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## HONG KONG MERCHANT SHIPPING INFORMATION NOTE

**Application of SOLAS Regulations XII/3, XII/7 and XII/11 – in relation to the meaning of the term “periodical survey”**

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

***Summary***

The purpose of this Note is to promulgate the meaning of the term “periodical survey” in relation to the application of SOLAS regulations XII/3, XII/7 and XII/11.

1. The Maritime Safety Committee (MSC) of the International Maritime Organization (IMO), at its 92<sup>nd</sup> session in June 2013, approved the meaning of the term “periodical survey” in relation to the application of SOLAS regulations XII/3, XII/7 and XII/11 with a view to providing more specific guidance for application of the relevant requirements of the SOLAS Convention.
2. The meaning of the term “periodical survey” as annexed to IMO circular MSC.1/Circ.1463 can be found in the attachment to this Note on the website of Marine Department ( <http://www.mardep.gov.hk/en/msnote/msin.html> ).
3. Shipowners, ship managers, ship operators, ship masters, classification societies and shipbuilders of Hong Kong registered ships are advised to note the annexed guidance information for application of the relevant requirements of the SOLAS Convention.

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