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1. (a) NFPA Document Title Standard for the Control of Gas Hazards on Vessels NFPA No. & Year 306 - 2009

(b) Section/Paragraph 3.3.14

2. Proposal Recommends (check one): new text revised text deleted text

3. Proposal (include proposed new or revised wording, or identification of wording to be deleted): [Note: Proposed text should be in legislative format; i.e., use underscore to denote wording to be inserted (inserted wording) and strike-through to denote wording to be deleted (~~deleted wording~~).]

3.3.14 Marine Chemist's Certificate (Certificate). A written statement issued by a Marine Chemist on a form authorized by the National Fire Protection Association, stating the conditions that the Marine Chemist found at the time of inspection. (see annex C for an example)

4. Statement of Problem and Substantiation for Proposal: (Note: State the problem that would be resolved by your recommendation; give the specific reason for your Proposal, including copies of tests, research papers, fire experience, etc. If more than 200 words, it may be abstracted for publication.)

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