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INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON LOAD LINES, 1966

**Communication received under article 26
from France**

The Secretary-General has been informed in conformity with article 26(1)(c) of the International Convention on Load Lines, 1966, that the following non-governmental agencies are currently authorized to issue International Load Line Certificates on behalf of the French Administration:

Bureau Veritas
Lloyd's Register of Shipping

The Secretary-General has also been informed that this situation is destined to change within the framework of the application of Council Directive 94/57/EEC of 22 November 1994 which "establishes common rules and standards for ship inspection and survey organizations and for the relevant activities of maritime administration."

This authorization supersedes that notified in circular LL.2/Circ.102.
