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Subject: Launch of Joint Concentrated Inspection Campaign (CIC) in Stability in General

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The member authorities of the Tokyo and the Paris Memoranda of Understanding (MoU) on Port State Control have jointly agreed to launch CIC on Stability. Port State Control Officers (PSCOs) will use a pre-defined questionnaire to assess that information and equipment provided on board complies with the relevant conventions, that the master and officers are familiar with operations relating to stability and that equipment is properly maintained and functioning.

This inspection campaign will be held for three months, commencing from 1 September 2021 and ending 30 November 2021.


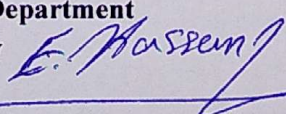
The organizations said that the focus of the inspections would be to confirm that the ship's crew are familiar with assessing the actual stability condition on completion of cargo operations before departure of the ship and during all stages of the voyage. They hope to create awareness among the ship's crew and owners about the importance of calculating the actual stability condition of the ship on completion of cargo operations and before departure from port. They will also seek to verify that the ship complies with intact stability requirements (and damage stability requirements, if applicable) under the relevant IMO instruments. If deficiencies are found, actions by the port State may vary from recording a deficiency and instructing the master to rectify it within a certain period of time to detaining the ship until the serious deficiencies have been rectified.

Therefore, this ICS circular issued and is attached with CIC checklist on ship's stability to note this matter for the surveyor as well as for shipping companies under ICS registration, to be aware and also prepared for this campaign.

The electronic file of this document could be found at the following address:

<http://ics.org.ir/Pages/fa/Statutory.aspx#part>

Also this Electronic File will be sent via email to all respectful ICS Customers and Surveyors.


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