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Dear Betul BASKAYA

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Further to our recent correspondence with our Tom Kinder and Frans Paap, this letter confirms that for the above 3 ducts, which are fabricated completely from Aluminium or Stainless Steel, Certification or Approval is not necessary for their use on board vessels sailing in international waters.

In IMO Resolution MSC 307(88), the Fire Test Procedures Code, Annex 2 provides a listing of Products which may be installed without Testing and/or Approval. Clause 1 of this Annex states:

"In general, products made only of glass, concrete, ceramic products, natural stone, masonry units, common metals and metal alloys are considered as being non-combustible and they may be installed without testing and approval"

The above duct systems are made only of aluminium or stainless steel and can therefore be used on board ship without approval.

Yours Sincerely

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