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Your ref.:

Our ref.: 595TEIG051104-1

## Validity of Type Approval Certificate M-9374

Dear Sir,

We refer to your application for renewal of Type Approval No. M-9374, VESCONIT Stern Tube Bearing Material.

We hereby confirm that aforementioned Type Approval is valid until 2005-12-31. DNV will issue a new certificate with a validity of four years until then.

Yours faithfully for Der Norske Veritas A

Thomas Higendorf

Manager, Maritime Cape Town