Offshore Special Regulation – Provisions for reboarding

To adapt to ISO 15085

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Purpose or Objective

To adapt OSR to the upcoming ISO 15085 – “Man overboard and recovery”

Proposal

Add a new text as a new OSR paragraph 3.30 “A yacht shall be provided with means of reboarding from the water, capable of being reached and deployed quickly without the use of tools by a person in the water”

Cat 0-4

Current Position

None

Reason

It is generally logical that there should be a requirement for boats in Cat 4 and above to have proper equipment to support a person in water to get back on board. If an international ISO standard is underway, this should also be included in OSR.