Arrangement of Bilge Wells in Engine Room

Amended Rules

Rules for the Survey and Construction of Steel Ships Part D

Reason for Amendment

In the current requirements for the arrangement of bilge wells in engine rooms, bilge wells are required to be placed so that they face the side plating of each side where double bottom plating extends to the ship's sides.

However, in certain cases, it may be difficult to position the bilge wells in such a way due to the characteristics of the hull structure.

Therefore, the requirements for the arrangement of bilge wells in engine rooms have been reviewed.

Outline of Amendment

The requirements have been amended so that bilge wells are to be placed at each side so far as reasonable and practicable where the double bottom plating of an engine room extends to the ship's sides.