# RULES

# RULES FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS

Part A

**General Rules** 

# 2009 AMENDMENT NO.2

Rule No.45 30th October 2009 Resolved by Technical Committee on 24th June 2009 Approved by Board of Directors on 28th July 2009 Rule No.45 30th October 2009 AMENDMENT TO THE RULES FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS

"Rules for the survey and construction of steel ships" has been partly amended as follows:

### Part A GENERAL RULES

# Chapter 1 GENERAL

# 1.2 Class Notations

# 1.2.4 Hull Construction and Equipment

Sub-paragraphs -11 to -19 have been renumbered to Sub-paragraphs -12 to -20 respectively, and Sub-paragraph -11 has been added as follows.

11 For floating offshore facilities complying with the provisions of **Part PS** which are not primarily intended for the transport of cargo and are positioned at specific oil producing sea areas for long periods of time or semi-permanently, which are also fitted with crude oil/petroleum gas production, storage and offloading systems, appropriate notation is to be affixed to the Classification Characters in accordance with the provisions given in **Part PS**.

### EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION

- 1. The effective date of the amendments is 30 October 2009.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendments to the Rules, the current requirements may apply to ships for which the date of contract for construction is before the effective date.

# GUIDANCE FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS

Part A

**General Rules** 

2009 AMENDMENT NO.2

Notice No.62 30th October 2009

Resolved by Technical Committee on 24th June 2009

Notice No.62 30th October 2009 AMENDMENT TO THE GUIDANCE FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS

"Guidance for the survey and construction of steel ships" has been partly amended as follows:

# Part A GENERAL RULES

### A1 GENERAL

#### A1.2 Class Notations

Paragraph A1.2.2 has been amended as follows.

# **A1.2.2** Restricted Services

The term "specific sea area" referred to in 1.2.2(3), Part A of the Rules means the operation area specified in the provisions of Chapter 3, Part P and Chapter 2, Part PS of the Rules and the designated service area specified in 1.1.1-1(2), Part T of the Rules, the details of which are entered as descriptive notes in the Classification Register.

# **A1.2.4** Hull Construction and Equipment

Sub-paragraphs -7 and -8 have been renumbered to Sub-paragraphs -8 and -9 respectively, Sub-paragraph -7 has been added, and Sub-paragraphs -8 and -9 have been amended as follows.

- 7 With respect to the provisions of 1.2.4-10 and -11, Part A of the Rules, design criteria such as water depth and wave height are to be entered into the Classification Register as descriptive notes for the ship.
- **78** With respect to the provisions of **1.2.4-1112**, **Part A of the Rules**, design conditions such as maximum diving depth are to be entered in the Classification Register as descriptive notes for the ship.
- **§9** For ships complying with the provisions of **1.2.4-7** and **1.2.4-1819**, **Part A of the Rules**, the notation "*GRAB*" is to be affixed as in the following example: "*BC-XII*, *GRAB*"

#### EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION

- 1. The effective date of the amendments is 30 October 2009.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendments to the Guidance, the current requirements may apply to ships for which the date of contract for construction is before the effective date.