

## List of Recognized Organizations

### 1. INTRODUCTION

In accordance with Annex 7 of the Memorandum the performance of all Recognized Organizations established annually takes account of the inspection and detention history of the preceding three calendar years and is adopted by the Paris MoU Committee.

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### 2. LIST OF RECOGNIZED ORGANIZATIONS

To qualify for the criterion recognized by the Paris MoU the organization must be recognized by one or more Paris MoU Member States. The following organizations are recognized

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Acronym:</b>
American Bureau of Shipping	ABS
Bureau Veritas	BV
China Classification Society	CCS
Croatian Register of Shipping	CRS
DNV GL AS	DNV GL
Indian Register of Shipping	IRS
Korean Register of Shipping	KRS
Lloyd's Register of Shipping	LRS
Nippon Kaiji Kyokai	NKK
Polski Rejestr Statkow	PRS
Registro Italiano Navale	RINA
RINAVE Portuguesa	RP
Russian Maritime Register of Shipping	RMRS