

Submission: **SR34-11**

**Offshore Special Regulations – 4.26.4(i)**

**Housekeeping on Materials of Construction of Sails**

A submission from the Chairman, Special Regulations Sub-Committee

Proposal

Delete current text (i):

4.26.4	<b>The following shall be provided:-</b>	
( i )	<i>It is strongly recommended that the heavy weather jib does not contain aromatic polyamides, carbon fibres and other high modulus fibres.</i>	**

Current Position

As above

Reason:

Housekeeping.

The WP has noticed that 4.26.3 (b) is repeated at 4.26.4 (i) and recommends that the second iteration should be deleted.

Oceanic and Offshore Committee November 2010 minute:

“..It was agreed that the submissions resulting from the working party(apart from any regarding point 6) are not expected to be re-debated as this subject has now received considerable attention.

Decision:

It was agreed that the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Special Regulations Sub-Committee should prepare submissions to implement the recommendations in the OSR 2012. “