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RESOLUTION A.231 (VII)

Adopted on 12 October 1971

AMENDMENTS TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON LOAD LINES, 1966

The Assembly,

Noting Article 16(i) of the Convention on the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization concerning the functions of the Assembly,

Recognizing the need for improvement in the texts of certain Articles and Regulations of the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966 and the attached Chart of Zones and Seasonal Areas in order to ensure the uniform application and interpretation of the Convention,

Noting further that Article 29 of the Convention provides for procedures for amendments involving participation by the Organization,

Having considered the particular amendments to the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966, forming the subject of a Recommendation by the Maritime Safety Committee at its twenty-first session in accordance with Article 29 of that Convention,

Adopts the amendments to the Convention, the texts of which are set out at Annex to this Resolution,

Requests the Secretary-General of the Organization, in accordance with Article 29(3)(b), to communicate for consideration and acceptance certified copies of this Resolution and its Annex, to all Contracting Governments to the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966, together with copies to all Members of the Organization,

Invites all governments concerned to accept the amendment's at the earliest possible date.

ANNEX

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Article 5(2)(c)

Replace the words "Punta Norte" by : "Punta Rasa (Cabo San Antonio)".

Regulation 1

Replace the heading by "Strength of Ship" and the word "hull" in the first sentence by "ship" .

Regulation 3(5)(b)

Replace the words "the moulded lines of the deck and side shell plating" by "the moulded Lines of deck and sides".

Regulation 5

In the last sentence delete the words "(as illustrated in Figure 2)".

Regulation 15(5)

In the Last sentence insert the word "linear" before "interpolation".

Regulation 22(5)

In the first sentence replace the words "All valves and shell fittings" by "All shell fittings, and the valves" .

Regulation 23(2)

Replace the words "load waterline" by "Summer Load Line (or Summer Timber Load Line, if assigned)" .

Regulation 24 (2)

In the first sentence replace the words "calculated area" by "area calculated according to paragraph (1) of this Regulation" . In the second sentence insert the word "linear before "interpolation" .

Regulation 24 (3)

Replace the words "a ship is fitted with a trunk which" by "a ship fitted with a trunk".

Regulation 27 (11)

In the last sentence replace the word "weathertight" by "watertight" .

Regulation 37 (2)

In the footnote to tables for both Type III and Type 151 ships, insert after "superstructures" the words "and trunks" .

Regulation 38 (12)

In the definition of "y" replace the words "end of sheer" by "after or forward perpendicular" .

Regulation 40 (4)

In the first sentence replace the words "paragraph (1)" by "paragraph (3) " .

Regulation 44 (2)

In the last sentence replace the words "lithe superstructure" by "a superstructure other than a raised quarter deck".

Regulation 45 (5)

Add after "waterline" the words "or with Regulation 40(8) based on the summer timber draught measured from the top of the keel to the summer timber load line" .

Regulation 46(1)(b)

Replace the last sentence by the following: "Excluded from this zone are the North Atlantic Winter Seasonal Zone I, the North Atlantic Winter Seasonal Area and the Baltic Sea bounded by the parallel of

Regulation 46 (1) (b) (cont'd)

latitude of the Skaw in the Skagerrak. The Shetland Islands are to be considered as being on the boundary of the North Atlantic Winter Seasonal Zones I and II.

Seasonal periods :

WINTER: 1 November to 31 March

SUMMER: 1 April to 31 October".

Regulation 47

Insert after the first sentence (i.e. the sentence which ends with the words "the west coast of the American continent") the following: "Valparaiso is to be considered as being on the boundary Line of the Summers and Winter Seasonal Zones".

Chart of Zones and Seasonal Areas

Replace the words "SEASONAL WINTER ZONE" where they indicate the area along the eastern coast of USA by "WINTER SEASONAL AREA".

Replace the words "SEASONAL WINTER ZONE" wherever they appear in the chart (except those mentioned above) by "WINTER SEASONAL ZONE" and also "SEASONAL TROPICAL" by "SEASONAL TROPICAL AREA".

In the note replace the word "western" by "eastern" and insert the words "(328 feet)" after "100 metres"
