

## Attachment 3 - Summary of changes to EX06

<b>Division 2 – Extension of time – periodic survey and equipment certification (other than renewal survey)</b>	
<b>Exemption from</b>	The condition imposed under paragraph 14(1)(a) of Marine Order 503 on a vessel's certificate of survey, to the extent that it requires the timing of periodic surveys or inspections under the vessel's survey cycle to be met. If a vessel has a load line certificate (LLC), the LLC itself may specify an inspection date. In this case, an exemption is granted to allow for extension from that date.
<b>How has this changed from the old EX06?</b>	Flexibility has been provided for an application to be made for this type of exemption within 90 days before <i>or after</i> the due date of the survey, or the expiry date of the equipment certificate of currency. A note has been added to explain the relationship between EX06 and EX07. This exemption was not previously available for load line certificates,
<b>Rationale for change</b>	AMSA recognises there may be good reasons why an application for this type of exemption is not made before the due date of the periodic survey or equipment certification. This change allows for an application to be made up to 90 days after the due date. It is recognised that certain existing vessels are not required to have a CoS but are, under their grandfathered standards, required to have a load line certificate). In this case, an extension from the inspection date mentioned on the LLC itself is necessary.
<b>Is an application required?</b>	Yes – in the approved form (to the National Regulator)
<b>How is the approval issued?</b>	The National Regulator will only issue an approval if it is satisfied that the safety of the vessel or persons on board will not be jeopardised; and it is impracticable, or would cause unreasonable or unnecessary expense for the owner if the approval is not given. The National Regulator can impose any conditions it considers necessary on the approval, and may require a report on the condition of the vessel or its equipment from an accredited marine surveyor. The National Regulator will provide the applicant with a written approval.
<b>When will the exemption start/end</b>	Starts on the day after the due date of the periodic survey, or the day after expiry of the equipment certificate, provided that an application for the extension of time has been made. If the application is made after the periodic survey due date or equipment certificate expiry date, the exemption will start on the day the application is made. Ends on a date specified by the National Regulator which may be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- up to 180 days from the day the vessel was to be surveyed or inspected; or</li> <li>- up to 90 days from the day the equipment certificate of currency was to expire.</li> </ul>
<b>Example</b>	A vessel changes ownership around the time a periodic survey is due but the previous owner has not made arrangements for periodic survey and has not applied for an extension of time. The new owner can apply for an extension within the 90 days after the periodic survey was due.