

GUIDANCE FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS

Part B

Class Surveys

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2010 AMENDMENT NO.3

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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 B CLASS SURVEYS

B1 GENERAL

B1.1.3 Intervals of Class Maintenance Surveys

Sub-paragraph -5(11) has been added as follows.

5 Occasional surveys specified in **1.1.3-3(5), Part B of the Rules** are as specified below:

(11) Carriage of Dangerous Goods

For cargo ships with cargo spaces intended for the carriage of packaged dangerous goods which are not less than 500 *gross tonnage* and had been at the beginning stage of construction on or after 1 September 1984 but before 1 January 2011 or which are less than 500 *gross tonnage* and had been at the beginning stage of construction on or after 1 February 1992 but before 1 January 2011, a survey is to be carried out to verify compliance with the requirement specified in **19.3, Part R of the Rules** in accordance with **Tables 19.1 and 19.3**, by the first special survey of the ship on or after 1 January 2011. However, the following provisions may apply:

- (a) Cargo ships not less than 500 *gross tonnage* which had been at the beginning stage of construction on or after 1 September 1984 but before 1 February 1992 need not comply with **19.3.3, Part R of the Rules** provided that they comply with the requirements which were in effect when such ships were constructed.
- (b) Cargo ships not less than 500 *gross tonnage* which had been at the beginning stage of construction on or after 1 September 1984 but before 1 July 1998 need not comply with **19.3.10 and 19.3.11, Part R of the Rules**.
- (c) Cargo ships less than 500 *gross tonnage* which had been at the beginning stage of construction on or after 1 February 1992 but before 1 July 1998 need not comply with **19.3.10 and 19.3.11, Part R of the Rules**.

EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION

- 1.** The effective date of the amendments is 1 January 2011.