

IACS

**INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF CLASSIFICATION SOCIETIES**

QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY

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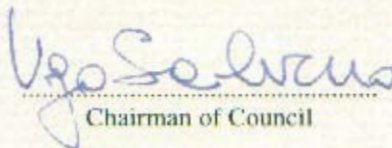
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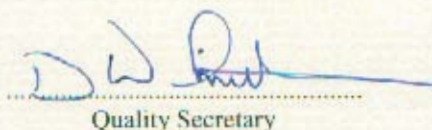
IACS QSCS covers the following services rendered by a classification society:

- classification of ships and offshore installations in respect of both newbuilding and in service,
- statutory work carried out on behalf of appropriate national Administrations.

Date 19 November 2003

For IACS


Chairman of Council


Quality Secretary

Continued compliance with the requirements is documented by the issuance of QSCS Annual Compliance Reports.