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HONG KONG MERCHANT SHIPPING INFORMATION NOTE

Amendments to the International Code for Fire Safety Systems (FSS Code) – Inert Gas Systems

To : Shipowners, Ship Managers, Ship Operators, Masters, Classification Societies and Shipbuilders

Summary

The purpose of this Note is to promulgate IMO resolution MSC.367(93) and to advise the parties concerned the amendments to the International Code for Fire Safety Systems (FSS Code) relating to the requirements of the Inert Gas Systems in chapter 15 of the Code. The amendments will enter into force on 1 January 2016.

1. The Maritime Safety Committee (MSC) of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) adopted the resolution MSC.367(93) on 22 May 2014 to amend the International Code for Fire Safety Systems (FSS Code). The amendments will enter into force on 1 January 2016.
2. The resolution MSC.367(93) adopted amendments relating to chapter 15 of the FSS Code which has been rewritten to reflect the new requirements on inert gas systems.
3. The resolution MSC.367(93) can be found as attachment to this Note on the website of Marine Department (<http://www.mardep.gov.hk/en/msnote/msin.html>).
4. Shipowners, ship managers, ship operators, masters, classification societies and shipbuilders of Hong Kong registered ships are reminded to take note of these amendments and act accordingly.

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