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framework for inland navigation: Application of UNECE resolutions relating to inland navigation

Comments of Ukraine on application of UNECE resolutions

Note by Ukraine

In addition to the information consolidated in document ECE/TRANS/SC.3/2013/9, the Working Party on Inland Water Transport may wish to consider information on the application of UNECE resolutions transmitted by Ukraine.

No.	Title of Resolution	Application by Ukraine*
13 revised	International Certificate (international card) for Pleasure Craft (TRANS/SC.3/118, annex 2 and TRANS/SC.3/131)	
14 revised	International Certificate (international card) concerning the Competence of Pleasure-Craft Operators (TRANS/SC.3/96 and TRANS/SC.3/131)	
15	Ship-Borne Barges (TRANS/SC.3/83, annex 2 and TRANS/SC.3/131)	A
21 revised	Prevention of Pollution of Inland Navigation by Vessels (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/179) and its Addenda 1, 2 and 3 (TRANS/SC.3/150)	A
22 revised	SIGNI – Signs and Signals on Inland Waterways (TRANS/SC.3/108/Rev.2)	A. Comment: The light signals marking of Ukrainian inland waterways has been replaced in conformity with Resolution No. 22.
24 revised	European Code for Inland Waterways (CEVNI) (TRANS/SC.3/115/Rev.4 and Corr.1)	A
30	Classification of European Inland Waterways (TRANS/SC.3/131)	A

A C * Legend: Resolution is applied

Application is under consideration

Resolution is not applied Resolution is applied in part Blank -No information is available

No.	Title of Resolution	Application by Ukraine*
31 revised	Recommendations on Minimum Requirements for the Issuance of Boatmaster's Certificates in Inland Navigation with a view to their Reciprocal Recognition for International Traffic (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/184)	A
35	Standardized UNECE Vocabulary for Radio-Connections in Inland Navigation (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/185)	P. For harmonized communication in inland navigation Ukraine uses IMO Standard Marine Communication Phrases, which were used as the basis for drafting Resolution No. 35 and to which inland-specific phrases were added.
40 revised	International Certificate for Operators of Pleasure Craft (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/147/Rev.2)	N. Comment: The Decree of the Ministry of Transport No. 686 of 2 February 2004 provides for the issuance to operators of craft used exclusively for recreational purposes, that are not subject to the provisions of the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers of 1978, of a certificate of pleasure craft operator for the navigation of the following two categories of craft:
		• craft of less than 30m in length equipped with a power unit of less than 750 kWt (1020 h.p.);
		• craft of less than 12 m in length equipped with a power unit of less than 220 kWt (300 h.p.).
41	Small Craft Used Exclusively for Pleasure Navigation (TRANS/SC.3/148)	A
48 revised	Recommendation on Electronic Chart Display and Information System for Inland Navigation (Inland ECDIS) (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/156/Rev.2 and its Annexes and Appendices)	A
49 revised	Inventory of Most Important Bottlenecks and Missing Links in the E Waterway Network (TRANS/SC.3/159/Rev.1)	
52 revised	European Recreational Inland Navigation Network (TRANS/SC.3/164/Rev.1)	
57 revised	Guidelines and Recommendations for River Information Services (RIS) (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/165/Rev.1)	A. Comment: In accordance with Decree No. 7 of the Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine of 25 February 2011 concerning measures to implement River Information Services on inland waterways of Ukraine, RIS have been set up with due regard to the provisions of Resolution No. 57.
58	Guidelines and Criteria for Vessel Traffic Services on Inland Waterways (TRANS/SC.3/166 and Corr.1)	
59 revised	Guidelines for Waterway Signs and Marking (TRANS/SC.3/169/Rev.1) and Appendix 1	Requirements for waterway signs and marking are reflected in the addenda to Decree No. 91 of the Ministry of Transport of Ukraine of 16 February 2004 concerning the adoption of Rules for navigation on inland waterways of Ukraine.
60	International Standards for Notices to Skippers and for Electronic Ship Reporting in Inland Navigation (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/175 and Amend.1) and its Annexes and Appendices	A. Comment: In accordance with the Decree No. 7 of the Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine of 25 February 2011 concerning measures to implement River Information Services on inland waterways of Ukraine, as amended by Decree No. 53 of the Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine of 30 January 2013, the equipment for transmitting electronic messages must comply with the requirements of Resolution No. 60.

No.	Title of Resolution	Application by Ukraine*
61 revised	Recommendations on Harmonized Europe-Wide Technical Requirements for Inland Navigation Vessels (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/172/Rev.1 and Amend.1 and 2)	C. Comment: The competent authority duly authorized in Ukraine to carry out the inspection of inland navigation vessels is the Shipping Register of Ukraine. National Rules for Construction and Classification of Inland navigation Vessels and Rules on ship's certificates of the Shipping Register of Ukraine include the provisions annexed to Resolution No. 61 on "Harmonized Europe-Wide Technical Requirements for Inland Navigation Vessels", with the exception of the provisions of Chapter 23 ("Crews"), except for section 23–9, and of annexes 3 (Safety signs and signals) and 5 (Model of a service record), and provide for the division of inland waterways into navigable zones 1, 2 and 3 in accordance with chapter 1 of the annex to Resolution No. 61. The above-mentioned rules of the Shipping Register of Ukraine include, in the rules on the construction and on the procedure for issuing certificates, the provisions of the European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (ADN).
63	International Standards for Tracking and Tracing in Inland Waterways (VTT) (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/176)	
69	Guidelines for Passenger Vessels also suited for carrying Persons with Reduced Mobility (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/188)	N

Note by the secretariat: The texts of all the Resolutions mentioned above are available for consultation on the UNECE website: www.unece.org/trans/main/sc3/sc3res.html.