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# 5. Title

Regulation appended to the order of 23 November 1987 concerning the Safety of Vessels.

Division 219: Radio communications for the world-wide distress and safety at sea system.

#### 6. Products Concerned

The present division concerns the radio communications installations for the world-wide distress and safety at sea system on board vessels.

# 7. Notification Under Another Act

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# 8. Main Content

The present division fixes the requirements concerning the radio communications installations for the world-wide distress and safety at sea system on board new vessels constructed after 1 February 1995. These same requirements shall be applicable to all other vessels by 1 February 1999 at the latest.

# 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The present division constitutes the transposition, into the French Regulation, of the most recent relevant provisions on the question of International Conventions (International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) and the



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Torremolinos Convention of 1977 on the safety of fishing vessels) aimed at setting up the world-wide distress and safety at sea system. These provisions take account of the following in particular:

- 1988 amendments to chapter IV of the SOLAS Convention 74/78 and
- the Protocol of 1993 to the Torremolinos Convention of 1977

This division also defines, with the same aim, rules of the same kind applicable to commercial and fishing vessels not subject to the international conventions.

#### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

- Reference documents Basic texts
- SOLAS Convention 73/78 1992 issue (1).,
- Protocol of 1993 concerning the International Torremolinos Convention on the safety of fishing vessels, 1997 (1)

# 11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure No

# 12. Grounds for the Emergency

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