

Governments shall be subjected to a periodical survey of the radiotelephone installation not less than once every twelve months. This survey shall be made while the vessel is in active service or within not more than one month before the date on which it is placed in such service.

2. The inspection and survey of radiotelephone installations shall be carried out by officers of the Contracting Governments for their respective vessels. With respect to any vessel which belongs to any other country, such inspection shall be carried out by officers of the Contracting Government within whose jurisdiction such vessel first enters and thereafter by the Contracting Government having jurisdiction as determined by the location of the vessel at the time of any inspection deemed necessary by such Government.

3. Each Contracting Government may entrust the inspection and survey of the radiotelephone installations either to surveyors nominated for this purpose or to organizations recognized by it. In every case the Contracting Government concerned fully guarantees the completeness and efficiency of the inspection and survey.

ARTICLE 12

Certification and Privileges

1. If, after appropriate inspection or survey made in accordance with Article 11, the Contracting Government responsible for the inspection or survey is satisfied that all relevant provisions of this Agreement have been complied with, including any exemption or conditions of exemption approved in accordance with Article 6, that fact shall be certified immediately after each such inspection or survey either on the vessel's radiotelephone station license or by means of another document as determined by the Contracting Government.

2. The certification prescribed by paragraph 1 of this Article shall be kept on board the vessel while the vessel is subject to the provisions of this Agreement and shall be available for inspection by the officers authorized by the Contracting Governments to make such inspections. Certifications issued under the authority of a Contracting Government shall be accepted by the other Contracting Government for all purposes covered by this Agreement.

ARTICLE 13

Issue of Certificate on Request of Responsible Administration

Each of the Contracting Governments may, at the request of the other, cause a vessel for the survey of which the requesting Government is primarily responsible to be surveyed, and, if satisfied that the requirements of this Agreement are complied with, issue certificates to the vessel in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Any certificate so issued must contain a statement to the effect that it has been issued at the request of the Government which made the request, and it shall have the same force and receive the same recognition as a certificate issued under Article 12 of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 14

Control

1. Over and above the application of this Agreement as set forth in the provisions of paragraph 1 of Article 3 of this Agreement, every vessel required by this Agreement to have a certificate issued by one Contracting Government in accordance with Article 12 or Article 13 is subject in the ports of the other Contracting Government to control by officers duly authorized by such Government insofar as this control is directed towards verifying that