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Subject: Amendments to SOLAS and related mandatory Codes taking effect in 2026

The amendments of SOLAS Convention and related mandatory instruments adopted during the period between 1 July 2022 and 30 June 2024 (i.e., from 106th to 108th sessions of IMO's Maritime Safety Committee) will enter into force on 1 January 2026, i.e., an ad-hoc implementation date in addition to the four-year cycle entry-into-force scheme (MSC.1/Circ.1481).

In addition, some of the amendments will take effect on 1 July 2026 outside the four-year cycle scheme due to their urgency.

Therefore, the document summarizing the amendments of SOLAS and related mandatory Codes that take effect in year 2026 is hereby attached for your information and reference.

Kind regards,

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