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CONSIDERATION OF A DRAFT INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
FOR THE SAFETY OF LIFE AT SEA, 1974

Comment on Article VIII

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It is considered desirable that a provision be included in Article VIII concerning new Chapters to be drawn up, the procedures for the adoption, acceptance and entry into force of which would have to be the same as those for the adoption, acceptance and entry into force of an amendment to an Article of the Convention.

The following text is proposed:

"The adoption, acceptance and entry into force of a new Chapter shall be subject to the same procedures as apply to the adoption, acceptance and entry into force of an amendment to an Article of the Convention."