



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

**Date:** 2021-May-18 | 3:32:06 PM NDT

**C-NLOPB Reference:** 2021-RQ-0041

**Applicant:** Heerema Marine Contractors

**Applicant Reference:** HMC-480-001

**Installation Name:** DCV-Balder

**Authority:** *Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Atlantic Accord Implementation Act, subsection 151(1) & section 205.069*  
  
*Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Atlantic Accord Implementation Newfoundland and Labrador Act, subsection 146(1) & section 201.66*

**Regulation:** Section 209 and 231 of the *Canada – Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Marine Installations and Structures Occupational Health and Safety Transitional Regulations*


**Decision:**

The Chief Safety Officer approves the Applicant's, the owner of the *DCV-Balder*, use of Lloyd's Register Code for *Lifting Appliances in a Marine Environment*, Lloyd's Register *Rules for Mobile Offshore Units* and Lloyd's Register *Construction and Classification of Mobile Offshore Units* for the design, construction, operation, maintenance, and inspection of the two pedestal mounted cranes, in lieu of *API Standard 2C* and *API Standard RP 2D* as specified in the *Canada – Newfoundland and Labrador Offshore Marine Installations and Structures Occupational Health and Safety Transitional Regulations*.

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- a) the date a Regulation referenced herein is repealed or the date a particular subsection that is the object of a substitution or exemption being granted hereby is amended or replaced, or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, 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longer have authority under the Accord Acts to grant exemptions for Part III.1 transitional regulations once they are repealed.

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Chief Safety Officer