



**CYPRUS SHIPPING CHAMBER**

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**To: All Members**

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## **Circular No. 01/2024**

Dear Member,

### **New Year Message**

As we embark on the New Year, we want to take a moment to thank you for your strong support over the year that passed and invite you to continue working closely together, to enable further progress and growth, taking Cyprus Shipping to new heights in 2024.

2024 marks also of the successful completion of 35 years since the Chamber's establishment. In view of this year, which is a landmark in its long history and multifaceted contribution to the Cyprus Shipping, Economy and Society in general, the Chamber will host various business, social and charity events to commemorate this occasion and we shall soon revert to advise our Members on same.

The world around us is changing rapidly, including Shipping, and we shall again be on the forefront of developments enhancing even more our mission to continue playing an instrumental role in local, international and European Shipping affairs to safeguard our Members' legitimate interests by rolling out important initiatives enabling progressing on our Chamber's policy matters.

Working closely together, we made good progress toward our strategic goals despite significant challenges, such as geopolitics, trade disruptions, sanctions, and new regulations, forging the path of progress and sustainability of our Shipping sector. We also worked diligently to secure our "voice" regionally and internationally and we have established excellent close relations with the Cyprus Government and particularly with our associates at the Shipping Deputy Ministry and we are able to communicate the Chamber's positions effectively and directly to the decision-makers.

We are well aware of the Shipping operational and policy challenges our Members, its land based staff and seafarers are facing from geopolitical developments, the effects from the war in Ukraine and Middle East to local operational issues to global environmental regulations and more. We want to remind you that we are here for you and ready to push even harder for a more sustainable and resilient Cyprus Shipping Industry.



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What is clear to us, is that we would not have achieved repeated success through the years without your support and cooperation. We therefore, urge our Members to continue engaging closely with us, come forward with their needs, continue contributing with their expertise and specialised Shipping knowledge in our Board of Directors, Committees and representing the Chamber abroad in various Shipping associations, interact with us during our business and social functions and help us give back to Cyprus society through the Chamber's charity activities.

We assure you that in this New Year, our Chamber will continue, as always, to passionately serve its Members and will remain vigilant to face any challenges ahead towards the personal and business prosperity of our Members.

**As always, we also welcome any suggestions/criticism/recommendations from Members as to how the Chamber in general, and the Secretariat in particular, can improve further their services in the year ahead.**

Let us "Navigate" once again Cyprus Shipping towards a successful year, "Sea" fruitful outcomes and progress in our endeavors, and make 2024 a "Cyprus Shipping" Year to Remember. Wishing you a Blessed New Year!

With best regards,

Yours faithfully,

Thomas A. Kazakos  
Director General

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