



MARINA CIRCULAR NO. 2011- 01

Series of 2011

- TO : All Shipbuilders/Boatbuilders, Shipowners/Operators and All Others Concerned
- SUBJECT : **RULES FOR CONSTRUCTION OF WOODEN HULL SHIPS AND FOR WOODEN HULL BOATS WITH OUTRIGGERS**

Pursuant to P.D. 474, Sec. 12 (e) of E.O. No. 125/125-A, Sec. 1(1) of P.D. No. 1059 and Sec. 10 (11) of R.A. No. 9295, the following are hereby adopted:

I. OBJECTIVE

To enhance and foster the safety of wooden hull ships to be constructed in the country.

II. COVERAGE

This Circular shall apply to all ships/boats to be constructed and subsequently operated in the Philippines using wooden hull materials.

III. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The following rules and standard design, as herein attached and made as an integral part of this Circular, are hereby officially adopted, and shall serve as minimum standards and requirements in the construction of wooden hull ships, including wooden hull boats with outriggers;
 - 1.1 **Rules for Construction of Wooden Hull Ships;** and
 - 1.2 **Rules for the Construction of Wooden Hull Boats with Outriggers.**
2. Ships plans involving wooden hull ships to be constructed, and subsequent repairs thereon, shall comply with the herein adopted rules and standard design before approval is given, and authority to construct is issued, by the MARINA.
3. The MARINA Management shall coordinate and supervise the implementation of the herein adopted rules for the construction of Wooden Hull ships and for Wooden Hull Boats with outriggers, and provide guidance/resolution to any provisions therein that require further interpretations/clarifications. Authority is likewise given to MARINA Management to ensure periodic review and evaluation of such rules and to introduce amendments/improvements thereto.

IV. REPEALING CLAUSE

All circulars, rules and regulations and other issuances inconsistent herewith are hereby amended or repealed accordingly.



V. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication once in a newspaper of general circulation or in the Official Gazette.

Manila, Philippines.

By Authority of the Board:

(Sgd)**EMERSON M. LORENZO, CESO V**
Administrator

Secretary's Certificate

This is to certify that MARINA Circular No. 2011-01 has been approved during the 210th Regular Meeting of the Marina Board of Directors held on October 27, 2010.

(Sgd)**ATTY. VIRGILIO B. CALAG**
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