



# RUSSIAN MARITIME REGISTER OF SHIPPING

**CIRCULAR LETTER**

**No. 313-68-1696c**

dated 07.02.2022

Re:

amendments to the Rules for the Classification and Construction of Sea-Going Ships, 2022, ND No. 2-020101-152-E considering the experience in application of the Rules

Item(s) of supervision:

ships under construction

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Appendices:

Appendix 1: information on amendments introduced by the Circular Letter

Appendix 2: text of amendments to Part XII "Refrigerating Plants"

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Text of CL:

We hereby inform that the Rules for the Classification and Construction of Sea-Going Ships shall be amended as specified in the Appendices to the Circular Letter.

It is necessary to do the following:

1. Bring the content of the Circular Letter to the notice of the RS surveyors, interested organizations and persons in the area of the RS Branch Offices' activity.
2. Apply the provisions of the Circular Letter during review and approval of technical documentation on ships contracted for construction or conversion on or after 15.03.2022, in the absence of a contract, during review of technical documentation on ships requested for review on or after 15.03.2022.

List of the amended and/or introduced paras/chapters/sections:

Part XII: Chapter 12.1

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**Information on amendments introduced by the Circular Letter  
(for inclusion in the Revision History to the RS Publication)**

Nos.	Amended paras/chapters/ sections	Information on amendments	Number and date of the Circular Letter	Entry-into-force date
1	Chapter 12.1	Chapter has been revised, requirements for spare parts have been specified considering the experience in application of the Rules	313-68-1696c of 07.02.2022	15.03.2022

**RULES FOR THE CLASSIFICATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF SEA-GOING  
SHIPS, 2022,**

**ND No. 2-020101-152-E**

**PART XII. REFRIGERATING PLANTS**

**12 SPARE PARTS**

**Chapter 12.1** is replaced by the following text:

**"12.1 GENERAL**

**12.1.1** This Section contains a recommended list of spare parts for refrigerating plant to be stored onboard the ship.

**12.1.2** During storage onboard, the spare parts shall be efficiently secured in accessible positions, marked and protected against corrosion in an effective way."