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# **RULES FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS**

**RULES**

**Part S**

**Ships Carrying Dangerous Chemicals  
in Bulk**

**2007      AMENDMENT NO.1**

Rule No.12      1st February 2007

Resolved by Technical Committee on 17th November 2006

Approved by Board of Directors on 19th December 2006

Rule No.12 1st February 2007

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS**

“Rules for the survey and construction of steel ships” has been partly amended as follows:

**Part S Ships Carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk**

**Chapter 13 INSTRUMENTATION (*IBC Code Chapter 13*)**

**13.2 Vapour Detection**

Paragraph 13.2.1 has been amended as follows.

**13.2.1 General**

Ships carrying toxic or flammable products or both are to be equipped with at least two instruments, which are as deemed appropriate by the Society, designed and calibrated for testing for the specific vapours in question. If such instruments are not capable of testing for both toxic concentrations and flammable concentrations, then two separate sets of instruments are to be provided.

**EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION**

1. The effective date of the amendments is 1 July 2007.
2. Notwithstanding the amendments to the Rules, the current requirements may apply to ships other than ships for which the application for Classification Survey during Construction is submitted to the Society on and after the effective date.

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# **GUIDANCE FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS**

**Part S**

**Ships Carrying Dangerous Chemicals  
in Bulk**

**GUIDANCE**

**2007 AMENDMENT NO.1**

Notice No.10 1st February 2007

Resolved by Technical Committee on 17th November 2006

Notice No.10 1st February 2007

AMENDMENT TO THE GUIDANCE FOR THE SURVEY AND CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL SHIPS

“Guidance for the survey and construction of steel ships” has been partly amended as follows:

**Part S SHIPS CARRYING DANGEROUS CHEMICALS IN BULK**

Amendment 1-1

**S3 SHIP ARRANGEMENTS**

**S3.2 Accommodation, Service and Machinery Spaces and Control Stations (IBC Code 3.2)**

**S3.2.3 Entrances, Air Inlets and Openings to Accommodation, Service and Machinery Spaces and Control Stations**

Sub-paragraph -5 has been added as follows.

- 5 With respect to the requirements specified in **3.2.3, Part S of the Rules**, access to forecastle spaces containing sources of ignition may be through doors facing cargo area provided the doors are located outside hazardous areas as defined in **10.2, Part S of the Rules**.

EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION (Amendment 1-1)

1. The effective date of the amendments is 1 January 2007.
2. Notwithstanding the amendments to the Guidance, the current requirements may apply to ships other than ships for which the application for Classification Survey during Construction is submitted to the Society on and after the effective date.

## S13 INSTRUMENTATION

### S13.2 Vapour Detection

S13.2.1 has been added as follows.

#### S13.2.1 General

The wording “as deemed appropriate by the Society” in **13.2.1, Part S** of the Rules means to be approved by the Society in accordance with **Chapter 7, Part 7** of “**Guidance for the Approval and Type Approval of Materials and Equipment for Marine Use**” or to pass the test of the official organization deemed appropriate by the Society.

#### EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION (Amendment 1-2)

1. The effective date of the amendments is 1 July 2007.
2. Notwithstanding the amendments to the Guidance, the current requirements may apply to ships other than ships for which the application for Classification Survey during Construction is submitted to the Society on and after the effective date.