



Dienststelle Schiffssicherheit BG Verkehr

Class-Circular No.: 01/2017

Subject: AUTHORIZATION FOR CLASSIFICATION SOCIETIES (ROs) ON
GERMAN FLAGGED VESSELS REGARDING PLAN APPROVAL

Reference: Agreement on the Assignment of Tasks to Recognized
Organizations

Remark:

Date: 15 February 2017

Reorganization of BSH plan approval regarding installation/positioning of navigation and radio communication equipment and equipment under COLREG 72 for ships governed by international or European regulations/conventions

As of now the plan approval may be done by Recognized Organizations (classification societies) in Germany for ships built under supervision by the Recognized Organization and scheduled for German flag according to SOLAS, International or European Conventions (e.g. Torremolinos, HSC-Code, SPS-Code, EU-passenger ship directive etc.).

If the plan approval is done by a Recognized Organization, one set of the approved plans should be sent to BSH as hardcopy or adequate electronic version.

For non-convention ships, built under German national regulations, the plan approval will be done by BSH further on.

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