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Egypt – New Procedures for Indian and Bangladeshi Seafarers

The following information was provided by Kanoo Shipping sub agents, Egypt.

As a new rule, all Indian / Bangladeshi seafarers arriving in Cairo International Airport will be subject to further inspection measures by both national security and port police. This could lead them to stay up to 5 hours instead of 2 – 3 hours as per the previous practice.

When seamen arrive and are cleared from the airport, they will be transported to their respective seaport escorted by a police officer till they join their vessel.

In case they arrive a day earlier, they will be sequestered by port police either at the airport or seaport until they join their vessel.

Pre-Arrival Visa

In case they obtain a pre – arrival visa, this will minimize the national security inspection but they still will be transported and escorted by a port police officer.

Alexandria Airport

Since Alexandria International Airport has less traffic and less number of passengers traveling through, the national security inspection process will take less time but the seafarers will still be escorted by a port police officer to their respective seaport/s.

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