

# UKMTO WARNING

## 005-26 – ATTACK – UPDATE 001

**Report Date:**

**01 Mar 2026**

**Report Time:**

**0950UTC**

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**Source**

**Military authorities**

UKMTO has received a report of an incident 50NM north of Muscat, Oman.

It has been reported over VHF Channel 16 that the vessel has been struck by an unknown projectile above the waterline. Although the engine room was originally reported as on fire it has now been reported that the fire is under control.

**Update 001:** UKMTO has received confirmation that the vessel was attacked by an Uncrewed Surface Vehicle (USV), and that the crew has been evacuated to shore.

Authorities are investigating.

Vessels are advised to transit with caution and report any suspicious activity to UKMTO.



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