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**CIRCULAR LETTER**

**№ 314-53-813c**

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Re: IACS Unified Requirement (UR) W11 (Rev.8 Apr. 2014)  
"Normal and higher strength hull structural steels".

Item of technical supervision:

Normal and higher strength hull structural steels

Implementation 01.07.2015

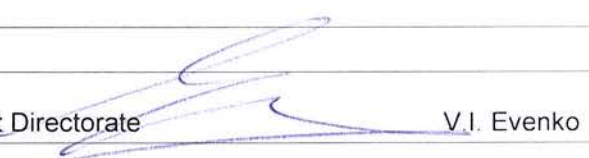
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Amends Rules for the Classification and Construction of Sea-Going Ships, 2015, ND No. 2-020101-082

We hereby inform that IACS Unified Requirement (UR) W11 (Rev.8 Apr. 2014) "Normal and higher strength hull structural steels" shall come into force since 1 July 2015. The document shall specify the requirements to normal and higher strength hull structural steels.

in connection with the above the following amendments shall be introduced to the Rules for the Classification and Construction of Sea-Going Ships, 2015, ND No. 2-020101-082:

**Part XIII "Materials", para 3.2.1.1.**

The third paragraph shall be supplemented with the following text:

"...The requirements to normal and higher strength corrosion-resistant steel for cargo oil tanks are specified in 3.18", the rest remaining as it stands.

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.

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