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Circular Letter 009/2023

Date: 06.09.2023

Attn.: Authorized Surveyors, ship Owners, Operators, Managers

Subject: PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR RADIO AND NAVIGATIONAL EQUIPMENT.

In accordance with IMO Resolution A.886(21), by which the Assembly resolved that the functions of adopting performance standards for radio and navigational equipment, as well as amendments thereto, shall be performed by the Maritime Safety Committee on behalf of the Organization, taking into account the amendments to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, 1974.

The performance standards for radio and navigational equipment are entering into the force from the 1st of January 2024 listed below:

RESOLUTION MSC.507(105) - SYSTEM PERFORMANCE STANDARD FOR THE PROMULGATION AND COORDINATION OF MARITIME SAFETY INFORMATION USING HIGH-FREQUENCY NARROW-BAND DIRECT-PRINTING;

RESOLUTION MSC.508(105) - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR THE RECEPTION OF MARITIME SAFETY INFORMATION AND SEARCH AND RESCUE RELATED INFORMATION BY MF (NAVTEX) AND HF;

RESOLUTION MSC.509(105) - PROVISION OF RADIO SERVICES FOR THE GLOBAL MARITIME DISTRESS AND SAFETY SYSTEM (GMDSS);

RESOLUTION MSC.510(105) - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR SEARCH AND RESCUE RADAR TRANSPONDERS;

RESOLUTION MSC.511(105) - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR SHIPBORNE VHF RADIO INSTALLATIONS CAPABLE OF VOICE COMMUNICATION AND DIGITAL SELECTIVE CALLING;

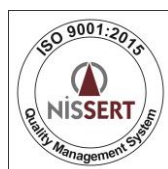
RESOLUTION MSC.512(105) - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR SHIPBORNE MF AND MF/HF RADIO INSTALLATIONS CAPABLE OF VOICE COMMUNICATION, DIGITAL SELECTIVE CALLING AND RECEPTION OF MARITIME SAFETY INFORMATION AND SEARCH AND RESCUE RELATED INFORMATION;

RESOLUTION MSC.513(105) - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR INMARSAT-C SHIP EARTH STATIONS CAPABLE OF TRANSMITTING AND RECEIVING DIRECT-PRINTING COMMUNICATIONS;

RESOLUTION MSC.515(105) - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR SURVIVAL CRAFT PORTABLE TWO-WAY VHF RADIOTELEPHONE APPARATUS;

RESOLUTION MSC.516(105) - AMENDMENTS TO THE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR RADIOCOMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT (RESOLUTION MSC.80(70));

RESOLUTION MSC.517(105) - PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR A SHIPBORNE INTEGRATED COMMUNICATION SYSTEM (ICS) WHEN USED IN THE GLOBAL MARITIME DISTRESS AND SAFETY SYSTEM (GMDSS);



RESOLUTION MSC.466(101) - AMENDMENTS TO THE PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR THE PRESENTATION OF NAVIGATION-RELATED INFORMATION ON SHIPBORNE NAVIGATIONAL DISPLAYS (RESOLUTION MSC.191(79))

Kindly confirm receipt and acknowledgment of Circular Letter 009/2023 by signing and returning to the Head Office Receipt Form.

Kindly be guided accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

Kristina Melikyan
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