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Circular letter to:

- 1. All companies having registered their ships under the flag of Antigua and Barbuda W.I.**
- 2. All ships registered under the flag of Antigua and Barbuda W.I.**

1. The Department of Marine Services and Merchant Shipping wish to draw the attention of Companies, masters and officers to routeing measures other than TSSs which enter into force:

1.1. on 1 June 2001 for a mandatory **no anchoring area for Flower Garden Banks in the north-western Gulf of Mexico.**

1.2. on 1 December 2003:

- **recommended routes off the Mediterranean Coast of Egypt**
- **recommended tracks and a precautionary area for the Southern Red Sea**
- **recommendation on navigation through the Gulf of Finland**
- **amended recommendation on navigation through the entrances to the Baltic Sea**

1.3. on 1 December 2004:

- **the new mandatory area to be avoided off the north-east coast of New Zealand**
- **the new two-way route in the Great North-East Channel of the Torres Strait, off the north-east coast of Australia**
- **the area to be avoided in the Paracas national reserve (Peru).**

2. The relevant positions and other specific data are to be taken from the appropriate nautical publications.

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