



Agents Notification

No. 02 of 2026 – 13 April 2026

Sub: Verification of Iraqi Port Clearance Documents

To: **RAK Ports Marine Agents**
Vessel Masters, Ship Owners, and Operators

In accordance with MOEI directives, the only valid Port Clearance document for vessels departing Iraqi ports is the system-generated Port Clearance issued by the Iraqi Supreme Maritime Authority (ISMA). A sample of the official ISMA Port Clearance is attached for reference.

Document Verification

- The authentic ISMA Port Clearance is system-generated and verifiable via a QR code.
- As an electronic system-generated document, no signature is required.

Validity and Enforcement

- Any Port Clearance document not conforming to the official ISMA format shall be considered invalid and fraudulent.
- Vessels presenting non-conforming, alternative, or substitute clearance documents shall not be permitted to enter RAK Ports.
- No alternative or non-conforming Port Clearance documents will be accepted under any circumstances.

Reporting Requirement

- Any vessel submitting a Port Clearance document in a format different from the official ISMA document must be reported immediately to the UAE Federal Maritime Authority (FMA).

All concerned parties are required to ensure strict compliance with the above requirements prior to arrival.

Issued for information and immediate compliance.

Attachment: Sample – Official ISMA Port Clearance (QR-coded)

Capt. Michael Magee

Group Harbour Master RAK Ports

Currently Active Notices:

2026: 01, 02

2025: 01, 03, 04, 06, 07, 08

2023: 01, 02, 04

2022: 03, 05, 06

2021: 02, 04, 05



Port Clearance
تصريح مغادرة وحدة بحرية

Permit Number: XXXX
Issuance Date: 07-Mar-2026
Vessel Name: XXXXXX
Vessel IMO: 0000000
Flag: PANAMA
Classification Society: LR
Departure Port Name: Umm Qasr North Port
Vessel Type: Commercial-Others
Vessel GRT: 0000
Agency Name: XXXXXXXXXXXX
Arrival Date: 02-Mar-2026
Departure Date: 07-Mar-2026

صتلا م قريح: XXXXX
تاريخ الإصدار: 07-Mar-2026
اسم السفينة :
رقم السفينة
العلم: PANAMA
هيئة التصنيف: LR
اسم ميناء المغادرة: Umm Qasr North Port
نوع السفينة: Commercial-Others
الحمولة الطنية الاجمالية المسجلة
اسم الوكالة :
تاريخ الوصول: 02-Mar-2026
تاريخ المغادرة: 07-Mar-2026



مسح الكود QR للتحقق

يسمح للسفينة المذكورة اعلاه بمغادرة المياه الاقليمية العراقية

The above-mentioned vessel is allowed to Departure from Iraqi territorial waters.