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29-Oct-2025  
Houston ESD - Piping

## CERTIFICATE OF Product Design Assessment

This is to certify that a representative of this Bureau did, at the request of

**KIDDE-FENWAL INC.**

located at

**400 MAIN STREET, ASHLAND, MA, United States, 01721**

assess design plans and data for the below listed product. This assessment is a representation by the Bureau as to the degree of compliance the design exhibits with applicable sections of the Rules. This assessment does not waive unit certification or classification procedures required by ABS Rules for products to be installed in ABS classed vessels or facilities. This certificate, by itself, does not reflect that the product is Type Approved. The scope and limitations of this assessment are detailed on the pages attached to this certificate.

**Product:** Fixed Fire Extinguishing System  
**Model:** Kidde Fire Systems Marine ECS NOVEC 1230 Fire Suppression System  
**Endorsements:**  
**Tier:** 3 - Type Approved, unit certification not required

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Acceptance of product is limited to the "Intended Service" details prescribed in the certificate and as per applicable Rules and Standards.

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NOTE: This certificate evidences compliance with one or more of the Rules, Guides, standards or other criteria of ABS or a statutory, industrial or manufacturer's standards. It is issued solely for the use of ABS, its committees, its clients or other authorized entities. Any significant changes to the aforementioned product without approval from ABS will result in this certificate becoming null and void. This certificate is governed by ABS Rules 1-1-A3/5.9 Terms and Conditions of the Request for Product Type Approval and Agreement (2010)

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**Endorsements:**

**Intended Service:**  
Marine & Offshore Applications - Machinery Space, Cargo Pump Rooms on Tankers, Paint Lockers.

**Description:**  
Novec 1230 Total Flooding Clean Fire Suppression Systems

**Rating:**  
Ratings to be in accordance with Manual P/N 45-NOVMAR-001

**Service Restriction:**  
Unit Certification is not required for this product. If the manufacturer or purchaser request an ABS Certificate for compliance with a specification or standard, the specification or standard, including inspection standards and tolerances, must be clearly defined.

1) The Type Approval only covers the individual control, activation, distribution, and alarm components as listed in document P/N 45-NOVMAR-001, June 2012 and supplement 06-236559-003, January 2013. Complete details for each installation must be submitted to an ABS Technical Office for review and approval and are to include the following:

a) When calculating the net volume of a protected space, the net volume should include the bilge volume, the volume of the casing and the volume of the free air contained within the air receivers that may in the event of a fire be released into the protected space.

b) 95% of the extinguishing agent is to be discharged in 10 seconds.

c) System schematic and arrangement drawings indicating compliance with 4-7-3/3, 4-7-3/3.11 of the Marine Vessels Rules; 5-2-3/3, 5-2-3/8 of the MOU Rules. SOLAS Ch. II-2/Reg. 10.4 and IMO MSC/Circ. 848 as amended by MSC.1/Circ. 1267;) Control arrangement and location of release boxes as per 4-7-3/3.11.4 (c) of the Marine Vessels Rules;

d) Capacity calculations in accordance with Rules requirements

e) Complete Bill of materials (including shipyard pipework) as per 4-7-3/3.11.3 of the Marine Vessel Rules.

f) Storage arrangements for the agent cylinders indicating compliance with 4-7-3/3.11.4 (a) and SOLAS Ch. II-2/Reg. 10.4.3; The temperature of the cylinder storage area is to be between 32°F and 130°F. Further the storage room is to be in accordance with 4-7-3/3.1.9 of the Marine Vessels Rules;

g) Control arrangements for closing all openings and stopping of ventilation fans;

h) An audible and visual pre-discharge alarm is to be provided in accordance with 4-7-3/3.1.5 of the Marine Vessels Rules and paragraph 6 of IMO MSC/Circ.848 as amended by MSC/Circ.1267 as per 4-7-3/3.11.4 (b) of the Marine Vessels Rules.

i) All piping, electrical and mechanical components part numbers are to be listed in the " Kidde Engineered Marine Fire suppression System Designed for use with 3M Novec 1230 Fire Protection Fluid- Design, Installation, Operation and Maintenance Manual" P/N 45-NOVMAR-001, June 2012 and supplement 06-236559-003, January 2013;

j) All components part numbers are to be as listed in the Design, Installation, Operation and Maintenance Manual.

k) ABS Certification is to be provided for each cylinder, except for cylinders, means pilot cylinders and other agent cylinders which are constructed, tested and certified as per Marine Vessels Rules 4-4-1/1.11.4. It means, other certificate such as TPED or DOT, traceable to the cylinder's serial number, is accepted.

l) Acceptance of the agent by the appropriate Flag Administration

m) For installations not governed by SOLAS, acceptance by the Flag Administration of the SOLAS compliant storage of extinguishing medium within the protected space, if applicable.

**Comments:**

1. The Manufacturer has provided a declaration about the control of, or the lack of Asbestos in this product.
2. The scope of Type Approval is to comply with MSC.1221 dated 11 December 2006.
3. The arrangement of the controls is to be in accordance with 4-7-3/3.13.4 (c) of the Marine Vessels Rules. When this

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system is installed for automatic release, the conditions are in accordance with 4-7-3/3.13.4(c) Marine Vessels Rules are to be met and verified by the attending surveyor:

4. For US Flag Vessels: Systems must have releasing stations consisting of one control to operate the stop valve to the protected space and a second control to release at least the required amount of agent. These two controls must be located in a box or other enclosure clearly identified for the particular space. In addition to the above, automatic discharge arrangements may be used for spaces having a gross volume less than 6,000 cubic feet. However, automatic discharge is required for spaces having a gross volume less than 6,000 cubic feet where the agent is stored in the protected space.

5. USCG does not allow Electrically Triggered Detection & Control System. USCG requirements for Storage inside small Spaces (6000 cu.ft. and smaller) include Mechanical Rate of Rise Detection, Automatic Activation, additional Mechanical Activation requiring 2 Actions, and readily Accessible Horizontal Means of Escape.

**Notes/Drawing/Documentation:**

Document No. P/N 06-236225-006 dated May 2016, "Supplement to Kidde Fire Systems ECS Fire Suppression System Marine Series with HFC-227ea Agent - Design, Installation, Operation and Maintenance manual", Rev BA P/N 06-236225-001;

Document No. P/N 06-236272-001 dated March 2013 "Kidde Fire Systems ECS Fire Suppression System Flow Calculation Software User's Guide for use with FM-200 Agent. Applies to software version 4B;

Document No. UL Report File EX4674-20021115, dated 15 Nov 2002 revised 26 May 2017 - Report on Clean Agent Extinguishing System Units;

Document No. UL Report File EX4674-20021115, dated 15 Nov 2002 - Report on Clean Agent Extinguishing System Units, Marine;

Document No. P/N 90-FM200M-100, dated February 2004, FM-200 Flow Calculation Software Version 3.02. Users Guide. Kidde Fire Systems;

Document No. P/N 06-236225-001 dated October 2014, "Kidde Fire Systems ECS Fire Suppression System Marine Series with HFC-227ea Agent – Design, Installation, Operation and Maintenance Manual;

Document No. ABS Report No. M24198, dated 13 Aug. 1996. Revised 4 Nov.1996- Statement of Fact;

Document No. UL Report File EX4674, dated 15 Nov. 2002. Revised 27 June 2012 - Report on Clean Agent Extinguishing System Units;

Document No. UL Report File EX4674, dated 15 Nov. 2002, Report on Clean Agent Extinguishing System Units, Marine;

Document No. 06-236225-001\_screen;

Document No. Part Number Matrix;

Document No. P/N 06-237670-001, Clean Agent Entrance and Warning Sign Addendum dated December 2018, Rev. AA, Pages: 10

Document No. P/N 06-237577-001, Addendum to the Design, Installation, Operation, Maintenance Manuals covering Mods to Level Operated Control Head (P/N 85-521000-001) and Lever and Pressure Operated Control Head (P/N 85-544000-001) dated May 2018, Rev. AA, Pages: 16

Document No. 06-237784-001, 2" and 3" Valve Burst Disc Harmonization Addendum, Rev AA, Pages: 12

Document No. 06-236559-006, Addendum, KFS, LLI, Novec, ECS, Marine, Rev AA, Pages: 20

Document No. 06-236559-007, Addendum – 450 lb Cylinder, ECS, Novec, Marine, Rev AA, Pages: 20

Document No. 06-237798-001, Addendum, KFS, Marine, 2" El-Check Valve, Rev AA, Pages: 8

Document No. 06-237761-001, 3" Valve Addendum, Rev AA, Pages: 6

Document No. 06-237766-001, Flexible discharge hose Addendum, Rev AA, Pages: 8

Document No. 06-237775-001, Manifold Y Fitting Addendum, Rev AA, Pages: 8

(Note: As per Kidde-Fenwal Inc's request, the revision numbers have been taken from the last page of the documents.)

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**STANDARDS**

**ABS Rules:**

Rules for Conditions of Classification, Part 1 - 2020: 1-1-4/7.7, 1-1-A3, 1-1-A4, which covers the following:  
2020 Marine Vessel Rules 4-7-3/3.11, 4-7-3/3.1.5, 4-7-3/3.1.9, 4-7-3/Table 2;

Rules for Conditions of Classification, Part 1 - 2020 Offshore Units and Structures 1-1-4/9.7, 1-1-A2, 1-1-A3, which covers the following:  
2020 Mobile Offshore Units Rules 5-2-3/8

**National:**

NA

**International:**

IMO MSC/Circ.848 as amended by MSC.1/Circ.1267 dated 4 June 2008;  
SOLAS Reg. II-2/10.4 (2020 Consolidated Edition);  
FSS Code Chapter 5 (2015 Edition);

**Government:**

US Coast Guard Approval No: 162.161/9/0; Expires: 10 Aug 2022; Approval Date: 10 August 2017.

**EUMED:**

NA

**OTHERS:**

NA