



RUSSIAN MARITIME REGISTER OF SHIPPING

CIRCULAR LETTER

No. 313-92-1839c

dated 17.10.2022

Re:

amendments to the Rules for the Classification, Construction and Equipment of Mobile Offshore Drilling Units and Fixed Offshore Platforms, 2022, ND No. 2-020201-019-E

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ships under construction

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Appendix 1: information on amendments introduced by the Circular Letter

Appendix 2: text of amendments to Part VIII "Systems and Piping"

Director General

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Text of CL:

We hereby inform that the Rules for the Classification, Construction and Equipment of Mobile Offshore Drilling Units and Fixed Offshore Platforms 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 the technical documentation on ships contracted for construction of conversion on or after 01.12.2022, in the absence of a contract, during review and approval of the technical documentation on ships requested for review on or after 01.12.2022.
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List of the amended and/or introduced paras/chapters/sections:

Part VIII: para 1.4.2

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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	Part VIII, para 1.4.2	The requirements have been introduced to permissible water speed in the pipes of water fire extinguishing systems	313-92-1839c of 17.10.2022	01.12.2022

**RULES FOR THE CLASSIFICATION, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT
OF MOBILE OFFSHORE DRILLING UNITS AND FIXED OFFSHORE
PLATFORMS, 2022**

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PART VIII. SYSTEMS AND PIPING

1 GENERAL

1 **New para 1.4.2** is introduced reading as follows:

"1.4.2 In the pipes of water fire extinguishing systems having no other purpose than fire extinguishing (water fire main (not used for other purposes), pressure water-spraying, drenching, water-screen, foam fire extinguishing, sprinkler), permissible water speed is up to 6 m/s."