

## 8 PERIOD OF GRACE FOR OTHER TEST PROCEDURES

8.1 The newest test procedures adopted by the Organization are considered being the most suitable for demonstrating that the products concerned comply with the applicable fire safety requirements of the Convention.

8.2 Notwithstanding what is said elsewhere in this Code, the Administration may use established test procedures and acceptance criteria, other than those in annex 1 to this Code, when approving products to comply with the fire safety requirements of the Convention to allow a practicable period of grace for the testing laboratories to obtain testing equipment, for the industry to re-test their products and for the Administrations to provide the necessary new certification. For such other test procedures and acceptance criteria the test expiry dates and the approval expiry dates are given in annex 3 to this Code.

## 9 LIST OF REFERENCES

The following IMO Assembly resolutions and ISO standards are referred to in parts 1 to 9 of annex 1 to the Code:

- .1 resolution A.471(XII) - "Recommendation on test method for determining the resistance to flame of vertically supported textiles and films";
- .2 resolution A.563(14) - "Amendments to the Recommendation on test method for determining the resistance to flame of vertically supported textiles and films (resolution A.471(XII))";
- .3 resolution A.652(16) - "Recommendation on fire test procedures for upholstered furniture";
- .4 resolution A.653(16) - "Recommendation on improved fire test procedures for surface flammability of bulkhead, ceiling and deck finish materials";
- .5 resolution A.687(17) - "Fire test procedures for ignitability of primary deck coverings";
- .6 resolution A.688(17) - "Fire test procedures for ignitability of bedding components";
- .7 resolution A.753(18) - "Guidelines for the application of plastic pipes on ships";
- .8 resolution A.754(18) - "Recommendation on fire resistance tests for "A", "B" and "F" class divisions";
- .9 ISO 1182:1990 - "Fire test - Building materials - Non-combustibility test";
- .10 ISO 1716:1973 - "Building materials - Determination of calorific potential"; and
- .11 ISO 5659:1994 - "Plastics - Smoke generation, Part 2 Determination of optical density by a single chamber test".