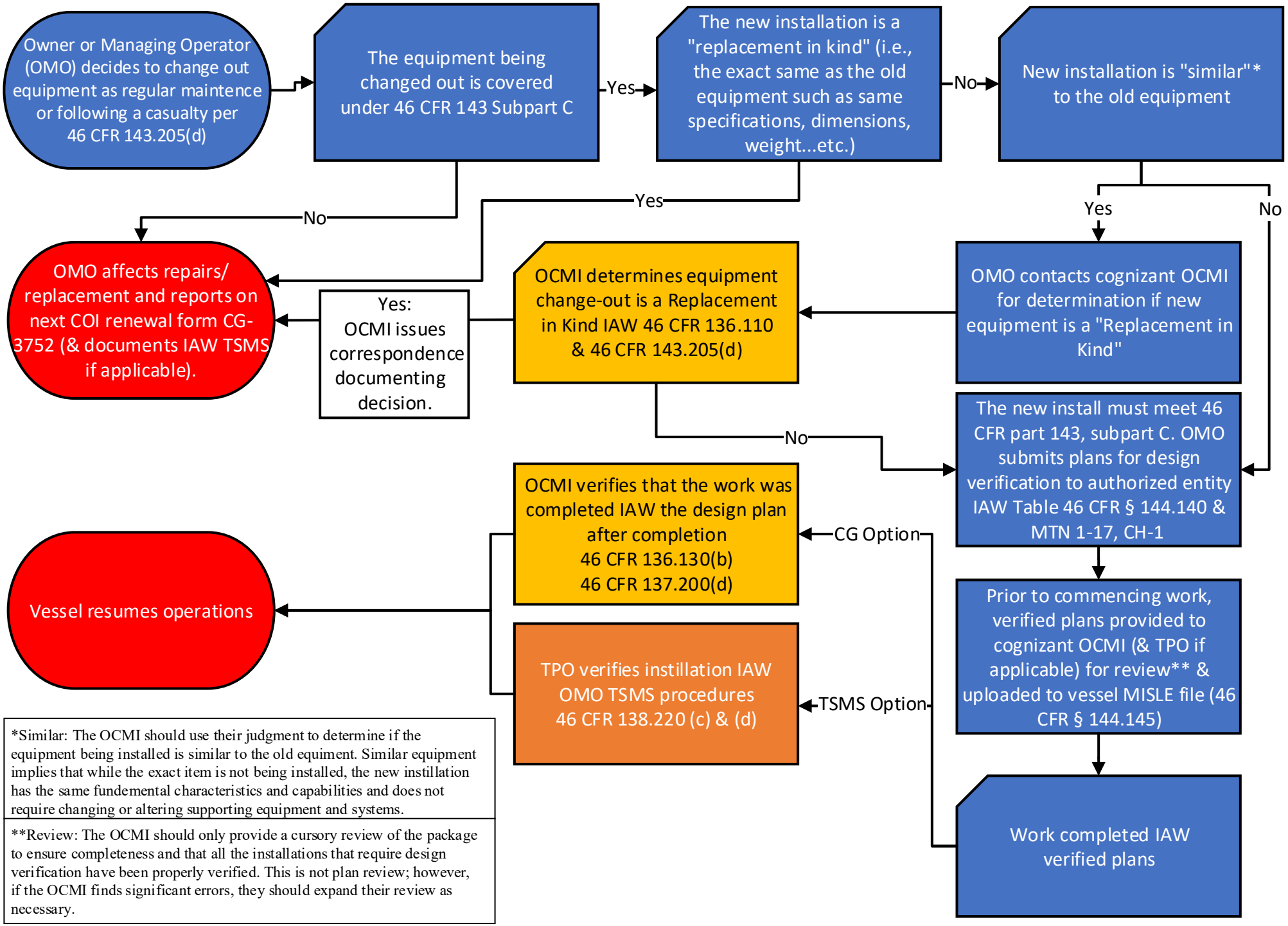
USCG Subchapter M Equipment Upgrade or Replacement Flow Chart



*Similar: The OCMI should use their judgment to determine if the equipment being installed is similar to the old equiment. Similar equipment implies that while the exact item is not being installed, the new instillation has the same fundemental characteristics and capabilities and does not require changing or altering supporting equipment and systems.

**Review: The OCMI should only provide a cursory review of the package to ensure completeness and that all the installations that require design verification have been properly verified. This is not plan review; however, if the OCMI finds significant errors, they should expand their review as necessary.