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MDAT – GoG
Weekly Report 36-19
30th August – 06th September 2019

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OVERVIEW

INFORMATION TO READ

MDAT – GoG reports are primarily based upon information sent by vessels using the Voluntary Reporting Scheme. Masters and CSOs are encouraged to report as early as possible, events or sightings with as much detail as possible to allow MDAT-GOG to initiate the appropriate response. Sometimes incomplete reports cause delay to the issue of Warnings or Advisories and our ability to contact Local Law Enforcement assets for assistance. Masters are requested to call MDAT-GOG (+33 298 228888) at the time of any incident occurring. This phone number is monitored permanently (24/7).

It is requested the Masters contact MDAT-GOG as soon as possible to facilitate quick actions by the MDAT-GOG and their regional contacts.

Details can be found on SHOM Chart 8801CSD or UKHO Chart Q6114, 30 June 2016, to allow them to report their vessels when transiting the revised Voluntary Reporting Area (VRA), also described on both security charts with the MDAT-GOG, using the email address watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org

Companies / Ships Exercises: MDAT-GOG would like to extend an invitation to Companies / CSOs to be included in Company led exercises/drills. Please do not hesitate to contact the MDAT-GOG in advance of the exercise. The Exercise telephone number is +33 298 221302. As this keeps the Live Emergency Line free.

One event has been reported to MDAT-GoG this week.

CONTACT

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E-mail: watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org
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Phone: +33 (0) 2 98 22 13 02 (exercise)
Phones and mail are monitored 24/7.
URL: Https://gog-mdat.org

ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Naval Oceanic and Hydrographic Service (SHOM)
United Kingdom Hydrographic Office (UKHO)
IMB Live Piracy Reports
Global Counter Maritime

Fair winds and following seas!
UPDATE FROM MDAT-GOG

MDAT –GOG has launched a website reporting incidents reported to MDAT in Gulf of Guinea. You can also download MDAT Reports Productions such as Weekly, Monthly and Biannual from this website.

URL: https://gog-mdat.org

Please find attached to this report, the information notice of Douala Port Authority concerning the embarkation of a military security team on board at Douala Anchorage.
### Weekly events

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<th>Type</th>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Brgr/Rge from nearest port</th>
<th>Summary of event</th>
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<tr>
<td>THEFT</td>
<td>04/09/2019</td>
<td>Pointe Noire, REPUBLIC OF CONGO</td>
<td>On the 04th September 2019 at 0040UTC, at Pointe Noire Anchorage (04°47′28S–011°47′40E), unauthorised men were observed on board an MV (NAME WITHHELD) by the security team. The alarm was raised and a search investigation was set by the crew without finding any intruder. Crew and ship were reported safe.</td>
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## WEEKLY EVENTS

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<tr>
<td>(1) Hijack</td>
<td>Nil incident</td>
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<td>(2) Attack</td>
<td>Nil incident</td>
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<td>(3) Boarding</td>
<td>Nil incident</td>
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<td>(4) Suspicious approach</td>
<td>Nil incident</td>
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<td>(5) Robbery – Sea theft</td>
<td>1 incident</td>
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<td>(6) Sighting – Irregular activity</td>
<td>Nil incident</td>
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## WARNINGS

Nil WARNING Notice issued this week

## ADVISORIES

Nil ADVISORY Notice issued this week

## MARITIME CRIME

One Maritime Criminal Activity reported this week

**REPUBLIC OF CONGO, Pointe-Noire: THEFT.**

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Sea State Forecast w/c 06th September 2019

Friday 06 September at 12Z

Saturday 07 September at 12Z

Sunday 08 September at 12Z

Monday 09 September at 12Z

Tuesday 10 September at 12Z

Wednesday 11 September at 12Z

Sea State (Mtrs)

- <0.5
- 0.5-1.25
- 1.25-2.5
- 2.5-4
- 4-6
NOTE D'INFORMATION N° DCAP/DG/PAD DU 22 AOUT 2013
Relative aux mesures de sûreté au profit des navires mouillant à la Bouée Base.

Les consignataires et armateurs de navires fréquentant le Port de Douala sont informés qu'il a été mis en place une opération de sécurisation des navires qui consiste à l'embarquement des équipes de sûreté du BIR à bord de tous les navires dès leur arrivée à la zone de mouillage (Bouée de base B9) jusqu'à leur accostage au quai sollicité.

Cette opération qui est menée pour une durée indéterminée est totalement gratuite.

Il est demandé aux capitaines et équipages des navires de bien vouloir collaborer avec les agents affectés à cette mission afin de garantir le succès de l'opération.

THE HARBOUR MASTER,