

Chief Safety Officer Decision (Application for Substitution, Equivalency, or Exemption)

Date:	2020-Apr-16 11:22:54 AM NDT
C-NLOPB Reference:	2019-RQ-0050
Applicant:	Diamond Offshore Drilling Inc.
Applicant Reference:	OGW-006-PIR
Installation Name:	MODU-Ocean GreatWhite
Authority:	<i>Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Atlantic Accord Implementation</i> <i>Act,</i> subsection 151(1) & section 205.069
	<i>Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Atlantic Accord Implementation</i> <i>Newfoundland and Labrador Act,</i> subsection 146(1) and section 201.66
Regulation:	Subsection 8(8) of the <i>Newfoundland Offshore Petroleum Installations</i> Regulations

Decision:

The Chief Safety Officer approves the Applicant's, the owner of the *MODU Ocean GreatWhite*, use of API RP 505, DNV-OS-A101, DNV-OS-D201, IMO MODU Code, IEC 61892, and IEC 60079 in lieu of the requirements in Subsection 8(8) of the *Newfoundland Offshore Petroleum Installations Regulations* which specifies the use of the *Canadian Electrical Code Part 1* for electrical equipment in hazardous areas onboard the *Ocean GreatWhite*.

This Decision is effective from the date of issuance herein until the earlier of:

- a) the date a Regulation referenced herein is repealed or the date a particular subsection that is the object of a substitution or exemption being granted hereby is amended or replaced, or
- b) the date on which the CSO and /or CCO (as applicable) revokes this Decision as a result of i) any enforcement action by the Board related to this Decision or ii) new information or analysis coming to light challenging the assessment upon which this Decision was based, including but not limited to any changes to commitments made by the Applicant in its application.

For greater certainty, the Chief Safety Officer will no longer have authority under the Accord Acts to grant exemptions for Part III.1 transitional regulations once they are repealed.

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