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**RESOLUTION MSC.407(96)
(adopted on 19 May 2016)**

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT
OF MOBILE OFFSHORE DRILLING UNITS, 2009 (2009 MODU CODE)**

THE MARITIME SAFETY COMMITTEE,

RECALLING Article 28(b) of the Convention on the International Maritime Organization concerning the functions of the Committee,

RECALLING ALSO that the Assembly, when adopting resolution A.1023(26) on the Code for the Construction and Equipment of Mobile Offshore Drilling Units, 2009 (2009 MODU Code), authorized the Committee to amend the Code as appropriate, taking into consideration development in the design and technologies, in consultation with appropriate organizations,

RECOGNIZING the need for harmonizing the requirements for helicopter facility foam firefighting appliances,

HAVING CONSIDERED, at its ninety-sixth session, the recommendations made by the Sub-Committee on Ship Systems and Equipment, at its second session,

1 ADOPTS amendments to the 2009 MODU Code, set out in the annex to the present resolution;

2 INVITES all Governments concerned to take appropriate steps to give effect to the annexed amendments to the 2009 MODU Code by 1 January 2020.

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**CHAPTER 9
FIRE SAFETY**

Paragraph 9.16 – Provisions for helicopter facilities

The following new paragraph 9.16.4.6 is added after existing paragraph 9.16.4.5, and the remaining paragraphs renumbered accordingly:

".6 in lieu of the provisions of paragraphs 9.16.4.3 to 9.16.4.5, on units constructed on or after 1 January 2020, foam firefighting appliances complying with the provisions of the FSS Code;"
