RULES FOR SAFETY EQUIPMENT

2019 AMENDMENT NO.1

Rule No.4114 June 2019Resolved by Technical Committee on 30 January 2019

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

Rule No.4114 June 2019AMENDMENT TO THE RULES FOR SAFETY EQUIPMENT

"Rules for safety equipment" has been partly amended as follows:

Chapter 1 GENERAL

1.1 General

1.1.1 Scope

Sub-paragraph -2 has been amended as follows.

2 In addition to the relevant requirements in **Part P of the Rules for the Survey and Construction of Steel Ships**, lifesaving appliances in mobile offshore drilling units are to comply with the requirements in Chapter 10 of <u>*IMO* Resolution A.1023(26)</u> "*The Code for the Construction and Equipment of Mobile Offshore Drilling Units*" (*MODU Code*) the "2009 MODU Code" defined in **1.2.36, Part P of the Rules for the Survey and Construction of Steel Ships**.

EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION

- 1. The effective date of the amendments is 1 January 2020.
- 2. Notwithstanding the amendments to the Rules, the current requirements apply to ships the keels of which were laid or which were at *a similar stage of construction* before the effective date.

(Note) The term "*a similar stage of construction*" means the stage at which the construction identifiable with a specific ship begins and the assembly of that ship has commenced comprising at least 50 *tonnes* or 1% of the estimated mass of all structural material, whichever is the less.