Data Verification in Fuel Consumption Reporting Systems

Amended Guidance

Guidance for the Classification and Registry of Ships Guidance for Marine Pollution Prevention Systems

Reason for Amendment

The IMO adopted an amendment to Annex VI of MARPOL as Res. MEPC.278(70) at the 70th session of the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC70) held in October 2016 to mandate the reporting of fuel consumption for ships of 5,000 gross tonnage or above engaged in international voyages. The amendments have already been incorporated into the ClassNK Rules.

After the adoption of the resolution, the IMO adopted guidelines which specify procedures for verification of submitted data related to fuel consumption as Res. MEPC.292(71) at the 71st session of the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC71) held in July 2017.

Accordingly, all relevant requirements were amended based upon IMO Resolution MEPC.292(71).

Outline of Amendment

The main contents of this amendment are as follows:

- (1) Specified that verification of submitted data related to fuel consumption is to be carried out, taking into account Resolution MEPC.292(71).
- (2) Amended ClassNK's Application Form for Surveys and Issue of Certificates.

Amended Requirements

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