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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Merchant Shipping (Fire Protection:  
Large Ships) Regulations 1998

PART III

FIRE PREVENTION AND FIRE APPLIANCES  
SHIPS OTHER THAN PASSENGER SHIPS AND TANKERS  
SHIPS OF CLASS VII OF 500 TONS OR OVER

*Requirements for ships constructed on or after 25th May 1980*

**Paint lockers etc.**

**23.** In every ship of Class VII of 500 tons or over, every paint locker and flammable liquid locker shall be protected by an approved fire-extinguishing system.