

RESOLUTION MSC.225(82)

(adopted on 8 December 2006)

ADOPTION OF AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT OF SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK, AS AMENDED

THE MARITIME SAFETY COMMITTEE,

RECALLING Article 28(b) of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization concerning the functions of the Committee,

RECALLING ALSO resolution A.328(IX), by which the Assembly, at its ninth session, adopted the Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk (Gas Carrier Code) and authorized the Committee to amend the Code as may be necessary,

NOTING resolution MSC.220(82), by which it adopted pertinent amendments to the International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk (IGC Code),

RECOGNIZING the need for the amendments to the Gas Carrier Code to become effective on the date, on which the corresponding amendments to the IGC Code enter into force,

HAVING CONSIDERED, at its eighty-second session, amendments to the Gas Carrier Code prepared by the Sub-Committee on Bulk Liquids and Gases, at its ninth session,

1. ADOPTS amendments to the Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk, as amended, the text of which is set out in the Annex to the present resolution;
2. DETERMINES that the above-said amendments should become effective on 1 July 2008.

ANNEX

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT
OF SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK, AS AMENDED**

**CHAPTER XI
FIRE PROTECTION AND FIRE EXTINGUISHING**

11.1 Fire safety requirements

- 1 In section 11.1, the following new paragraph 11.1.5 is added:

“11.1.5 The following requirements in SOLAS chapter II-2, as adopted by MSC.99(73), should apply:

- (a) regulations 13.3.4.2 to 13.3.4.5 and 13.4.3 to ships of 500 gross tonnage and over;
- (b) regulations in Part E, except regulations 16.3.2.2 and 16.3.2.3; and
- (c) regulations 10.4.13 and 10.6.4 for new installations.

**CHAPTER XIX
SUMMARY OF MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

- 2 The following new products are added to the table:

| a | b | c | d | e | f | g | h |
|----------------|-----------|------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|---------|----------------------|
| Product name | UN number | Ship type | Independent tank type C required | Control of vapour space within cargo tanks | Vapour detection | Gauging | Special requirements |
| Dimethyl ether | - | IIG / IIPG | - | - | I+T | C | |
| Carbon dioxide | - | IIIG | Yes | - | - | C | |
