H. Aluminium

H.1 Application

H.1.1 All requirements in this sub-section shall be for vessels constructed of aluminium that require survey.

H.2 Production Conditions

- H.2.1 Information regarding the premises in which an aluminium vessel is to be constructed shall be submitted to AUSCLASS.
- H.2.2 Information to be submitted shall include details concerning:
 - Material handling process
 - Material storage
 - Prevention methods to stop draughts
- H.2.3 An inspection of the production and storage premises may be conducted by AUSCLASS prior to the commencement of vessel construction.

H.3 Requirements

- H.3.1 Aluminium vessels must comply with the Australian Standard AS.4132 'Part 2 Boat and Ship Design and Construction Aluminium Construction' as seen appropriate by AUSCLASS. The word "should", where used in AS.4132 Part 2 shall be interpreted as if it read "shall, to the satisfaction of AUSCLASS".
- H.3.2 Materials used in construction shall be available for examination by AUSCLASS to ensure the material properties and manufacture reliability.
- H.3.3 In the case where an aluminium vessel does not come in the scope of AS.4132 Part 2, AUSCLASS shall determine the requirements applicable to the vessels design and construction.