

To: Engineering Firms; Class Societies; Clients

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Attention: To whom it may concern

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Subject: ERMA FIRST System following MEPC 174 (58), MEPC 279 (70), MEPC 300 (72)

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ERMA FIRST has received MEPC 279 (70) [or 2016 Guidelines (G8)] with a Certificate No 2323.6-5\_01\_19 ERMA FIRST MEPC 279(70) by Greek Authorities Issued on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2019 with a validity until the 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024 and Submitted by Greece in IMO MEPC 75 under Agenda Item 4 on the pre-session public release with Reference MEPC 75/INF.7. Certificate is equivalent with MEPC 300 (72) [or BWMS Code] as per As per IMO Decision referenced in MEPC 72/17/Add.1, BWMS approved taking into account the 2016 Guidelines (G8) adopted by resolution MEPC.279(70) shall be deemed to be in accordance with the BWMS Code.

This a confirmation that ERMA FIRST System listed under [MEPC 174 (58)] with Certificate No 2323.6-5-01-18-Π-ERMA FIRST BWTS Type Approval Certificate issued by Greece is the same as listed under revised G8 MEPC.279(70) or BWMS Code, MEPC.300(72)

As per such, ship specific installation drawings (sister vessels) submitted prior 2020-10-28 for review and approval [MEPC 174 (58)], should not be affected from the installation of a BWMS with TAC as per revised G8 MEPC.279(70) or BWMS Code, MEPC.300(72).

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