

PORT AUTHORITY OF JD/RUWAIS

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To

Ruwais Port Agents, Surveyors, Pilots & Port Control

Agents Boat & Surveyor Operating Procedures

1. The agent boats are not permitted to operate during adverse weather of wind more than 25 kts, Sea Swell 5~6 Ft and Visibility less than 0.5 NM, in case if any risk identified less that the above parameters are subject to coxswain discretion.
2. Weather reports should be readily available with the Agent boats for prompt implementation.
3. Contracting organizations associated with PPA need to ascertain the training (sea survival safety courses) from locally recognised training centres and emergency preparedness status of their employees who need to go onboard and also need to ensure adequacy of 'Refresher Training'. PPA approval will be provided subject to validity of safety courses and insurance scheme.
4. Agents & Surveyors should send advance notification with full details for each operation. Only PPA approved personnel will be permitted to go onboard.
5. All agents and surveyors should use the agents' boat personal life saving appliances especially life jackets which are tested and approved by 3rd Party.
6. The Pilot / Loading Master are fully authorized to 'STOP' the risky boarding operation of Agents or Surveyor during adverse weather.

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