

Statements of Compliance for Coating Systems

Amended Guidance

Guidance for the Survey and Construction of Steel Ships Part B
Guidance for the Survey and Construction of Passenger Ships

Reason for Amendment

Regarding the coating systems relate to IMO PSPC for seawater ballast tanks, etc., it is specified that Statements of Compliance issued by either the Research Institute of Marine Engineering, Japan (*RIME*) or MARINTEK are deemed to be appropriate by the Society.

However, since the Japanese government also accepts Statements of Compliance issued by the Japan Paint Inspection and testing Association, relevant requirements have been amended so as to specify that Statements of Compliance issued by the Japan Paint Inspection and testing Association are deemed to be appropriate by the Society.

Outline of Amendment

Regarding coating systems, it has been specified that Statements of Compliance issued by the Japan Paint Inspection and testing Association are deemed to be appropriate by the Society.