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Notice to shipowners, ship agents, Masters, seafarers, port operators and the maritime industry

AMENDMENTS TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FOR THE SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA, 1974, AS AMENDED

1. The purpose of this Notice is to inform the shipping community the adoption of the amendments of Chapter VII by Maritime Safety Committee during its 85th session on 4th December 2008 ([Resolution MSC.269 \(85\)](#)).
2. The amendments to above chapter of SOLAS 74 amended are attached as **Appendix 1**.
3. Shipping Communities are advice to take note the date of entry into force and comply fully with the requirements of the above amendments when carrying Dangerous goods.

Pengarah Laut/ Director General of Marine

Tarikh/Date: 1st January 2010

**CHAPTER VI
CARRIAGE OF CARGOES**

**Part A
General provisions**

- 10 The following new regulations 1-1 and 1-2 are added after the existing regulation 1:

**“Regulation 1-1
Definitions**

For the purpose of this chapter, unless expressly provided otherwise, the following definitions shall apply:

1 *IMSBC Code* means the International Maritime Solid Bulk Cargoes (IMSBC) Code adopted by the Maritime Safety Committee of the Organization by resolution MSC.268(85), as may be amended by the Organization, provided that such amendments are adopted, brought into force and take effect in accordance with the provisions of article VIII of the present Convention concerning the amendment procedures applicable to the Annex other than chapter I.

2 *Solid bulk cargo* means any cargo, other than liquid or gas, consisting of a combination of particles, granules or any larger pieces of material generally uniform in composition, which is loaded directly into the cargo spaces of a ship without any intermediate form of containment.

**Regulation 1-2
Requirements for the carriage of solid bulk cargoes other than grain**

The carriage of solid bulk cargoes other than grain shall be in compliance with the relevant provisions of the IMSBC Code.”

Regulation 2 - Cargo information

- 11 The existing subparagraph .2 of paragraph 2 is replaced by the following:

“2 in the case of solid bulk cargo, information as required by section 4 of the IMSBC Code.”

- 12 The existing paragraph 2.3 is deleted.

Regulation 3 - Oxygen analysis and gas detection equipment

- 13 In paragraph 1, the word “solid” is inserted in the first sentence, after the words “When transporting a”.

Part B
Special provisions for bulk cargoes other than grain

14 The title of part B is replaced as follows:

“Special provisions for solid bulk cargoes”

Regulation 6 - Acceptability for shipment

15 In existing paragraph 1, the word “solid” is inserted in the first sentence after the words “Prior to loading a”.

16 The existing paragraphs 2 and 3 are deleted.

Regulation 7 - Loading, unloading and stowage of bulk cargoes

17 In the heading of the regulation, the word “solid” is inserted after the words “stowage of”.

18 The existing paragraphs 4 and 5 are deleted and the subsequent paragraphs are renumbered accordingly.