



**Commonwealth of Dominica**  
**Office of Maritime Affairs and Marine Personnel**

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Bulah Ivan  
Director  
NMI – Ukraine  
93, Peremogy Str., smt. Oleksandrivka,  
Chernomorsk, 68001,  
Ukraine

RE: Interim Course Approvals

Dear Mr. Bulah,

In recognition of the events in Ukraine since the initial approval of Avant's training courses, we are hereby extending the initial approval period by the Office of Maritime Affairs and Marine Personnel of the Commonwealth of Dominica as meeting the training requirements of the STCW Convention, as amended, for an additional one hundred twenty (120) day period, within which time the Administration will coordinate an internal audit and remote third party audit to proceed to full approval.

1. Basic Safety Training
2. Advanced Fire Fighting
3. Automatic Radar Plotting Aids
4. GMDSS
5. Bridge Resource Management
6. Celestial Navigation
7. Electronic Chart Display and Information System
8. Radar Observer
9. Medical Care Provider
10. Officer in Charge of an Engineering Watch
11. Advanced Tanker PIC
12. Tankerman Familiarization DL
13. Rating Forming Part of an Engineering Watch
14. Able Seafarer Engine
15. Medical Care PIC
16. Leadership and Managerial Skills
17. Leadership and Teamwork Skills
18. Crisis Management
19. Crowd Management
20. Proficiency in Survival Craft and Rescue Boats
21. OICNW more than 500 GRT



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22. II/2.1 Master/Chief Mates on Ships 3000 GRT or more
23. II/2.3 Master/ Chief Mates on Ships between 500 /3000 GRT
24. III/2 Chief Engineer / Second Engineer 3000 kW or more
25. III/3 Chief Engineer/ Second Engineer 750/3000 kW
26. III/6 Electrotechnical Officer
27. High Voltage Management and Operational Level
28. Rating Forming Part of a Navigational Watch
29. Security Awareness Training
30. Vessel Personnel with Designated Security Duties
31. Able Seafarer Deck
32. Electrotechnical Rating course
33. Proficiency in Medical First Aid
34. Ship Security Officer

Please note that your training institute has also been approved as a delivery site for Northeast Maritime Online (NEMO) courses and training.

The duration of this interim approval shall expire 31 December 2023 with full term approval subject to a remote audit. Your efforts in the field of maritime training are greatly appreciated and we wish you continued success in this regard.

Sincerely,

Eric R. Dawicki  
Deputy Maritime Administrator  
Commonwealth of Dominica

