

Medical Examination of Divers – Middle East & India Initiative

A group of diving contractors in the ME&I region has now further updated its list of jointly recognised doctors and has asked IMCA to publicise the attached note.

While IMCA is not in a position to approve or recognise doctors (for clarity, **no doctor is 'IMCA approved'**), IMCA welcomes this contractor initiative and is pleased to publicise the agreement, a copy of which is attached.

This list supersedes all previously published lists.

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Recognition of Doctors to Perform Medical Examination of Divers

Middle East & India Region

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- 1) This list is issued jointly by the following diving contractors:

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Boskalis Offshore – Middle East & India

CCC (Underwater Engineering)

Dulam International Ltd

FSDS LLP

Halul Offshore Services Company

Integrated Subsea Engineering & Services LLC

International Marine Works – Alexandria

International Naval Works – Abu Dhabi

IRSHAD

Khalifa A Alghosaibi Diving & Marine Services

Maridive & Oil Services

Maridive Offshore Projects

McDermott International Inc

Mermaid Subsea Services LLC

Mutawa Marine Works LLC

Petroleum Marine Services Co

Smit Lamnalco

Supreme Hydro Engineering Pvt Ltd

Timsah Shipbuilding Company

- 2) With no international body currently providing a suitable system for approval of doctors to conduct medical examination of divers, the above-listed diving contractors wish to jointly recognise the following doctors for such purposes.

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Notes

- 1) In developing this list, the above-listed diving contractors have used guidance passed on by the International Marine Contractors Association (IMCA) via its Information Note 428 (IMCA D 20/01) – Medical examiners of divers. However, it is recognised that IMCA is not in a position to approve individual diving doctors.
- 2) This joint recognition of the above-listed doctors will continue until such a time as an alternative arrangement has been made regarding the approval of diving doctors.
- 3) The above-listed diving contractors welcome the development of an approval scheme by the Diving Medical Advisory Committee (DMAC) and the Medical Subcommittee of the European Diving Technology Committee (EDTCmed) as set out in guidance note DMAC 29 Rev. 3 – Approval of Diving Medicine Courses.
- 4) The above-listed diving contractors hereby ask IMCA to circulate this Information Note to its members for their information.
- 5) Contractors who refer to this Information Note are made aware that in the event of a doctor being removed from this list, the doctor's details will remain for a period of one year for purposes of verification against an entry of fitness to dive made in a diver's logbook.
- 6) Contractors are encouraged to inform IMCA of any changes to the status of the doctors listed on this Information Note.