

## PERMANENT REPRESENTATION OF ROMANIA TO THE EUROPEAN UNION

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Ref: Update on measures adopted by the Romanian authorities relating to seafarers' documents

Dear Ms Markovčić Kostelac,

Dear Ms Kopczynska,

Further to our previous correspondence concerning measures adopted with a view to ensuring the continuity of maritime services during the COVID-19 pandemic crisis, I would hereby like to inform you that the national competent authorities have decided to extend the validity of all documents certifying the competencies required to perform duties on board seagoing vessels and of medical and psychological certificates until 1<sup>st</sup> of April 2021 for seafarers operating on board seagoing vessels.

Yours sincerely,

Chargé d'affaires a.i.

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Ms Magda Kopczynska, Director D- Waterborne, DG MOVE, European Commission

Cc: Permanent Representations of EU Member States