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## HONG KONG MERCHANT SHIPPING INFORMATION NOTE

### Amendments to the International Convention for Safe Containers (CSC), 1972

*To : Shipowners, Ship Managers, Ship Operator, Masters, Classification Societies and Terminal Operators*

#### *Summary*

The purpose of this Note is to advise the parties concerned of the amendments to the International Convention for Safe Containers (CSC), 1972 that will enter into force internationally on 1 January 2012.

1. On 3 December 2010, the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC) of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) at its 88<sup>th</sup> session adopted the resolution MSC.310(88) to amend CSC 1972. The amendments will enter into force on 1 January 2012.

2. The amendments involve the following annexes of CSC:

Annex	Title
I	Regulations for the Testing, Inspection, Approval and Maintenance of Containers
II	Structural Safety Requirements and Tests
III	Control and Verification (this annex is newly added)

3. The details of these amendments can be found on the website of Marine Department (<http://www.mardep.gov.hk/en/msnote/msin.html>) as attachment to this Note. Shipowners, ship managers, ship operators, masters, classification societies of Hong Kong registered ships and terminal operators are required to note the amendments and act accordingly.

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