ANNEX 12

RESOLUTION MSC.360(92) (Adopted on 21 June 2013)

AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE OF SAFETY FOR DYNAMICALLY SUPPORTED CRAFT (DSC CODE)

THE MARITIME SAFETY COMMITTEE,

RECALLING Article 28(b) of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization concerning the functions of the Committee,

RECALLING ALSO that the Assembly, when adopting resolution A.373(X) on the *Code of Safety for Dynamically Supported Craft* (DSC Code), authorized the Committee to amend the Code as may be necessary,

RECOGNIZING the need for introduction into this Code of provisions for enclosed space entry and rescue drills,

HAVING CONSIDERED, at its ninety-second session, the recommendations made by the Sub-Committee on Dangerous Goods, Solid Cargoes and Containers, at its seventeenth session.

- 1. ADOPTS amendments to the DSC Code, set out in the annex to the present resolution;
- 2. INVITES all Governments concerned to take appropriate steps to give effect to the annexed amendments to the Code by 1 January 2015.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE OF SAFETY FOR DYNAMICALLY SUPPORTED CRAFT (DSC CODE)

Insert a new paragraph in chapter 17 "Operational requirements" as follows:

"17.5.4 Personnel with enclosed space entry or rescue responsibilities should participate in an enclosed space entry and rescue drill, to be held on board the craft, at least once every two months. Enclosed space entry and rescue drills should be planned and conducted in a safe manner, taking into account, as appropriate, the guidance provided in the recommendations developed by the Organization."

^{*} Refer to the Revised recommendations for entering enclosed spaces aboard ships (resolution A.1050(27))."