



RUSSIAN MARITIME REGISTER OF SHIPPING

CIRCULAR LETTER

No. 314-18-1591c

dated 29.06.2021

Re:

amendments to the Rules for the Classification and Construction of Sea-Going Ships, 2021, ND No. 2-020101-138-E considering experience in application of the Rules

Item(s) of supervision:

ships under construction

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Appendix 1: information on amendments introduced by the Circular Letter

Appendix 2: text of amendments to Part III "Equipment, Arrangements and Outfit"

Director General

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Text of CL:

We hereby inform that the Rules for the Classification and Construction of Sea-Going 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 provisions of the Circular Letter during review and approval of the technical documentation on ships contracted for construction or conversion on or after 01.08.2021, in the absence of a contract — on ships, the keels of which are laid or which are at a similar stage of construction on or after 01.08.2021, as well as during review and approval of the technical documentation on ships, the delivery of which is on or after 01.08.2021.

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

Part III: para 8.5.3.2

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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	Para 8.5.3.2	Requirements for the width of corridors on passenger ships have been specified	314-18-1591c of 29.06.2021	01.08.2021

**RULES FOR THE CLASSIFICATION AND CONSTRUCTION OF SEA-GOING SHIPS, 2021,
ND No. 2-020101-138-E**

PART III. EQUIPMENT, ARRANGEMENTS AND OUTFIT

**8 ARRANGEMENT AND EQUIPMENT OF SHIP'S SPACES.
OTHER ARRANGEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT**

Para 8.5.3.2 is replaced by the following text:

"**8.5.3.2** Corridors used as means of escape on passenger ships shall be at least 900 mm wide."