
CC1 Interpretation of sub-section 3.9(b), BCH Code

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(corresponds to paragraph 13.1.1.2 of the IBC Code)

Sub-section 3.9(b) of the Code reads as follows:

‘(b) Restricted device which penetrates the tank and which, when in use, permits a small quantity of cargo vapour or liquid to be exposed to the atmosphere. When not in use, the device is completely closed. The design should ensure that no dangerous escape of tank contents (liquid or spray) can take place in opening device.’

This paragraph may be interpreted as follows:

‘A restricted device could be a sounding pipe with inside diameter not exceeding 200 mm, with vapour tight cover.’

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