Notification Number: 2006/506/F

Order of ... amending the Order of 23 November 1987 on the safety of vessels

Date received : 19/09/2006 End of Standstill : 20/12/2006

Message

Message 002

Communication from the Commission - SG(2006) D/52269

Directive 98/34/EC

Translation of the message 001 Notification: 2006/0506/F

No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késéseket - Ma' jiftaħx il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist.

(MSG: 200602269.EN)

1. Structured Information Line

MSG 002 IND 2006 0506 F EN 20-12-2006 19-09-2006 F NOTIF 20-12-2006

2. Member State

France

3. Department Responsible

Délégué interministériel aux normes – SQUALPI – DARQSI-DGE- –bâtiment le Bervil-12 rue Villiot-75572 PARIS CEDEX 12 suzanne.piau@industrie.gouv.fr ou syrte@industrie.gouv.fr tél: 01 53 44 97 04 – fax: 01 53 44 98 88

3. Originating Department

Ministère des Transports, de l'Équipement, du Tourisme et de la Mer (MTETM)
Direction Générale de la Mer et des Transports – Direction des Affaires Maritimes (DGMT – DAM)
3 Place de Fontenoy
75700 PARIS

4. Notification Number

2006/0506/F - T20T

5. Title

Order of ... amending the Order of 23 November 1987 on the safety of vessels

6. Products Concerned

T20T: Sea, river and inland waterway transport

V10T: Radio interface

7. Notification Under Another Act

_

8. Main Content

The above-mentioned order lays down the regulatory requirements applicable to the on-shore maintenance of satellite emergency position-indicating radio beacons installed on seafaring vessels, and defines the approval methods and conditions for service providers responsible for carrying out that maintenance.

These requirements are based in particular on the directives drawn up by the International Maritime Organisation (Circular MSC/Circ.1039 of the Maritime Safety Committee).

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The proposed text makes the need for shore-based maintenance of satellite emergency position-indicating radio beacons obligatory at intervals of no more than 5 (five) years.

The proposed text does not just conform to the requirements of the Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS), in particular its amendments incorporated by means of Resolution MSC.152(78), which entered into force on 1 July 2006, but also extends the requirement to vessels not subject to the SOLAS Convention equipped with satellite EPIRBs.

Furthermore, the text presented is not governed by Community provisions, and the existing international provisions on the practical methods for this on-shore maintenance (cf. Circular MSC/Circ.1039 mentioned in paragraph 8 above) are not of an obligatory nature.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

e) There is no basic text.

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

-

13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

b) NO

15. Impact assessment

b) The result of the impact assessment is made up of the report of the Central Safety Committee, approved by the Minister (Ref. PV CCS 794/REG.06), that report having been preceded by presentations and discussions with the players potentially involved (ship-owners, service providers, recognised bodies, National Frequencies Agency).

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect (Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade)

b) No iii) The draft does not have any notable impact on international trade.

SPS aspect (Agreement on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures)

b) No iii) The draft does not have any notable impact on international trade.

Catherine Day General Secretary European Commission

Contact point Directive 98/34 Fax: (32-2) 296 76 60

email: Dir83-189-central@cec.eu.int

sent to:

BELNotif Qualité et Sécurité Mme Descamps

BundesMinisterium für Wirtschaft und Technologie (Referat EA3) Frau Christina Jäckel

Bundesministerium für Wirtschaft und Arbeit - Abteilung C2/1 Frau MARKL Iris

Bundesministerium für Wirtschaft und Arbeit - Abteilung C2/1 Frau Brigitte WIKGOLM

Cyprus org. for the promotion of quality Ministry of Commerce, Industry & Tourism M. Antonis Ioannou



Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and testing Mrs Lucie Ruzickova

Department of Trade and Industry STRD2 Mr Philip Plumb

Délégation Interministérielle aux Normes Mme Piau

EFTA Surveillance Authority Mr. Gunnar Thor PETURSSON

ELOT

M.Mourtzanos K

EU internal market coordination (Ministry of Economics) Mrs Zanda Liekna

Erhvervs- og Boligstyrelsen Lene Hald Nielsen

European Free Trade Association

Hungarian Notification Centre Ministry of economy & transport Mr Zsolt Fazekas

Institut Belge de Normalisation Mme F. Hombert

Instituto Portugês da Qualidade Sra Cândida Pires

Kauppa-ja teollisuusministeri Ms. Leila Orava

Kommerskollegium Mme Jenni Altin

Lithuanian Standards Board Daiva Lesickiene

Malta standards Authority Dr Lorna Cachia

Min. of Economic Affairs & Communication

Mr. Karl Stern

Min. of Industry, Energy & Technology

Mr K. Polychronidis

Ministerie van Financiën Belastingsdienst - Douane Noord / CDIU

De Heer IJ.G. van der Heide

Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores Secretaría de Estado para la Unión Europ Esther Perez Pelaez
Ministero dello sviluppo economico F1 - Ispettorato tecnico industria Signor Vincenzo Correggia
Ministry of Economy Dept for Economic Regulations Mrs Barbara H. Kozlowska
NSAI Mr Tony Losty
National Agency for Enterprise & Housing Dahlerups Pakhus Mrs. Pernille Hjort Engstroem
Office of standards, metrology & Testing Director of the department of European I Mrs Kvetoslava STEINLOVA
Représentation Permanente de la Belgique auprès de l'Union européenne .
Représentation Permanente de la France .
Représentation Permanente du Luxembourg .
SL
Service de l'Energie de l'Etat Mr JP. Hoffmann
Slovenian Institute for Standardization SIST Mrs Vesna Stazisar
Undersecretariat of Foreign Trade General Directorate of Standardisation Mr Mehmet COMERT
sent to :
Department of Trade and Industry Office of Science & Innovation Mr Philip Plumb



EUROPEAN COMMISSION GROWTH DIRECTORATE-GENERAL

Single Market for goods Prevention of Technical Barriers

EFTA Surveillance Authority
Mr. Gunnar Thor PETURSSON

European Free Trade Association

•

Hungarian Notification Centre Ministry of economy & transport Mr Zsolt Fazekas

Kauppa-ja teollisuusministeri Ms. Leila Orava

NSAI

Mr Tony Losty

Représentation Permanente de l'Irlande Denis Colfer

Représentation Permanente du Royaume-Uni

SL

.

Undersecretariat of Foreign Trade General Directorate of Standardisation Mr Mehmet COMERT