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Authorized by the Chief Examiners of Engineers and Master & Mates	Examination, Assessment & Certification (EAC) Branch	IS/ISO Clause No. 7.5.1
	Subject: Mandatory requirement for submission of successful completion of training course on High Voltage system for Certificate of Competency examination / revalidation by engineer officers and electro technical officers	Corrigendum 2 of Circular No. 134 of 2017
	F. No: - ENG/MISC-29(7)/2016	Dated: 05/05/2017

**Corrigendum to Examination, Assessment & Certification  
(EAC) Branch Circular No. 134 of 2017**


The EAC Branch Circular No 134 of 2017 dated 17 January 2017, Para No. 7(b) & (d) have been partially amended with respect to the cut-off date of **1 July 2017** which is now to be read as **1 July 2018**. These paragraphs have been reproduced below with the changed cut-off date:

**Para 7 (b):** All seafarers who have been issued with engineering grade or electro-technical officer CoC with limitation "Not valid for service on ships fitted with High Voltage (i.e. over 1000V) system beyond **1 January 2017**" are required to successfully complete the applicable high voltage course before **1 July 2018**. Upon completion of the High voltage course, such seafarers should ensure that the limitation on their CoC is deleted at the examination centre of the Mercantile Marine Departments.

**Para 7 (d):** All those seafarers who have been issued with revalidated CoC with limitation "Not valid for service on ships fitted with High Voltage (i.e. over 1000V) system beyond **1 January 2017** are required to successfully complete the applicable high voltage course before **1 July 2018**. Upon completion of the High voltage course, such seafarers should ensure that the limitation on their CoC is deleted at the examination centre of the Mercantile Marine Departments.

The change in the cut-off date has been incorporated in the aforesaid circular after deliberations in the Directorate on receipt of the representations from the seafarers, seafarers' unions, shipping companies and their associations on the difficulties being faced by the seafarers to adhere to the cut off date of 1 July 2017 for removal of the HV limitations from the CoCs issued to the seafarers. Bearing in mind that the matter has been referred to the International Maritime Organisation for clarification on the issue of HV limitation on CoCs issued to the electro-technical officers and engineer officers and that the same is awaited.

In view of the above, this corrigendum is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

  
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