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**GUIDANCE FOR APPLICATION OF SOLAS REGULATION III/7,  
AS AMENDED BY RESOLUTION MSC.201(81)**

1 The Maritime Safety Committee, at its eighty-sixth session (27 May to 5 June 2009), having recognized the need for clarification of the scope of application of SOLAS regulation III/7, as amended by resolution MSC.201(81), related to infant life jackets, and considering the urgency of the matter, as the date of entry into force of the aforementioned amendments is 1 July 2010, agreed that the amendments should apply to all passenger ships and invited Contracting Governments to the 1974 SOLAS Convention to apply the amendments accordingly.

2 Member Governments are invited to bring the above information to the attention of all parties concerned.

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