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ISPS CODE FOR CSO, SSO AND PFSO

Following the tragic events of 11th September 2001, the twenty-second session of the Assembly of the International Maritime Organization agreed to the development of new measures relating to the security of ships and of port facilities. The Diplomatic Conference on Maritime Security held in London in December 2002 adopted new provisions in the International Convention for the Safety of life at Sea to enhance maritime security.

ISPS Code, the International Ship and Port Facility Security Code, is mandatory since July 2004 according to the amendments of Chapter XI-2 of the Solas.

The objectives of the Code are to be achieved by designation of appropriate officers/personnel on each ship, in each port facility and in each shipping company to make security assessments and to prepare and to put into effect the security plans that will be approved for each ship and port facility.

COURSE CONTENT

The training will answer to these questions:

What are the responsibilities of my company?

What are the duties and responsibilities of the company security officer (CSO), the ship security officer (SSO) and the port facility security officer (PFSO)?

What type of threats encounter the shipping industry and the port facility?

What possible countermeasures?

How to assess ship security and prepare ship security plans?

How to assess port security and prepare port security plans?

How to develop and implement ISPS Code in my company, on board ships and on port facilities?

SSO – TRAINING COURSE REVISED ACCORDING TO STCW CONVENTION AMENDMENTS

The Maritime Safety Committee of the International Maritime Organisation, at its 81st session on 18 May 2006 had approved amendments to the International Convention on Standards Certification and watchkeeping for Seafarers 1978, as amended (STCW Convention) to include the training and certification of Ship Security Officer (SSO). Under the STCW amendments, those persons who became SSOs on or after January 1, 2008, must comply with the new requirements as of January 1, 2008.

KEY LEARNING AREAS

- The security requirements of the ISPS Code
- Application of ISPS Code to ship security / port facility security
- Major maritime threats
- The threat countermeasures
- Ship security assessment / port facility assessment
- Ship security plans / port facility security plans
- How to implement ISPS Code
- How to audit the Security Plan on Shipboard

Proposed Duration ■ 1 day for updating training for those who have already attended and approved SSO training course. 3 days for the others.

Who should attend ■ Ship owners, Ship managers, Company and Ship Security officers, Port Facility managers, Port Facility officers and others.

Complementary training courses ■ Auditor.

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