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To	All Surveyors/Auditors. All flags
Title	<b>Energy Efficiency</b>
Reference	MARPOL Annex VI

**Energy Efficiency**

An International Energy Efficiency Certificate and Supplement are to be issued to any ship of 400 gross tonnage and above before that ship may engage in voyages to ports or offshore terminals under the jurisdiction of other Parties after a survey has been completed in accordance with the provisions of regulation 5.4 of Annex VI.

Floating platforms, floating storage units, floating production/storage offloading units, MODUs and MOUs, regardless of if self-propelled or non-self-propelled, and any other ship not propelled by mechanical means (including those fitted with a generator and/or pump engine (e.g., tank barges)), are excluded from complying with this regulation.

**Required Documentation**

MARPOL Annex VI surveys shall be performed in accordance with pertinent Codes, Regulations and Guidelines to confirm that applicable items are found or placed in satisfactory condition and that the vessel remains in compliance. The Initial survey shall also include confirmation of compliance with approved drawings and testing of machinery, equipment, and fittings as applicable.

**Regulation 22, 23, 24, 25(Attained and Required EEDI and EEXI), Applicability.**

Regulations 22, 23, 24, 25 applicability and overview are outlined below:

Regulation 22, 23, 24 and 25 of this Annex shall not apply to ships which have non-conventional propulsion, except that:

- Regulation 22 and 24 shall apply to cruise passenger ships having non-conventional propulsion and LNG carriers having conventional or non-conventional propulsion, delivered on or after 01 September 2019 as identified in regulation 2.2.1 and
- Regulation 23 and 25 shall apply to cruise passenger ships having non-conventional propulsion and LNG carriers having conventional and non-conventional propulsion.

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Regulations 22, 23, 24, 25 and 28 do not apply to category A ships as defined in the POLAR Code.

The Administration may waive the requirements for a ship of 400 gross tonnage and above to comply with regulations 22 (attained EEDI) and 24 (required EEDI) of this Annex per Circular 769.

REFERENCES:

- MARPOL Annex VI

ATTACHMENTS: No

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