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Comparison of Chapters 2–10 of CEVNI with RPNR, DFND and NRSRB

Tables 1 to 8 contain the comparison between CEVNI and (a) the Police Regulations for the Navigation of the Rhine (RPNR) (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/WP.3/2019/15 and ECE/TRANS/SC.3/WP.3/2020/2), (b) the Basic Rules for Navigation on the Danube (DFND) (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/WP.3/2020/15) and (c) the Navigation Rules on the Sava River Basin (NRSRB) (ECE/TRANS/SC.3/WP.3/2020/16).

The table starts with Chapter 2 of CEVNI, as the comparison of Chapters 1 of CEVNI and RPNR was finalized at thirty-first meeting of the CEVNI Expert Group (CEVNI EG/2019/20).

Note: The fields highlighted grey show the provisions that are harmonized with CEVNI. The paragraphs highlighted red are proposed for a detailed consideration by the CEVNI Expert Group.

Table 1: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 2

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	Article 2.01	Article 2.01		Article 2.01		Article 2.01	
1	Paragraphs 1 to 3	Paragraphs 1 to 3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1 to 3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1 to 3	Harmonized
2	Paragraphs 4 and 5	-		Paragraphs 4 and 5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Harmonized
3	Article 2.02, paragraphs 1 to 4	Article 2.02, paragraphs 1 to 3	Harmonized	Article 2.02	Harmonized	Article 2.02	Harmonized
4	Article 2.03	Article 2.03	Harmonized	Article 2.03	Harmonized	Article 2.03	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	Article 2.04	Article 2.04		Article 2.04			
5	Paragraph 1 (refers to R.61)	Paragraph 1	Harmonized (refer to ES-TRIN)	Paragraph 1	Harmonized (refer to DC recommendations)	Paragraph 1	Harmonized (refer to Technical Rules for the Vessels in the Sava River Basin)
6	Paragraph 2 (refers to annex 2)	Paragraph 2	Harmonized (refer to ES-TRIN)	Paragraph 2	Harmonized (refer to the DC recommendations)	Paragraph 2	Harmonized (refer to annex 2)
	Article 2.05	Article 2.05		Article 2.05		Article 2.05	
7	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	The first sentence is harmonized, the second sentence from CEVNI is missing	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
8		Paragraphs 2 and 3: 2. By derogation from para. 1, the serial number of the ship's certificate and the distinctive letters of the Inspection Commission or the name and address of the shipowner will remain accepted for anchors on board vessels as of November 30, 2019. 3. Paragraph 2 above is no longer applicable in case the number of the ship's certificate has been changed.		_		_	
9	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 4	Harmonized, but RPNR applies also to vessels engaged exclusively on voyages on the Rhine	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
10	Article 2.06	Article 2.06	Harmonized	Article 2.06	Harmonized	-	

Table 2: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 3

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	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	Article 3.01	Article 3.01		Article 3.01		Article 3.01	
1	Paragraphs 1, 2 and 4	Paragraphs 2 and 4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1, 2 and 4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1, 2 and 4	Harmonized
2	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized. The definition of "height" is missing in RPNR; however, it is incorporated in the respective articles (Article 3.08, paragraph 1(a) etc.)	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
3	Covered by Article 3.10, para. 4	Paragraph 3(a)	Harmonized	Article 3.10, para. 4		Article 3.10, para. 4	
4	-	Paragraph 3(b)	CEVNI does not contain similar provision				
		For the application of chapter, side-by-side length exceeding 14d as pushed convoys of	formations with a mare considered				
	Article 3.02	Article 3.02		Article 3.02		Article 3.02	
5	Not numbered	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Not numbered	Harmonized	Not numbered	Harmonized
6	_	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Article 3.02 of CEVNI does not contain provisions for signal lanterns				

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		2. Only the following used:	ng signal lights can be	:			
		the approval mark r 96/98/EC of the Co 20, 1996, relating to modified by Directi	a) if their housings and accessories bear the approval mark required by Directive 96/98/EC of the Council, of December 20, 1996, relating to marine equipment modified by Directive 2008/67 / EC of the Commission of June 30, 2008 and				
		b) if their lights me mentioned requiren distribution, colour	nents for horizontal				
		Signal lanterns who accessories and light with requirements of November 30, 2009 2006/87/EC, can co	nt sources comply of RPNR in force till or Directive				
		3. Night marking of motorized vessels in meet the requireme section 2 above; ho visibility and in from background its rang approximately 1000	need not necessarily onts referred to in wever, in good ont of a dark ge must be				
7	Article 3.03, paragraphs 1 to 3	Article 3.03, paragraphs 1 to 3 (RPNR do not mention the length/width of boards and flags of 0.60 m for small craft)	Harmonized	Article 3.03	Harmonized	Article 3.03	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
8	Article 3.04, paragraphs 1 to 4, and article 3.05, paragraphs 1 and 2	Article 3.04, paragraphs 1 to 4, and article 3.05, paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized	Articles 3.04 and 3.05	Harmonized	Articles 3.04 and 3.05	Harmonized
9	Article 3.06	Article 3.06 (left void)	RPNR does not contain provisions for emergency lights	Article 3.06	Harmonized	Article 3.06	Harmonized
10	Article 3.07	Article 3.07	Harmonized	Article 3.07	Harmonized	Article 3.07	Harmonized
	Article 3.08	Article 3.08		Article 3.08		Article 3.08	
11	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
12	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Article 3.08 of CEVNI prescribes the height of 3 m for the second masthead light above the forward light	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
13	Paragraph 3	-	Article 3.08 of RPNR does not contain similar provisions	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
14	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Paragraphs 3 and 4	Harmonized; in paragraph 4, RPNR additionally refers to the provisions applicable for small craft and ferries	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Harmonized

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		ble to small craft are set 3 and those applicable to rticle 3.16.				
Article 3.09	Article 3.09		Article 3.09		Article 3.09	
Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized; however, in CEVNI: (a) provisions apply also to a motorized vessel used as an auxiliary in front of another motorized vessel, a pushed convoy or a sideby-side formation; (b) the side lights are prescribed	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI provisions apply also to a motorized vessel, pushed convoy or side-by-side formation, which is preceded by several auxiliary motorized vessels proceeding side-by-side	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	May be considered as harmonized; however, in	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		CEVNI, these provisions apply also to the vessels and convoys mentioned in paragraphs 1 and 2				
18 Paragraph 4	Paragraph 4	Article 3.09 of RPNR additionally prescribes masthead lights	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
		orming the last section with must carry at night:				
		bed in para. 3 above or nt prescribed in para. ticle 3.08				
19 –	Paragraph 5	Article 3.09 of CEVNI does not contain similar provisions				
	of a motorized ver unit are not requir	5. In harbours, convoys composed only of a motorized vessel and a single towed unit are not required to carry the day marking prescribed in this article.				
20 Paragraph 6	Paragraph 6	Harmonized; RPNR additionally refers to the provisions applicable for small craft	Paragraph 6	Harmonized	Paragraph 6	Harmonized

The rules applicable to such small craft are given in paras. 2 and 3 of article 3.13.

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	Article 3.10	Article 3.10		Article 3.10		Article 3.10	
21	Paragraph 1(a)	Paragraph 1(a)	Harmonized	Paragraph 1(a)	Harmonized	Paragraph 1(a)	Harmonized
22	Paragraph 1(b, c)	Paragraph 1(b, c)	Harmonized; CEVNI contains a reference to article 3.08	Paragraph 1(c(ii))	Harmonized, although DFND allows the stern lights of pushed convoys to be screened.	Paragraph 1(b, c)	Harmonized
23	Paragraph 2	Paragraphs 3 and 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
24	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
25	Paragraph 4	Article 3.01, paragraph 3(a)	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
26	Paragraph 5	-	Article 3.09 of RPNR does not contain similar provisions	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
	Article 3.11	Article 3.11		Article 3.11		Article 3.11	
27	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized (in para. 1(c), CEVNI refers to article 3.08, para. 1(c))	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
28	Paragraph 2	_	Article 3.11 of RPNR does not contain similar provisions	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
29	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 2	Harmonized; RPNR additionally refers to the provisions	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized

CEV	'NI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
			applicable for small craft				
		The rules applicable are given in paras. 2					
-				Paragraph 4	DFND contains an additional paragraph 4 for side-by-side formations, equivalent to article 3.10, paragraph 4 of CEVNI		
Arti	icle 3.12	Article 3.12		Article 3.12		Article 3.12	
Para	agraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
Para	agraphs 2 and 3	-		Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized
Para	agraph 4	Paragraph 2	Harmonized; RPNR refers to the provisions applicable for small craft; RPNR do not contain provisions for vessels engaged in fishing	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
		The rules applicable are given in paras. 1, 3.13.					
Arti	icle 3.13	Article 3.13		Article 3.13		Article 3.13	
Para	agraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
35	Paragraph 2	_	Article 3.13 of RPNR does not contain similar provisions	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
36	Paragraphs 3, 4, 6 and 7	Paragraphs 2, 3, 5 and 6	Harmonized	Paragraphs 3, 4, 6 and 7	Harmonized	Paragraphs 3, 4, 6 and 7	Harmonized
37	Paragraph 5	Paragraph 4	CEVNI additionally prescribes the arrangement of marking by night; the last paragraph applies to vessels less than 7 m in length	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
	Article 3.14	Article 3.14		Article 3.14		Article 3.14	
38	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized
39	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	The last sentence from CEVNI is missing in RPNR	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
40	Paragraphs 4–8	Paragraphs 4–8	Harmonized	Paragraphs 4–8	Harmonized	Paragraphs 4–8	Harmonized
	In para. 7, references to sections 8.1.8 and 8.1.9 of ADN should be replaced with a reference to section 1.16.1 (CEVNI EG/2019/12 - Minutes of the thirtieth meeting of the CEVNI Expert Group, para. 8(b))				In para. 7, references to sections 8.1.8 and 8.1.9 of ADN should be replaced with a reference to section 1.16.1		In para. 7, references to sections 8.1.8 and 8.1.9 of ADN should be replaced with a reference to section 1.16.1
41	Article 3.15	Article 3.15	Harmonized	Article 3.15	Harmonized	Article 3.15	Harmonized
	Article 3.16	Article 3.16		Article 3.16		Article 3.16	

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
42	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Article 3.16 of RPNR does not contain provisions for marking by day. RPNR and CEVNI have different provisions for reducing the height of a white light (length of a ferry)	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
		a) a bright white light directions and placed the level of maximum however, this heigh the length of the fer exceed 15 m;	l at least 5 m above n draught marks; t can be reduced if				
43	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized (in CEVNI, additionally: visible from all directions)	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
44	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	Provisions for marking at night are harmonized. Article 3.16 of RPNR does not contain provisions for marking by day	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
45	Article 3.17	Article 3.17	Harmonized	Article 3.17	Harmonized	Article 3.17	Harmonized
46	Article 3.18, paragraphs 1 and 2	Article 3.18	CEVNI contains provisions for additional marking	Article 3.18	Harmonized	Article 3.18	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	« Regulation sound signal » may require editing		which are missing in RPNR. RPNR prescribes :				
		- by night: a swinging or emit the sound signal or carry out these two carry time. The flag can be repthe same colour.	g red flag				
47	Article 3.19	Article 3.19	Harmonized	Article 3.19	Harmonized	Article 3.19	Harmonized
	Article 3.20	Article 3.20		Article 3.20		Article 3.20	
48	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	CEVNI contains provisions for marking by day	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
49	Paragraph 2		Article 3.20 of RPNR does not contain provisions for convoys stationary offshore	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
50	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 2	RPNR makes an exception for ship's boats	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
51	Paragraph 4	Paragraph 3	Provisions are different	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
		3. The light prescrib above is not mandat a) when the vessel is assembly of vessels	ory s a part of an				

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	the vessels of this	he end of the night and formation on the the light prescribed in				
	the water surface submerged groyne	l is located entirely on between non- es or stationary behind e emerging from the				
	c) (corresponds to	CEVNI para. 4 (b)).				
	Paragraph 4	Article 3.20 of CEVNI does not contain similar provisions	-		-	
	for their berthing, the competent aut	may be exempted by hority from the the light prescribed in				
Article 3.21	Article 3.21	Harmonized	Article 3.21	Harmonized	Article 3.21	Harmonized
Article 3.22	Article 3.22	Harmonized	Article 3.22	Harmonized	Article 3.22	Harmonized
Article 3.23	Article 3.23	May be considered as harmonized; however, the last sentence in both articles refers to article 3.20, where the provisions are different	Article 3.23	Harmonized	Article 3.23	Harmonized
	The lights prescril are not required w	ped in the first sentence				

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		stated in article 3.20 met.	, para. 3, b) or c), are				
56	Article 3.24	Article 3.24	Marking of certain stationary fishing vessels, nets or poles	Article 3.24	Harmonized	Article 3.24	Harmonized
	Harmonized, however, the first sentence is missing in CEVNI (covered by article 3.20, para. 1 of CEVNI):						
		Fishing vessels, including with nets or poles the fairway or near to it, stationary:	at extend into the				
		the light prescribed i para. 1.	n article 3.20,				
57	Article 3.25, paragraphs 1 to 5	Article 3.25, paragraphs 1 to 3	Harmonized	Article 3.25	Harmonized	Article 3.25	Harmonized
	Article 3.26	Article 3.26		Article 3.26		Article 3.26	
58	Paragraph 1 (stationary vessels)	Paragraph 1	Provisions for marking are different	Paragraph 1 (stationary vessels)	Harmonized	Paragraph 1 (stationary vessels)	Harmonized
		in addition to the light other provisions of the additional ordinary was from all sides, placed	that the anchors, hor chains may be a, must have by night, hts prescribed by the hese regulations, an white light, visible d approximately 1 m escribed in para. 1 of				

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		stationary vessels ar light nearest to the a	re present, below the anchor.				
59	Paragraph 1 (assemblies of floating material and floating establishments)	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 1 (assemblies of floating material and floating establishments)	Harmonized	Paragraph 1 (assemblies of floating material and floating establishments)	Harmonized
50	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 3	For marking at night, CEVNI additionally prescribes an ordinary white light	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
51	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
62	Article 3.27	Article 3.27	Harmonized	Article 3.27	DFND requires additional marking of vessels compared to that stipulated in CEVNI	Article 3.27	NRSRB prescribe the marking additional to CEVNI
53	Article 3.28	Article 3.28	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI prescribes a written authorization from the competent authorities	Article 3.28	Harmonized	Article 3.28	Harmonized
	Article 3.29	Article 3.29		Article 3.29		Article 3.29	
54	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
			makes an exception for floating equipment specified in article 3.25				
65	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
	Article 3.30	Article 3.30		Article 3.30		Article 3.30	
66	Paragraph 1 The CEVNI Expert Group may wish to check whether the distress signals missing in RPNR are still applied	Paragraph 1	Provisions (c) to (h) from CEVNI are missing in article 3.30 of RPNR. RPNR divides distress signals by night and by day	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
67	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
	Article 3.31	Article 3.31		Article 3.31		Article 3.31	
68	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	RPNR applies the term "symbols", while CEVNI applies "boards". CEVNI allows an alternative sketch for prohibiting the boarding. A reference to article 3.03 contained in CEVNI does not exist in RPNR	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
69	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	May be considered as harmonized, except the	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
			terminology: RPNR applies the term "symbols', while CEVNI applies "boards"				
70	The CEVNI Expert Group may wish to consider this in relation to article 3.30, para.1	Paragraph 3	CEVNI does not contain a similar provision	_		_	
		3. The symbols press of RPNR effective at 2011 can be used un 2015.	s of November 30,				
	Article 3.32	Article 3.32		Article 3.32		Article 3.32	
71	Paragraph 1 The CEVNI Expert Group may wish to check whether the distress signals missing in RPNR are still applied	Paragraph 1	RPNR applies the term "symbols", while CEVNI applies "boards". CEVNI allows an alternative sketch for prohibiting smoking or using fires and naked light on board. A reference to article 3.03 contained in CEVNI does not exist in RPNR	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
72	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	RPNR applies the term "symbols', while CEVNI applies "boards" CEVNI prescribes	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
			that the boards are visible on both sides of the vessel				
73	The CEVNI Expert Group may wish to consider this in relation to article 3.32, para.1	Paragraph 3	CEVNI does not contain a similar provision	_		-	
		3. The symbols press of RPNR as of Nove be used until Novem	ember 30, 2011 can				
74	Article 3.33, paragraphs 1 to 3	Article 3.33, paragraphs 1 to 3	Harmonized	Article 3.33	Harmonized	Article 3.33	Harmonized
75	Article 3.34		Chapter 3 of RPNR does not contain provisions for additional marking of vessels with a limited ability to manoeuvre	Article 3.34	Harmonized	Article 3.34	Harmonized
76	Article 3.35	_	Chapter 3 of RPNR does not contain provisions for additional marking of vessels engaged in fishing	Article 3.35	Harmonized	Article 3.35	Harmonized
	Article 3.36	Article 3.34		Article 3.36		Article 3.36	
77	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
78	Paragraph 2	_	RPNR does not contain a similar provision	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
79	Article 3.37	_	Chapter 3 of RPNR does not contain provisions for additional marking of vessels engaged in minesweeping	Article 3.37	Harmonized	Article 3.37	Harmonized
80	Article 3.38	_	Chapter 3 of RPNR does not contain provisions for additional marking of vessels on pilotage service	Article 3.38	Harmonized	Article 3.38	Harmonized

Table 3: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 4

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
Article 4.01	Article 4.01		Article 4.01		Article 4.01	
Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	CEVNI provisions apply also to small craft fitted with radar equipment	Paragraph 1	Harmonized, although the reference to paragraphs 1 (b) and 2 (b) has been omitted from the new version of subparagraph (b) in CEVNI	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	CEVNI additionally mentions the three-tone signal given by vessels proceeding downstream	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	RPNR provisions differ from CEVNI in case of towed convoys	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
	be given only by the	I sound signals need to he vessel carrying the convoy, in the case of by the motorized				
Paragraph 4	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
Article 4.02	Article 4.02		Article 4.02		Article 4.02	

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
5	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Provisions are similar, however, para.2 of CEVNI refers to small craft proceeding alone or towing or propelling in side-by-side formation only small craft, and RPNR does not specify this	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized
6	Article 4.03	Article 4.03	Harmonized	Article 4.03	Harmonized	Article 4.03	Harmonized
7	Article 4.04	Article 4.04	Harmonized	Article 4.04	Harmonized	Article 4.04	Harmonized
	Article 4.05	Article 4.05		Article 4.05			
8	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1 : CEVNI refers to the Regional Arrangement concerning the Radiotelephone Service on Inland Waterways and RPNR – to the Radiotelephony Guide for Inland Navigation. The application scope does not cover assemblies of floating material		Paragraph 1	Harmonized, although the scope of application of paragraph 1 of CEVNI has been extended to assemblies of floating material and floating establishments	Paragraph 1	Harmonized, although the scope of application of paragraph 1 of CEVNI has been extended to assemblies of floating material and floating establishments
9		2. For radiotelephone between on-board start of the country where which starts the radio conversation is located.	ations, the language the on-board station otelephone	Paragraph 6	Similar to paragraph 2 of RPNR (language used for ship-to- ship and ship-to- shore communication)		

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		For radiotelephone construction between on-board are the language of the conshore station is local	nd onshore stations, country where the				
		In the case of difficu understanding during between on-board sta on-board and onshor German language sh	g communication ations or between re stations, the				
		3. Channels of the precorrespondence, shirt information and ship networks may only be information prescrib these regulations or a Radiotelephony Guid Navigation.	o-to-ship, nautical o-to-port authority be used for ed or permitted by authorized under the				
10	Paragraph 2 (first sentence of the first indent and the third indent)	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 2 (first sentence of the first indent and the third indent)	Harmonized	Paragraph 2 (first sentence of the first indent and the third indent)	Harmonized
11	Paragraph 2, first indent, second and third sentences, and the last indent	_		Paragraph 2, first indent, second and third sentences, and the last indent	Harmonized	Paragraph 2, first indent, second and third sentences, and the last indent	Harmonized
12	-	Paragraph 5		_		_	
	_	exception of small cr radiotelephone instal the listening watch o	llation switched to on the channel -to-ship network and, fied circumstances,	_		_	

-	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		network, and must to necessary for navigate channels allocated to nautical information	ation safety on the o the ship-to-ship and				
	The radiotelephone installation must be switched to the listening watch on the ship-to-ship and nautical information networks simultaneously.						
13	Paragraphs 3 and 4		Article 4.05 of RPNR does not contain similar provisions	Paragraphs 3 and 4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 3 and 4	Harmonized
14	Paragraph 5	Paragraph 6	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
	Article 4.06	Article 4.06		Article 4.06		Article 4.06	
	Paragraph 1:	Paragraph 1:		Paragraph 1:		Paragraph 1:	
15	(a)			(a)	Harmonized; paragraph 1 (a) of DFND additionally contains a reference to the current Inland ECDIS standard	(a)	Harmonized

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CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
(b)	(b): CEVNI refers to the competent author the Regulations for the personnel on the Rhin article 1.09	ne navigation	(b)	Harmonized	(b)	Harmonized
(c)	_	RPNR does not contain a similar provision	(c)	In paragraph 1(c), CEVNI allows for a derogation for the device for emitting three-tone signals	(c)	In paragraph 1(c), CEVNI allows for a derogation for the device for emitting three-tone signals
Last sentence Notwithstanding the provisions of article 4.05, small craft shall also be equipped with a radiotelephone (installation?) in proper working order for the shipto-ship network.	Paragraph 4: Small craft using radar must also have the radiotelephone installation in a good working order and switched to the listening watch on the ship-to-ship network.			Harmonized		Harmonized
Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2 :	In pushed convoys and side-by-side formations,	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2:	In pushed convoys and side-by-side formations,
Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
Article 4.07 See CEVNI EG/2020/8/Rev.1	Article 4.07		Article 4.07	Article 4.07 of CEVNI is currently under review	Article 4.07	Article 4.07 of CEVNI is currently under review

Table 4: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 5

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	Article 5.01	Article 5.01		Article 5.01		Article 5.01	
1	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
2	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI mentions article 1.19 "Special instructions" among the applicable provisions	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
	Article 5.02	Article 5.02		Article 5.02		Article 5.02	
3	Unnumbered paragraph	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Unnumbered paragraph	Harmonized	Unnumbered paragraph	Harmonized
4	The CEVNI Expert Group may wish to come back to this when considering annex 8	Paragraph 2 : Annex Regulations also def for marking of shall obstacles.	ines the signals used	-		-	

Table 5: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 6

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	I. General	Section I. General		I. General		I. General	
1	Article 6.01		RPNR does not contain definitions of the terms "meeting",	Article 6.01	Harmonized	Article 6.01	Harmonized

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		"overtaking" and "crossing"				
Article 6.01 bis	Article 6.01	High-speed vessels should avoid all other vessels. CEVNI additionally prescribes that these vessels may not require other vessels to give way to them	Article 6.01 bis	Harmonized	Article 6.01 bis	Harmonized
Article 6.02	Article 6.02	The titles are different: Mutual behaviour of small craft and other vessels	Article 6.02	Harmonized	Article 6.02	Harmonized
Paragraph 1		CEVNI extends the meaning of the term "small craft" to convoys consisting only of small craft for the whole chapter 6. In RPNR, small craft is mentioned separately in Article 6.02 bis:	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
	Small craft navigating convoys or side-by-consisting only of sitto all other vessels, it craft, shall leave the hold their course and	ng alone and towed side formations mall craft in relation including high-speed em enough room to				

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		CEVNI additionally prescribes that these vessels may not require other vessels to give way to them				
Paragraph 2	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI in addition prescribes that small craft may not require that vessels other than small craft give them way	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
-	Paragraph 2 :		_		_	
Article 6.04 para.7	Provisions of articl	es 6.04,				
Article 6.05 para.7	6.05,					
Article 6.07 para.1 does not apply to small sailing craft in relation to other vessels, and para. 2 apply to all vessels	small craft or in re	lation to them)	For small craft, only para. 1(a) of Article			
Article 6.08 para. 1 applies to all vessels	6.08 para. 1 (does craft or in relation		6.07 applies.			
Article 6.10 paras 6 (last	6.10,					
sentence) and 7 Article 6.11 applies to all vessels		ly to small craft or in				
Article 6.12 applies to all vessels						

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
Article 6.09 para 2, last sentence: this provision shall not apply to a small craft overtaking a vessel other than a small craft Article 6.13 para. 4: the provisions of paragraphs 1 to 3 above shall not apply to small craft in relation to other vessels. For small craft among themselves, only paragraphs 1	referred to in para. 1 to them. Vessels other are not required to aparticles 6.09 para.2, 6.13 does not apply to relation to small craft.	er than small craft ply the provisions o	f			
and 3 shall apply. Article 6.14 applies to vessels other than ferry-boats Article 6.16, para. 7: The provisions of paragraphs 1 to 3 shall not apply to small craft in relation to other vessels, nor shall those of paragraph 4 apply to vessels which are not small craft in relation to small craft. The provisions of paragraph 2 shall not apply to small craft among themselves.	6.14 does not apply to relation to small craft and 6.16 (cover Artic CEVNI) with respect convoys and side-by-referred to in para. 1	<i>t</i> le 6.16 paras. 1–4 o to small craft, towed side formations				
_	Article 6.02 bis Specific rules of the road for small craft	CEVNI does not contain a separate article for the specific rules of the road for small craft some provisions are included in articles 6.03bis and 6.04:	;		_	

CEVNI	RPNR Comm	nents	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
Article 6.03bis, para. 3 (crossing), article 6.04 para. 9 (meeting)	1. Motorized small boats st to non-motorized small cra					
Article 6.03bis, para. 3 (crossing), article 6.04 para. 9 (meeting)	2. Small craft which are ne motorized nor under sail sh to small craft under sail.		_"_		_"_	
	3. Two motorized small cracourses are crossed so that risk of collision, shall pass follows:	there may be a				
Article 6.04, para. 8 (meeting)	a) when they follow directly nearly opposite courses, ea veer to starboard so as to p side of the other,	ich vessel shall	_"_		_"_	
Article 6.03bis, paras. 1 and 2 (a general rule)	b) when they follow different which are crossed, the small has the other small craft to give way to it; this provisi preclude the application of 6.14 and 6.16.	all craft which starboard shall ion shall not	_"_		_"_	
Article 6.03bis, para. 4 (a general rule)	4. Two small craft under sa courses are crossed so that risk of collision, shall pass follows:	there may be a	_"_		_"_	
Article 6.03bis, para. 4 (a) (a general rule)	a) when each of them has t different side, the vessel w the port side shall give way	rith the wind on	_"_		_"_	
Article 6.03bis, para. 4 (b) (a general rule)	(b) When both small cr wind on the same side, the is to windward shall give v vessel to leeward;	vessel which	_"_		_"_	
Article 6.03bis, para. 4 (c) (a general rule)	(c) If a small craft which on the port side sees another to windward and cannot determine the control of the co	er small craft	_"_		_"_	

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	certainty whether the wind on the port or of the first shall give wa	n the starboard side,				
Article 6.10, para. 6 (a general rule for sailing vessels)	Overtaking small cra other small craft und which they have the windward side shall the side opposite to mainsail is carried.	er sail on the side on wind. The	_"_		_"_	
Article 6.03bis, para. 5 (a general rule), Article 6.04, paragraph 9, last sentence	5. A small craft under tacking (qui tire des manoeuvre so as to owhich follows the sh side, to give way.	bordées), must not blige a small craft,	_"_		_"_	
II. Meeting, crossing and overtaking	Section II. Crossing and overtaking	Titles are different	II. Meeting, crossing and overtaking		II. Meeting, crossing and overtaking	
Article 6.03	Article 6.03		Article 6.03		Article 6.03	
Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized; in addition, RPNR specifies the case of a towed convoy	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
		or, in the case of a towed convoy, by the motorized vessel at the head of the convoy.				
Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
Paragraph 4	L		Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	Article 6.03 bis	_		Article 6.03 bis		Article 6.03 bis	
12	Paragraph 1	Article 6.02 bis, paragraph 3(b)	RPNR apply only for small craft	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1 of NRSRB additionally contains a provision for vessels on the starboard side of a marked fairway
13	Paragraph 2	Article 6.02 bis, paragraph 3(b)	RPNR apply only for small craft	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
14	Paragraph 3	Article 6.02 bis, paragraphs 1 and 2	RPNR apply only for small craft	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
15	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Article 6.02 bis, paragraphs 4 and 5	RPNR apply only for two small craft, one of which is under sail	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Harmonized
	Article 6.04	Article 6.04		Article 6.04		Article 6.04	
16	Paragraph 1	Article 9.02, paragraph 3	This provision in RPNR is applied for particular waterway sections	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
17	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized
18	Paragraph 4	Paragraph 3	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI allows to display a light without a blue board by day	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
19	Paragraphs 5 and 6	Paragraphs 4 and 5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 5 and 6	Harmonized	Paragraphs 5 and 6	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
20	Paragraph 7	Covered by Article 6.02 para.2		Paragraph 7	In CEVNI, paragraph 7 refers to paragraphs 1 to 6, while in DFND it refers to paragraphs 2 to 6	Paragraph 7	Harmonized
21	Paragraph 8	Article 6.02 bis, paragraph 3(a)	RPNR apply to motorized small craft	Paragraph 8	Paragraph 8 of CEVNI is not present in DFND, although it is incorporated in paragraph 1	Paragraph 8	Harmonized
22	Paragraph 9	Article 6.02 bis, paragraphs 1, 2 and 5	May be considered as harmonized	Paragraph 9	Harmonized	Paragraph 9	Harmonized
	Article 6.05	Article 6.05		Article 6.05		Article 6.05	
23	Paragraph 1	Article 9.02, paragraph 4	Harmonized; however, this provision in RPNR is applied for particular waterway sections and before locks	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
24	Paragraphs 2–4	Paragraphs 1–3	Harmonized (the passenger capacity is 300 people)	Paragraphs 2–4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2–4	Harmonized
25	Paragraph 5	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized;
	CEVNI should refer to paragraph 3 and could apply also to convoys						should refer to paragraph 3
26	Paragraph 6		There is no similar provision in RPNR	Paragraph 6	Harmonized	Paragraph 6	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
7	Paragraph 7	Covered by Article 6.02, para. 2		Paragraph 7	Harmonized	Paragraph 7	Harmonized
8	Article 6.06	Article 6.06	Harmonized	Article 6.06	Harmonized	Article 6.06	Harmonized
	Article 6.07	Article 6.07		Article 6.07		Article 6.07	
	Paragraph 1 See No. 6	Paragraph 1	Harmonized for waterways for which "downstream" and "upstream" are defined; in addition, CEVNI contains provisions for other waterways. In paragraph 1(a), RPNR recalls that the overtaking in narrow waterways is prohibited	Paragraph 1	In DFND, there is mention of the applicability of the article to small craft (paragraph 3); in CEVNI, there is mention of the applicability of paragraph 1 to small sailing craft	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
0	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
1	-	_		Paragraph 3		_	
	Article 6.08	Article 6.08		Article 6.08		Article 6.08	
2	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI contains a reference to sign	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
			A.4.1, in addition to sign A.4.				

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
34	-	_		Paragraph 3		_	
				3. When the signal reason does not sho mentioned in parag shall stop and wait to continue the voya competent authorit radiotelephone or b corresponding signal	w signals, graph 2, vessels for the permission age from by the ies by means of the		
	Article 6.09	Article 6.09		Article 6.09		Article 6.09	
35	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
36	Paragraph 2 See No. 6	Paragraph 2	Harmonized; however, CEVNI does not apply to a small craft overtaking a vessel other than a small craft, and RPNR – to vessels other than small craft in relation to small craft, towed convoys and side- by-side formations consisting only of small craft	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
	Article 6.10	Article 6.10		Article 6.10		Article 6.10	
37	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Not sufficiently harmonized; CEVNI prescribes, as a general rule, that the overtaking vessel pass to port	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
			of the vessel being overtaken				
		1. The overtaking very port or starboard of overtaken. When ow without changing the being overtaken, the need give no sound	of the vessel being vertaking is possible e course by the vessel e overtaking vessel				
8	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
9	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	RPNR do not prescribe sound signals	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
0	Paragraphs 4–5	Paragraphs 4–5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 4–5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 4–5	Harmonized
1	Paragraph 6	-	There is no similar provision in RPNR	Paragraph 6	Harmonized	Paragraph 6	Harmonized
2	Paragraph 7	Article 6.02 bis, para. 4, the last indent – for small sailing craft		Paragraph 7	Harmonized	Paragraph 7	Harmonized
3	Article 6.11	Article 6.11	May be considered	Article 6.11	Harmonized	Article 6.11	Harmonized
	See No. 6		as harmonized; however, CEVNI contains also references to signs A.4 (in (a)) and A.4.1 (in (b))				
	III. Other rules of the road	Section III. Other rules of the road		III. Other rules of the road		III. Other rules of the road	
	Article 6.12	Article 6.12		Article 6.12		Article 6.12	

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
4	Paragraph 1	Unnumbered paragraph	RPNR mention: B.1, B.2a. B.2b,	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
	See No. 6		B.3a, B.3b, B.4a or B.4b.				
			CEVNI prescribes the sign indicating the end of the section				
5	Paragraph 2	-	There is no similar provision in RPNR	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
	Article 6.13	Article 6.13		Article 6.13		Article 6.13	
6	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized; however, RPNR refer to paragraphs 2 and 3	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
		Vessels may turn onle certain that the move vessels, with due reg 3, will allow them to without obliging such change their course of	ments of other gard of paras. 2 and do so safely, and n other vessels to				
7	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
8	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	The first sentence is harmonized; the second sentence from CEVNI is not contained in RPNR	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
9	Paragraph 4 See No. 6	-		Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
	See No. 6						

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
51	Articles 6.14 and 6.15 Article 6.14 - see No. 6	Articles 6.14 and 6.15	Harmonized	Articles 6.14 and 6.15	Harmonized	Articles 6.14 and 6.15	Harmonized
	Article 6.16	Article 6.16 Titles ar Entering and leaving tributary waterways		Article 6.16		Article 6.16	
52	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
53	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Paragraph 2 (except the last sentence)	Harmonized; in para. 3, CEVNI refers also to sign B.10	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized
54	Paragraph 4	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
55	Paragraph 5	Paragraph 4	The first sentence is harmonized; the second sentence from CEVNI (the prohibition to leave a harbour or tributary waterway) is not contained in RPNR	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
56	Paragraphs 6, 7 Para. 7 – see No. 6	-		Paragraphs 6, 7	Harmonized	Paragraphs 6, 7	Harmonized
	Article 6.17	Article 6.17		Article 6.17		Article 6.17	
57	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
58	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized; however, CEVNI mentions also side- by-side formations	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
9	Paragraphs 3–4	Paragraphs 3–4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 3–4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 3–4	Harmonized
	Article 6.18	Article 6.18		Article 6.18		Article 6.18	
0	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
1	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2		Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
		to drifting, when a	, it applies to such sections marked, in ticle 7.03,				
2	Paragraph 3	-		Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
	Article 6.19	Article 6.19		Article 6.19		Article 6.19	
3	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
4	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Harmonized; however, CEVNI prescribes "safe stopping"	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
5	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
	Article 6.20	Article 6.20 Prevention of wash		Article 6.20		Article 6.20	
,	Paragraphs 1–3	Paragraphs 1-3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–3	Harmonized
	Article 6.21	Article 6.21 Composition of convoys		Article 6.21		Article 6.21	

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
57	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI prescribes proper control of the convoy, while RPNR – good manoeuvrability	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
		1. Motorized vessels must have sufficient good manoeuvrabilit	power to ensure the				
58	Paragraph 2	-	•	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
59	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 2	The first sentence is harmonized. The second sentence from RPNR is not contained in CEVNI	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
		propulsion of a side-	o a vessel in distress, pushing or to ensure				
		main propulsion of formation, shall be this formation. How several pushed barg	located starboard of vever, when one or ges are coupled side- nay be located on the				
		The second sentence contained in RPNR.	from CEVNI is not				

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
Paragraph 4	Article 8.03(1)	RPNR contains more detailed provisions in chapter 8 "Additional provisions"	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
	•	s may have shipborne the head only when :				
	a) the shipborne be special fore device	parge is fitted with a e (avant-bec), or				
	(b) the shipborne section, or	barge has a fore				
	the « normal » ba point below which	parge is placed next to rge and the lowest in the shipborne barge dered watertight, is at ne water level.				
Paragraph 5	Paragraph 3	May be considered as harmonized; however, RPNR contain more detailed prescriptions	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
	board shall not sail	all neither tow nor be ne case when a				
Article 6.21 bis	Article 8.04	RPNR contain similar provisions in chapter 8 "Additional provisions",	Article 6.21 bis	Harmonized	Article 6.21 bis	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
			however, they are not fully harmonized				
			A pushed barge outside a pushed convoy may be relocated only:				
			e-by-side to a the ship's certificate the respective entry;				
		b) On short distances training or when a should be relocated the regulations or wi of the competent aut	pushed convoy in accordance with th the authorization				
	Article 6.22	Article 6.22 Titles an Interruption of navig not in use		Article 6.22		Article 6.22	
3	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
ļ	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2		Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
		2. Navigation on was sign:	ters displaying the				
		 (a) A.1a (annex 7) is prohibited for all vessels, with the exception of non-motorized small craft; (b) A.12 (annex 7) is prohibited for all motorized vessels. 					
5	Article 6.22 bis Should be :in article 3.25, paragraph 1 (b) and (d)	Article 6.22 bis	CEVNI contains also prescriptions for vessels referred to in article 3.34	Article 6.22 bis	Harmonized	Article 6.22 bis	Harmonized

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
IV. Ferry-boats	Section IV. Ferry- boats		IV. Ferry-boats		IV. Ferry-boats	
Article 6.23, paragraphs 1–2	Article 6.23, paragraphs 1–2	Harmonized	Article 6.23, paragraphs 1–2	Paragraph 2 (b) of CEVNI additionally contains requirements for the operation of ferry-boats with longitudinal cables	Article 6.23, paragraphs 1–2	Paragraph 1 of NRSRB does not apply to ferry-boats not sailing independently in relation to small crafts. Paragraph 2(b) of NRSRB contains additional provisions for ferry-boats with underwater cable
V. Passage under bridges and through weirs and locks	Section V. Passage under bridges and through weirs and locks		V. Passage under bridges and through weirs and locks		V. Passage under bridges and through weirs and locks	
Article 6.24	Article 6.24	Harmonized	Article 6.24	Harmonized	Article 6.24	Harmonized
Article 6.25	Article 6.25		Article 6.25		Article 6.25	
Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	May be considered as harmonized; however, the last sentence from CEVNI is not contained in RPNR	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
Article 6.26, paragraphs 1–7	Article 6.26	Prescriptions are not harmonized and	Article 6.26, paragraphs 1–7	Harmonized	Article 6.26, paragraphs 1–7	Harmonized

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		may require a detailed analysis				
	articles 6.07, 6	dice to the provisions of 0.08 and 6.24, the passage ble bridges is subject to the s:	e			
	vessels procee small craft, is kilometre upst and overtaking	between two motorized ding alone, except for prohibited within 1 ream of a movable bridge between all other vessels metres upstream of a e;				
	bridge, vessels necessary for	ng through the movable shall not exceed the spee safe steering and shall kee sible to the middle of the				
		ceeding upstream shall no n 100 m downstream fron ridge;				
	anchors of mo anchors, dragg	ted to cause damage to the vable bridges by dropping ging chains, dropping bring on the shore or doing oeuvres.				
Article 6.27	Article 6.27		Article 6.27		Article 6.27	
Paragraphs 1–2	Paragraphs 1–	2 Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–2	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–2	Harmonized
Paragraph 3	-		Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
Article 6.28	Article 6.28		Article 6.28		Article 6.28	

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
84	Paragraphs 1–5	Paragraphs 1–5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–5	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–5	Harmonized
85	Paragraph 6	Paragraph 6	Harmonized; however, CEVNI mentions also floating establishments	Paragraph 6	Harmonized	Paragraph 6	Harmonized
86	Paragraphs 7–9	Paragraphs 7–9	Harmonized	Paragraphs 7–9	Paragraph 7 (e) of DFND allows the use of mechanical means of propulsion in locks in exceptional circumstances to ensure safe lockage; CEVNI prohibits the use of mechanical means of propulsion from the time the vessel is made fast until it is allowed to leave	Paragraphs 7–9	Harmonized
87	Paragraph 10	Paragraph 10	Harmonized	Paragraph 14	Harmonized		CEVNI contains a new paragraph 10 for vessels and convoys with the LNG marking
88	Paragraphs 11–13	Paragraphs 11–13	Harmonized	Paragraphs 10–12	Harmonized	Paragraphs 10–12	Paragraph 11 of NRSRB does not mention assemblies of floating material
89	Paragraph 14	-		Paragraph 13	Harmonized	Paragraph 13	Harmonized
	Article 6.28 bis	Article 6.28 bis		Article 6.28 bis		Article 6.28 bis	

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
90	Paragraphs 1–4	Paragraphs 1–4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–4	Harmonized
91	Paragraph 5	_		Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
	Article 6.29	Article 6.29		Article 6.29		Article 6.29	
92	Paragraph 1	Unnumbered paragraph	CEVNI refers to articles 3.27 and 3.17, while RPNR describe the types of vessels which have priority of passage through locks:	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
		By derogation from a the following have put through locks:					
		a) vessels that belong to the competent authority or to the fire-fighting, police and customs services of the riverine States and navigating for urgent service reasons;					
		b) vessels to which the authority has express					
93	Paragraphs 2, 3	-		Paragraphs 2, 3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2, 3	Harmonized
	VI. Reduced visibility – navigation by radar	Section VI. Reduced visibility; navigation by radar		VI. Reduced visibility – navigation by radar		VI. Reduced visibility – navigation by radar	
	Article 6.30	Article 6.30		Article 6.30		Article 6.30	
94	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
95	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2 Paragraph 4	CEVNI applies the term "safe speed"	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
			For small craft, RPNR additionally prescribe listening watch on channel 10				
		2. In reduced visibility adapt their speed accepase of the visible and movements of ocircumstances. They wessels the necessary safety of navigation.	cording to the ility, the presence ther vessels and local shall give other y information for				
			are also on listening or any other channel				
6	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
7	Paragraph 4	-		Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
8	Paragraph 5	Paragraph 5		Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
		5. In reduced visibiliconvoys which cannimmediately proceed	ot use radar, shall				
	Article 6.31	Article 6.31		Article 6.31		Article 6.31	
9	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI mentions also floating equipment	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
00	-	Paragraph 2		_		_	
		The vessels mention which cannot use the	1 0 1				

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		shall give one peal of they hear from an app of the signals prescril paragraph 4 (c), or ar 1 (b). These sound s repeated at intervals of less.	proaching vessel one bed in article 6.32, ticle 6.33, paragraph ignals shall be				
101	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 3	May be considered as harmonized; however, CEVNI contains also provisions for a towed convoy.	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
102	Paragraph 3	-		Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
	Article 6.32	Article 6.32		Article 6.32		Article 6.32	
103	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	May be considered as harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
104	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2(a)	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
105	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 2(b)	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 3 of DFND additionally contains mention of sections where a vessel not yet visible on the screen may be located.	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
106	Paragraph 4	Paragraph 2(d) When radiotelephone established with the v		Paragraph 4	Paragraphs 4 (b) of DFND and CEVNI are divergent	Paragraph 4	Harmonized

¹ Here, the references are modified in accordance with CEVNI articles.

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		opposite direction, the by radar shall:	e vessel navigating				
		- Give one long blast signal as often as nec					
		- Reduce speed and,	if necessary, stop.				
		This provision also a navigating by radar in stationary vessels near which radiotelephone established.	n relation to or the fairway, with				
107	Paragraph 5	Paragraph 2(c)	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Harmonized
108	Paragraph 6			Paragraph 6	Harmonized	Paragraph 6	Harmonized
	Article 6.33	Article 6.33		Article 6.33		Article 6.33	
109	Paragraph 1	Unnumbered paragraph	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
110	Paragraph 2	-		_		Paragraph 2	Harmonized
	VII. Special rules	_		VII. Special rules		VII. Special rules	
111	Article 6.34	-		Article 6.34	Harmonized	Article 6.34	Harmonized
112	Article 6.35	_		Article 6.35		Article 6.35	
		para and		Harmonized, although the amended paragraph 2 of CEVNI includes the skier and/or persons on other towed water sport equipment		Harmonized, although the amended paragraph 2 of CEVNI includes the skier and/or persons on other towed water sport equipment	
113	Articles 6.36–6.37	-		Articles 6.36–6.37	Harmonized	Articles 6.36–6.37	Harmonized

 Table 6: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 7

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	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
	Article 7.01	Article 7.01		Article 7.01		Article 7.01	
	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
2	_	Paragraph 2		-		-	
3	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Paragraphs 3 and 4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Harmonized
ļ	_	Paragraph 5		-		-	
	Article 7.02	Article 7.02	Berthing prohibited	Article 7.02		Article 7.02	
5	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Harmonized
	Article 7.03	Article 7.03		Article 7.03		Article 7.03	
5	Paragraph 1	Paragraph 1	Interdiction of the use of telescopic spuds is added as a general rule	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
7	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 2	Interdiction of the use of telescopic spuds is added as a general rule	Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
3	Paragraph 3	-	Covered in paras. 1–2 as a general rule	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
)	Paragraph 4	Paragraph 3	Harmonized, however, the interdiction of the use of telescopic spuds is added as a general rule	Paragraph 4	A reference to paragraph 1 (b) is deleted from paragraph 4 of CEVNI	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
.0	Article 7.04	Article 7.04	Harmonized	Article 7.04	Harmonized	Article 7.04	Harmonized
	Article 7.05	Article 7.05		Article 7.05		Article 7.05	
1	Paragraphs 1–4	Paragraphs 1–4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1-4	Harmonized	Paragraphs 1–4	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
12	Paragraph 5	Article 7.06(2)	Harmonized (article 7.06 for particular berthing areas)	Paragraph 5	Harmonized	Paragraph 5	Paragraph 5 of NRSRB additionally prescribes that in berthing areas the exterior vessel should not enter the fairway
13	-	_		Paragraph 6		_	
				If the berth water area bank marks, is separa signs, it shall be indic	ted by floating		
				- on the right side of t with lights (Annex 8,			
			- on the left side of the fairway, buoys with lights (Annex 8, Fig. 4 b).		• • •		
				In this case, floating signs separate the fairway from the berth water area.			
	Article 7.06	Article 7.06	Particular berthing areas	Article 7.06		Article 7.06	
14	Paragraph 1	Paragraphs 1 and 2	- harmonized	No number	Harmonized	No number	Harmonized
		E.5.15 (annex 7), be	ng one of the signs E.5.4 to erthing shall be authorized for which the sign is valid.				
15	Paragraphs 2 and 3	Paragraphs 3–4	Harmonized	-		_	
16	Article 7.07	Article 7.07	Harmonized	Article 7.07	Harmonized	Article 7.07	Harmonized
	In para. 2(b), paragraph 8.1.8 of ADN should be replaced by paragraph 1.16.1 (CEVNI EG/2019/12 - Minutes of the thirtieth meeting of				In para. 2(b), paragraph 8.1.8 of ADN should be replaced by paragraph 1.16.1		In para. 2(b), paragraph 8.1.8 of ADN should be replaced by paragraph 1.16.1

CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
the CEVNI Expert Group, para. 8(c))						
Article 7.08	Article 7.08		Article 7.08		Article 7.08	
Paragraphs 1–6	Paragraphs 1–4	Not fully harmonized, as CEVNI establishes provisions for efficient watch, while RPNR – for operational watch. However, in relation to vessels using liquefied natural gas as a fuel and vessels carrying dangerous goods they may be considered as harmonized	Paragraphs 1–6	Article 7.08 of CEVNI has been considerably revised	Paragraphs 1–5	Article 7.08 of CEVNI has been considerably revised
Paragraphs 7 and 8	Paragraphs 5 and 6	Harmonized				

Table 7: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 8

The title of chapter 8 of CEVNI has been changed as "Signalling, reporting and safety requirements"

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
1	Article 8.01	Article 8.09	Harmonized	Article 8.01	Harmonized	Article 8.01	Harmonized
2	Article 8.02 Paragraphs 1 to 5 have been revised in February and June 2019	Article 12.01		Article 8.02	Paragraphs 1 to 5 of CEVNI have been revised in February and June 2019	Article 8.02	Paragraphs 1 to 5 of CEVNI have been revised in February and June 2019
3	Paragraph 6	 -		Paragraph 6	Harmonized	Paragraph 6	Harmonized
4	Paragraph 7 (proposed at the thirtieth meeting of	Paragraph 10	Harmonized	-		-	

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CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
the CEVNI Expe Group)	ert					
Article 8.03	Article 8.11	Harmonized	Article 8.03	Harmonized	-	
		es of Chapter 8 "Additional R are not contained in CEVNI	:			
	Article 8.01 "Towin convoy"	g of a pushed convoy by a pus	shed			
	Article 8.02 "Pushed other than pushed ba	I convoys that include vessels arges"				
	Article 8.05 "Coupli	ng of pushed convoys"				
	Article 8.06 "Radiot convoys"	elephone communications on				
	Article 8.07 "Mover convoys"	nents of people on pushed				
	Article 8.08 "Forma	tion of towed convoys"				
	Article 8.10 "Safety carry more than 12 p	on board vessels authorized to passengers".)			

Table 8: Comparison of the provisions of Chapter 10

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
1	Article 10.01	Article 15.01	May be considered as harmonized	Article 10.01	Harmonized	Article 10.01	The definition of "bunker station" has been added to CEVNI
2	Article 10.02	-		Article 10.02	Harmonized	Article 10.02	Harmonized
3	Articles 10.03 to 10.05	Articles 15.02 to 15.04	Harmonized	Articles 10.03 to 10.05	Harmonized	Articles 10.03 to 10.05	Harmonized

	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
4	Article 10.06	Article 15.05	Para. 1 of CEVNI provides exceptions	Article 10.06	Paragraph 1 of CEVNI has been modified; may require additional consideration	Article 10.06	Paragraph 1 of CEVNI has been modified; may require additional consideration
	Article 10.07	Article 15.06		Article 10.07		Article 10.07	
5	Paragraph 1	_			In paragraph 1 of CEVNI, "motorized" has been deleted		In paragraph 1 of CEVNI, "motorized" has been deleted
6	Paragraph 2	Paragraph 1		Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized
	(a) (b)–(d) (e)	- (a)–(c) (d)	Harmonized RPNR refer to ES-TRIN				
7	Paragraph 3	Paragraph 2	May be considered as harmonized; however, RPNR do not refer to the safety checklist for bunkering fuel	Paragraph 3	Harmonized	Paragraph 3	Harmonized
8	Paragraph 4	Paragraph 3	In RPNR, only the boatmaster is mentioned	Paragraph 4	Harmonized	Paragraph 4	Harmonized
9	Paragraphs 5 and 6	-		Paragraphs 5 and 6	Harmonized	Paragraphs 5 and 6	Harmonized
10	Article 10.07 bis	Article 15.07	Harmonized	Article 10.10	Paragraphs 5(b) and 6 of CEVNI is missing (checklist for LNG bunkering operations)	_	
	Article 10.08	Article 15.08		Article 10.08		Article 10.08	
11	-	Paragraph 1	RPNR refer to CDNI	_		_	

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	CEVNI	RPNR	Comments	DFND	Comments	NSRSB	Comments
		1. When unloading the rema and receiving cargo-related required follow the requiren Regulations for the application	waste, the boatmaster is nents of Part B of the				
12	Paragraphs 1 and 2	Paragraph 2	CEVNI is brought in line with CDNI	No number	CEVNI has been brought in line with CDNI	No number	CEVNI has been brought in line with CDNI
	Article 10.09	Article 15.09		Article 10.09		Article 10.09	
13	Paragraph 1	No number	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized	Paragraph 1	Harmonized
14	Paragraph 2	-		Paragraph 2	Harmonized	Paragraph 2	Harmonized

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