

## **THE COMMITTEE FOR STANDARDS AND RELATED DOCUMENTS ISS/CS P188, SHIPBUILDING AND MARINE STRUCTURES ADOPTED THE STANDARDS**

The Director of the Institute for Standardization of Serbia passed a decision No. 1065/33-20-02/2011. to establish the Committee for standards and related documents CS P188, Shipbuilding and marine structures.

The area of work covered by this Committee is the standardization in the field of shipbuilding for inland waterway vessels and navigation, as well as of the equipment, and structural elements of small craft, including boats and life-saving appliances.

This Committee was set up for the purpose of carrying out the following duties:

- development, review and withdrawal of Serbian standards and related documents within the specified area, in accordance with the internal rules and instructions of the Institute for Standardization of Serbia;
- ensuring compliance of Serbian standards and related documents with European and international standards within the specified area;
- taking part in developing and reviewing standards and related documents in connection with European and international organizations for standardization within the specified area;

In the context of the activities mentioned above, the Committee for standards follows the work of technical committees ISO/TC 008, ISO/TC 188 of the International Organization for Standardization, and CEN/CC T01 and CEN/TC 15 of the European Committee for Standardization. By 31 December 2012, the Committee is obliged to issue necessary decisions and make necessary steps to adopt all European standards and related documents within the responsibility of the Technical Committee CEN/SS T01 and CEN/TC 15 as Serbian standards and related documents respectively.

The following persons were appointed to the Committee:

1. Ljubinka Radosavljević, PhD, Doctor of Technical Sciences, Authority for Determination of the Seaworthiness, chairperson
2. Todor Bačkalić, PhD, Assistant Professor at the University of Novi Sad, Faculty of Technical Sciences, member
3. Igor Bačkalov, PhD, Assistant Professor at the University of Belgrade, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, member.

Serbian standards adopted by publishing English versions (the title of standards is translated into Serbian) may be subsequently adopted in translated version, on a proposal from the Committee members and/or stakeholders, in which case the proposing party should submit the initial translation of the standard concerned. The Committee is obliged to consider and adopt the Serbian draft standards which shall be subject to public enquiry within a period of 60 days.

The Committee held several sessions and adopted a number of standards passed the public enquiry.