

Dear Sir or Madam

This Service Letter informs about the IMO requirement for an Inventory of Hazardous Materials (IHM) placed on shipowners, shipbuilders, suppliers, recycling facilities and national authorities.

Contact

Any questions regarding the IHM or need for copies of IHM certificates can be directed to <u>Classification2S@man-es.com</u> using the subject: IHM Certificate [MAN Order no] [Customer PO no].

Yours faithfully

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Inventory of Hazardous Materials (IHM)

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Concerns

Owners and operators of MAN B&W two-stroke and MAN four-stroke diesel engines.

Summary

MAN Energy Solutions is committed to comply with all applicable ship recycling regulations and conventions. The Service Letter explains how MAN Energy Solutions will incorporate the preparation of certificates into existing processes.



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Green commitment

In 2009, the IMO Hong Kong agreed on a multilateral convention, signed by 63 countries, aimed to improve the health and safety of those who worked under the current ship recycling practices. In 2015, the EU introduced similar regulations.

The IHM requirement has been valid for newbuildings since 31 December 2018 and for older vessels it will be valid from 31 December 2020. The IHM requires shipowners to maintain and certify an inventory of hazardous materials onboard the vessels. A report must be prepared by certified experts through onboard sampling, visual checks and document analysis.

The convention states that the supplier must deliver two certificates: A Suppliers Declaration of Conformity (SDoC) together with a Material Declaration (MD). These

documents will be combined into one document, which has to accompany all orders.

Accessibility

MAN Energy Solutions is developing a solution where the document will be delivered along with other delivery documents. The information cannot be delivered earlier, as the documents depend on the specific part delivered, which is batch dependent. The documents will be sent via email. The information will also be available on the new MyPlace customer platform along with other documents. The final solution will go live in the fourth quarter of 2020.

From January 2021, MAN Energy Solutions will have a digital solution and the certificates will be sent together with the delivery for all consignments. In the meantime, the document will be issued manually as per request.