



# REPUBLIC OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS

## MARITIME ADMINISTRATOR

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### PRELIMINARY REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICANTS OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS 350 GROSS TON MASTER/500 GROSS TON MATE CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCE-YACHTS

In order for an applicant to receive the Marshall Islands 350GT Certificate of Competence (CoC) the following requirements must be met:

1. The applicant must possess a CoC for: 200 GT Master - Yachts (or greater)
2. The applicant must have completed 3 YEARS service on vessels > 15 meters, 1 YEAR of which must be aboard a vessel > 200 tons **in the grade of Master or Mate** (i.e. Officer in Charge of a Navigational Watch (OICNW), Officer of the Watch (OOW), Chief Mate, etc.) (1 year= 365 days)
3. The applicant must have completed the following courses:
  - STCW BASIC SAFETY TRAINING (all four parts)
  - OOW NAVIGATION AND RADAR
  - GENERAL SHIPS KNOWLEDGE
  - ADVANCED SEA SURVIVAL FOR YACHTSMEN
  - ADVANCED FIREFIGHTING
  - PROFICIENCY IN SURVIVAL CRAFT AND RESCUE BOATS (PSCRB)
  - MEDICAL FIRST AID
  - AUTOMATIC RADAR PLOTTING AID (ARPA)
  - ELECTRONIC CHART DISPLAY AND INFORMATION SYSTEM (ECDIS)-40 hr. course\*
  - BRIDGE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (BRM)
  - HUMAN ELEMENT LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT (HELM)
  - SECURITY AWARENESS TRAINING
4. The applicant must have had an approved physical examination within the last two years
5. National ID document (passport)
6. Passport size photo
7. The applicant must possess a Marshall Islands Seafarers ID Book (MI-272) or obtain a letter of recommendation from a RMI licensed master mariner
8. A valid Data Privacy Consent Form (MI-273C) or valid receipt of DPCF submitted through IRI's website

\*Applicants without an approved ECDIS certificate will have a limitation added to their CoC to effect of: "NOT VALID FOR SERVICE ABOARD ECDIS EQUIPPED VESSELS".

NOTE: Applicants must be pre-approved to take the course. An application for Original Officer Certificate of Competence by Examination (MI-105E) form must be submitted along with a \$300.00 fee to the address below *before* the applicant can take the examination and be issued any certificate by the training facility:

International Registries, Inc.  
401 S.E. 12<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316-1901 USA

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