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- 1- SOLAS Chapter V regulation 27 requires nautical charts and nautical publications necessary for the intended voyage shall be adequate and up-to-date.
- 2- For an Electronic Navigational Chart (ENC) or paper nautical chart to be considered adequate for navigational purposes, it must be:
 - Issued officially
- Of appropriate scale, suitable for the navigational task at hand
- Of the latest edition
- Used in its original form, and
- Maintained up to date, using the latest available notices to mariners or ENC update service.
- 3- AMSA requires that unofficial nautical charts must not be used for voyage planning or navigation as they do not fulfill the SOLAS requirement. Unofficial paper charts include (but are not limited to):
 - Photocopies
- Facsimiles or imitations of official paper charts
- Large format commercial printed copies of scanned ENC, and
- Paper charts "assembled" by printing several small portions of a Raster Navigational Chart (RNC).

- 4- Unofficial paper charts can be distorted, out-of-date or may omit important navigational features. Scans may not capture all detail shown on the original official chart.
- 5- Unofficial copies of official ENC can be at inappropriate scales, contain out-of-date data, miss significant features and information, not have access to a timely or reliable update service, not display correctly or fail to include chart reliability information.
- 6- AMSA through this notice has reminded ship owners. operators, agents and masters that the carriage of up-to-date nautical charts is critical to the safety of navigation and has urged all purchasers, users, marine surveyors recognized organizations to be vigilant in identifying unofficial nautical charts.
- 7- AMSA will record deficiencies and can also detain ships that use unofficial nautical charts.
- 8- Ship Owners / operators and masters are advised to be guided by above.

