



**Chief Safety Officer Decision**  
**(Application for Substitution, Equivalency, or Exemption)**

**Date:** 2024-May-14 | 9:37:37 AM NDT

**C-NLOPB Reference:** 2024-RQ-0026

**Applicant:** Stena Drilling Ltd.

**Applicant Reference:** DMX-RQ-24-022 Rev 1

**Installation Name:** MV-Stena DrillMAX

**Authority:** *Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Atlantic Accord Implementation Act, subsection 151(1) & section 205.069*  
  
*Canada-Newfoundland and Labrador Atlantic Accord Implementation Newfoundland and Labrador Act, subsection 146(1) and section 201.66*

**Regulation:** *Subsection 24(4)(a)(b)(c) of the Newfoundland Offshore Petroleum Installations Regulations*

**Decision:**

The Chief Safety Officer approves the Applicant's, the owner of the *Stena DrillMAX*, use of Det Norske Veritas Offshore Standard DNV-OS-D301: Fire Prevention Systems, SOLAS and MODU Code 1989 as appropriate industry standards in lieu the requirements in subsections 24(4)(a)(b)(c) of the *Newfoundland Offshore Petroleum Installations Regulations* for fire hoses and hose nozzles. Approval is subject to the following condition:

- Prior to commencement of operations, an inspection to applicable NFPA requirements shall be confirmed along with plans to address any corrective actions the inspection identifies.

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Chief Safety Officer

Cc: Matthew Williams (DNV)