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"HARMONISATION OF IACS COMMON STRUCTURAL RULES"

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Meeting to be held at

Lloyd's Register, 71 Fenchurch Street, London, EC3M 4BS

At 17:30 for 17:45 hours

(duration approx 1 hour)

After the introduction of the IACS Common Structural Rules (CSR) for oil tankers and bulk carriers, IACS decided to harmonise the two, to fulfil its promise to the Maritime Industry. Ten working groups were created to deal with this task.

Later, IACS decided that the harmonised CSR will comply with the more recently introduced IMO Goal Based Standards (GBS). This additional task required adjustments, both in the project schedule and in the rule requirements.

This paper presents an overview of the work carried out by the different project teams within IACS in the harmonisation process.

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