



THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA
LIBERIA MARITIME AUTHORITY

22980 Indian Creek Drive
Suite 200
Dulles, Virginia 20166, USA
Tel: +1 703 790 3434
Fax: +1 703 790 5655
Email: RegsAndStandards@liscr.com
Web: www.liscr.com

22 August 2024

Marine Advisory: 26/2024

SUBJECT: System capabilities after a flooding casualty on passenger ships

Ref: (a) [MSC Resolution 436\(99\)](#)
(b) [MSC.1/Circ.1589](#)

Dear Shipowners/Operators/Recognized Organizations/Masters:

The purpose of this Marine Advisory is to inform all Shipowners, Operators, Recognized Organizations and Masters of amended Regulation 8-1.3.1 of SOLAS Chapter II-1 ([reference \(a\)](#)) relevant to the system capabilities and availability of operational information after a flooding casualty on passenger ships constructed before 1 January 2014, having length, as defined in the International Convention on Load Lines, of 120 m or more or having three or more main vertical zones.

Passenger ships described above shall provide operational information to the Master for a safe return to port after a flooding casualty not later than the first renewal survey after 1 January 2025 using one of the following options based on the guidelines developed in [reference \(b\)](#):

1. An on-board stability computer; or
2. A shore-based support

If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact the Regulations and Standards Department at RegsAndStandards@liscr.com.

* * * * *