

# *For a safer sea*

## *Reference for the private companies proposing the ships' protection against piracy*

*A new solution to evaluate private maritime security companies,  
for the benefit of the maritime industry players*

- The shipowners and the charterers (protection of the ships)
- The insurance companies (hull, cargo and environment)
- The ships' crews (human life protection)



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## How?

By formalizing a commitment of the private security company towards the ship's operator to:

- Respect the Master overriding authority
- Guarantee the application of the Engagement Rules previously agreed upon
- Ensure the crises' communication means with the Company
- Satisfy the Flag Administrations' requirements and instructions

through

- The application of a specific Quality Standard
- The respect of the good practices
- The conformity with all related IMO recommendations

### International reference:

After validation, the private company will be listed in the BV Register of Private Maritime Security Companies.

## AN AGREEMENT BASED ON A COMBINED EXPERTISE IN SECURITY

### BUREAU VERITAS

- Marine expertise
- Reference in Rules & Regulations
- Experience in certification
- International network
- Experience in schemes for quality management systems
- Recognised Security Organisation

### SECURYMIND

- Maritime expertise
- Experience in piracy countermeasures
- Experience in the employment of armed teams
- Experience in crises' management
- Recognised Security Organisation

### DOCUMENT REVIEW

- Company register
- Management System
- Process of certification

### VERIFICATION IN SITE

- Personnel
- Qualification, Certification and Training
- Resources

### REFERENCIAL

- Subscription in the BV Register
- Attestation valid for one year
- Certification maintenance procedures

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