

RESOLUTION A.268(VIII)

*Adopted on 20 November 1973
Agenda item 10*

**AMENDMENTS TO RECOMMENDATION ON INTACT STABILITY OF FISHING VESSELS
APPENDIX V – RECOMMENDED PRACTICE ON PORTABLE FISH-HOLD DIVISIONS
(RESOLUTION A.168(ES.IV))**

THE ASSEMBLY,

NOTING Article 16(i) of the Convention on the Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization concerning the functions of the Assembly,

RECALLING Resolution A.168(ES.IV) by which it adopted the Recommendation on Intact Stability of Fishing Vessels and its Appendix V, Recommended Practice on Portable Fish-Hold Divisions,

HAVING CONSIDERED the Recommendation by the Maritime Safety Committee at its twenty-fifth session,

ADOPTS the amendments to the Recommendation on Intact Stability of Fishing Vessels (Resolution A.168(ES.IV)) in respect of Appendix V – Recommended Practice on Portable Fish-Hold Divisions, the text of which appears at Annex to this Resolution,

INVITES all governments concerned to take appropriate steps to give effect to the amendments.

ANNEX

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Add the following two items to paragraph 4:

- (g) Channelways in stanchions to take pound boards should have a depth of not less than 4 cm and the width should be equal to the pound board thickness plus 0.5 cm.
- (h) Each pound board should have a length not less than the distance between the bottom of the respective channelways into which it will engage minus 1 cm.

If pound boards have shaped ends to allow a rotational manoeuvre for easy housing, the extent of end shaping should not be more than allowed by a radius equal to one half the length of the board with its centre at the mid length and depth of the board.