

# **RULES FOR BALLAST WATER MANAGEMENT INSTALLATIONS**

**Rules for Ballast Water Management Installations**  
**2018 AMENDMENT NO.1**

Rule No.31      15 February 2018  
Resolved by Technical Committee on 31 January 2018

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An asterisk (\*) after the title of a requirement indicates that there is also relevant information in the corresponding Guidance.

“Rules for ballast water management installations” has been partly amended as follows:

## **Part 2 SURVEYS**

### **Chapter 1 GENERAL**

#### **1.1 General**

##### **1.1.2 Kinds of Surveys**

Sub-paragraph (6) has been added as follows.

Surveys are to be of the following kinds:

((1) to (5) are omitted.)

(6) Unscheduled Surveys

##### **1.1.3 Intervals of Surveys**

Sub-paragraph -6 has been added as follows.

#### **6 Unscheduled Surveys**

The classed ships may be subject to Unscheduled Surveys when the confirmation of the status of the installations by survey is deemed necessary in cases where the Society suspects installations of not being in continued compliance with the Rules and Regulations of the Society, and of not being properly maintained and operated by the ship owner.

Chapter 5 has been added as follows.

## **Chapter 5 UNSCHEDULED SURVEYS**

### **5.1 General**

At Unscheduled Surveys, investigations, examinations or tests are to be made to the satisfaction of the Surveyor with respect to the matters concerned.

#### **EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION**

1. The effective date of the amendments is 15 February 2018.