

Requirement to consider contact with fishing gear

■ Summary of Major Amendments

| Related Rules/Guidance | Effective date |
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| Pt.3 Hull Structure Pt.10 Hull Structure and Equipment of Small Steel Ships | - ships contracted for construction on or after 1 July 2020 |

■ Major Amendments

○ Reason for Amendments

- Corrective action according to audit results of supervision by the Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries

○ Amendments

- Added the requirement to take special account of thickness of the shell plating if it is expected that there will be many opportunities for damage to the shell plating due to contact with the fishing gear

○ Impact Analysis

- ✓ Impacts and/or contributions to safety, security or environmental protection
 - : - Increased safety of fishing vessels by specifying the requirement for contact with shell plating and fishing gear
- ✓ Impact on net or total scantlings
 - : - N.A.