

Repairing Damage

Amended Rules

Rules for the Survey and Construction of Steel Ships Part B

Reason for Amendment

The 2011 ESP Code, including its amendments, specifies requirements for bulk carriers and oil tankers subject to the Enhanced Survey Programme (ESP) as well as requirements related to repairing any damage such vessels may incur. The requirements allow such ship to undergo temporary repairs in cases where adequate repair facilities are not available as long as the damage is of a localized nature which does not affect the ship's structural integrity, etc. In addition, to the 2011 ESP Code, there are also similar requirements specified in IACS Unified Requirements Z7 series and Z10 series.

Accordingly, relevant requirements were amended to clarify requirements related to repairing damage.

Outline of Amendment

Amended to clarify the requirements related to repairing damage including temporary repairs.

Amended Requirements

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Part B: 1.4.4