

# UKMTO WARNING

## 017-26 - SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

**Report Date:**  
10 Mar 2026

**Report Time:**  
0800UTC

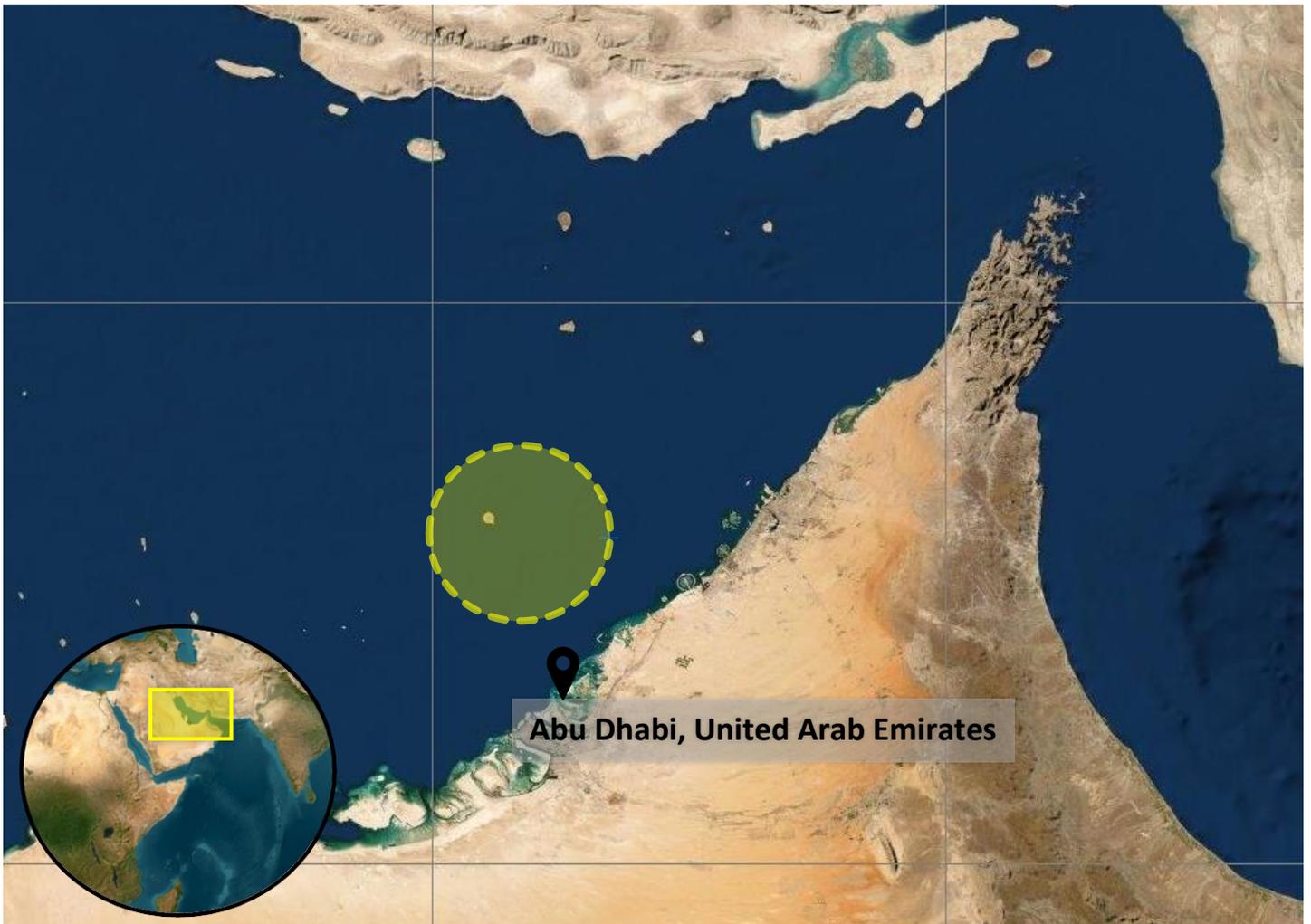
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**Source**  
Master

UKMTO has received a report of an incident 36NM north of Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates. The Master reports witnessing a splash and heard a loud bang in close proximity of a bulk carrier.

Authorities are investigating.

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



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