registrars, Shipowners, Masters, Managers & Operators of St. Kitts & Nevis Ships, Classification Societies, Recognised Organisations, Recognised Security Organisations, Surveyors of Ships & Flag State Inspectors to this Administration, Seafarers & IMO Member States

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COUNTRY NAME ON STATUTORY CERTIFICATES

The Constitution of our nation states that it may be styled 'Saint Christopher and Nevis' or 'Saint Kitts and Nevis' or the 'Federation of Saint Christopher and Nevis' or the 'Federation of Saint Kitts and Nevis'.

In general practice, 'Saint Christopher' is shortened to 'St. Kitts'.

Therefore, Statutory and other Certification issued by the Registrar according to the Merchant Shipping Act No. 24 of 2002 and that issued by Recognised Organisations or Authorised Surveyors of Ships shall bear the country name;

St. Kitts & Nevis

Please be guided accordingly.

Yours truly,

Nigel E Smith
International Registrar of Shipping and Seamen