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**EXPLANATORY MANUAL TO THE CONVENTION ON FACILITATION OF
INTERNATIONAL MARITIME TRAFFIC, 1965, AS AMENDED**

Corrigendum

Replace the existing text of the paragraph commencing "*According to the 1951 UN Convention and the 1967 ...*"(4.1) in the annex to FAL.3/Circ.202, with the following text:

"According to the 1951 UN Convention and the 1967 UN Protocol on the Status of Refugees, a contracting State shall not expel or return ('refouler') a refugee in any manner whatsoever to the frontiers of territories where his life or freedom is being threatened on account of his race, religion, nationality, membership of a particular social group or political opinion (article 33.1). The principle of non-refoulement does not only forbid the expulsion of refugees to their country of origin but to any country in which they might be subject to persecution."