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MERCHANT SHIPPING (MARITIME CLAIMS LIMITATION OF LIABILITY)

## MERCHANT SHIPPING (MARITIME CLAIMS LIMITATION OF LIABILITY) ACT, 1989 (CALCULATION OF TONNAGE) ORDER, 1990

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## (SECOND SCHEDULE)

[Commencement 10th August, 1990]

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Maritime Claims Limitation of Liability) Act, 1989 (Calculation of Tonnage) Order, 1990.

Citation

2. (1) For the purposes of Article 6 of the Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims 1976 and of paragraph 5 of Part II of the Second Schedule to the Merchant Shipping (Maritime Claims Limitation of Liability) Act, 1989, the gross tonnage of a ship shall be calculated in accordance with regulations 4 to 6 of the Merchant Shipping (Tonnage) Regulations, 1982.

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Applied regulations of the UK, SI 1982 No 841

(2) In the case of a ship of which, at the time when limitation is claimed, the tonnage has not been and cannot be ascertained in accordance with paragraph (1), the best evidence available of the measurements of the ship shall be used in calculating the tonnage of the ship according to those regulations.