

Revalidation course for Masters & Deck Officers

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1. The certificates of competency granted to the Officers under Chapter II of the M. S. (STCW) Rules 1998 are required to be revalidated in accordance with Chapter I - Rule 10 (2) of the stated rules. Further, reference is invited to Section M-I/10 Para 2 of Maritime Education, Training and Assessment (META) Manual Volume I. Reference is also invited to Appendix M-I/10B of Maritime Education, Training and Assessment (META) Manual Volume II, on the above subject.
2. The first revalidation course in accordance with Appendix M-I/10B as above will commence in June 2003 at the Lal Bahadur Shastri College of Advance Maritime Studies & Research (LBS CAMSAR). The course curriculum is attached herewith as [Annex I](#). The format of the Certificate to be issued by the training Institute on satisfactory completion of the course is attached as [Annex IA](#).
3. The maritime training institutes already approved for Chief Mate and Master's (FG) courses are eligible for conducting the above-referred (new revalidation) course. However, they are required to apply for the approval to the Directorate giving details of the faculty members having adequate background and experience meeting the Annexure requirements.
4. Officers, who have not upgraded their certificates of competency to STCW'95 standards, shall comply with the requirements contained in Appendix M-I/10 for respective grades. However, where the requirements of a 10 days / 5 days Refresher and Updating Training is contained therein, they may undergo the course curriculum as contained in [Annex II](#), prior to being admitted to the Revalidation Course as contained in [Annex I](#). The format of the Certificate to be issued by the training Institute on satisfactory completion of the Annex II course is attached as [Annex IIA](#).

This issues with the approval of the Nautical Adviser to the Govt. of India.

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