

No. The Recognised Organisations are:

- 1) American Bureau of Shipping,
- 2) Bureau Veritas,
- 3) DNV GL,
- 4) RINA,
- 5) ClassNK and
- 6) Lloyd's Register.

All Interim, Initial Certificates and audits have been delegated. Intermediate and Renewals are delegated on a case-by-case basis.

ANALYSIS: Noted.

See Section 4 of MLN 031 (Annex 31 to the report) which reads as follows:

“4. Recognised Organisations and Certifying Authorities

- i. Recognised Classification Societies: ABS, BV, DNVGL, LR, ClassNK, RINA
- ii. Recognised Certifying Authorities: MECAL, YDSA, SCMS”

Please describe how your country reviews the competence and independence of recognized organizations, including information on any system established for oversight and communication of relevant information to authorized organizations.

(Regulation 5.1.2, paragraph 2; Standard A5.1.2, paragraph 1)

Please indicate the applicable national provisions and, if possible, reproduce the relevant texts.

This information is already included above in connection with Regulation 5.1.1

First report: Gibraltar, along with the UK and other British administrations, audits the ROs on an annual basis on all Flag State regimes.

ANALYSIS: Applied.

Second report:

Third report:

Fourth report:

Additional information concerning implementation of Regulation 5.1.2.

First report:

Second report:

Third report:

Fourth report:

Documentation: Please provide, in English, French or Spanish, an example or examples of authorizations given to recognized organizations *(Regulation 5.1.1, paragraph 5; Regulation 5.1.2, paragraph 2)*.

First report: MLC delegation instruction attached. **Not attached (Requested September 2017)**

Second report:

Third report:

Fourth report: