



Merchant Marine Notice -MMN-22-001

To: DEPUTY REGISTRARS, SHIP OWNERS/ISM OPERATORS/RECOGNIZED ORGANIZATIONS/SHIPPING AGENTS/GENERAL SAFETY INSPECTORS

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INTRODUCTION

The International Maritime Organization (IMO) in its 62nd Session adopted on 15 July 2011 the Resolution MEPC 203(62) regarding the Amendments to the Annex of the Protocol of 1997 to amend the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships, 1973, as modified by the Protocol of 1978 relating thereto (Inclusion of regulations on energy efficiency for ships in MARPOL Annex VI).

PURPOSE

The purpose of this notice is to bring the amendments to MARPOL Annex VI to the attention of Ship Owners, ISM Operators and Recognized Organizations; And to inform of the procedures to be followed for Belize registered vessel for the introduction of the regulations on Energy Efficiency relating to the Energy Efficiency Design Index (EEDI), the Ship Energy Efficiency Management Plan (SEEMP), and the Energy Efficiency Operational Index (EEOI) as a voluntary measure for the control of the marine Green House Gases (GHG) emissions which entered into force on 1 January 2013.



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CONTENT

The Energy Efficiency Design Index (EEDI) requirements are applicable to all ships of 400 gross tonnage and above; every fixed and floating drilling rig and other platforms shall ensure compliance with chapter 3 and be subjected to the required surveys.

After a complete analysis of all requirements, the International Merchant Marine Registry of Belize (IMMARBE) delegate these requirements to all authorized Recognized Organization acting on behalf of this Administration.

Recognized Organizations in charge of the issuance of the International Air Pollution Prevention Certificate (MARPOL Annex VI) to a specific vessel shall carry out the verification process of this vessel in accordance with the Guidelines (MEPC 254(67)) developed by the Organization. Upon completion of the verification process, the Recognized Organization is authorized to issue the International Energy Efficiency Certificate (IEEC) on behalf of Belize.

The International Energy Efficiency Certificate (IEEC) as any other Statutory Certificate shall be submitted via e-mail to IMMARBE's Technical Department to technicalservices@immarbe.com. This submission shall be done in accordance with our Merchant Shipping Notice 0013.

FEES

Applicable fee will be in accordance with the Merchant Shipping Notice [MSN-0039r1](#).

IMMARBE anticipates your cooperation and assistance.

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