IM NO.	IM 64/26	DATE	May 20, 2026
SUBJECT	QMS Changes: Revision of WI4.3 Handling of PSC Inspections & Detentions_2-4		
REFERENCES	N/A	REFERS TO	PHRS Head Office Staff and Exclusive Surveyors of INTL Network

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Please be informed of the latest QMS updates:

WI4.3 Handling of PSC Inspections & Detentions_2-4 has been **revised** to further clarify PHRS actions in cases of PSC detention.

This revision provides additional guidance on the initial assessment of detainable deficiencies, coordination of PHRS attendance, and **arrangement of an occasional survey** before the vessel's departure from the port of detention, as far as practicable. It also clarifies the required follow-up actions where a detention order is lifted without PHRS attendance, including the obligation of ship-owners/managers to arrange PHRS attendance at the soonest convenient port.

Furthermore, the revised instruction defines the scope and purpose of the occasional survey, including verification of deficiencies, assessment of the vessel's actual condition, and confirmation of the continued validity of Class and/or Statutory certification. Where deficiencies are related to ISM Code implementation, an additional ISM/SMC audit may also be conducted, as applicable.

The revision also clarifies possible escalation measures where the required occasional survey is not completed.

The revised WI4.3 is available on MIS/B2B Library under Library\QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM\2. QUALITY PROCEDURES - WORKING INSTRUCTIONS\QP.4_TECHNICAL DIVISION\WIs.

REQUIRED ACTION: Please acknowledge receipt and understanding of **IM 64/26** by **27/05/26**