## **Surveys for Installations required for In-water Surveys**

## **Amended Rules**

Rules for the Survey and Construction of Steel Ships Part B

## **Reason for Amendment**

In 6.1.2, Part B of the Rules for the Survey and Construction of Steel Ships, it is specified that in-water surveys may be accepted in lieu of docking surveys conducted in dry docks or on slipways except for those surveys conducted during renewal surveys in cases where the means and installations required for in-water surveys are provided and approval by NK is obtained.

However, with regard to the surveys of ships in service, the Rules do not explicitly require the survey of the means and installations needed for in-water surveys.

Accordingly, relevant requirements have been amended so as to specify the surveys of the means and installations required for in-water surveys.

## **Outline of Amendment**

- (1) Requirements stating that the means and installations required for in-water surveys specified in 6.1.2, Part B of the Rules are to be checked during docking surveys conducted in dry docks or on slipways have been added.
- (2) It has been specified that all anchor chains and chain related equipment are to be verified at the Docking Surveys.