CIRCULAR LETTER  
No. 314-04-1814c  
dated 05.09.2022

Re:  
amendments to the Rules for the Classification and Construction of Sea-Going Ships, 2022,  
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Appendix 1: information on amendments introduced by the Circular Letter  
Appendix 2: text of amendments to Part XVII "Distinguishing Marks and Descriptive Notations in the Class  
Notation Specifying Structural and Operational Particulars of Ships"

Director General  
Konstantin G. Palnikov

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 the technical documentation and  
when performing technical supervision during manufacture of materials for ships contracted for  
construction or conversion on or after 15.09.2022, in the absence of a contract — according to 5.10 of  
Part II "Technical Documentation" of the Rules for Technical Supervision during Construction of Ships  
and Manufacture of Materials and Products for Ships, starting from 15.09.2022.

List of the amended and/or introduced paras/chapters/sections:  
Part XVII: para 7.11.7

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PART XVII. DISTINGUISHING MARKS AND DESCRIPTIVE NOTATIONS IN THE CLASS NOTATION SPECIFYING STRUCTURAL AND OPERATIONAL PARTICULARS OF SHIPS

7 REQUIREMENTS FOR SHIP EQUIPMENT TO ENSURE LONG-TERM OPERATION AT LOW TEMPERATURE

Para 7.11.7 is replaced by the following text:

"7.11.7 The use of anchor and mooring chain cables of category 1 is not permitted. The material for anchor and mooring chain cables shall comply with the requirements of 3.6 and Section 7 of Part XIII "Materials", as well as with the Register approved standards and/or with the Register agreed specifications. The maximum impact test temperature is equal to –20 °C.".