



# REPUBLIC OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS

## MARITIME ADMINISTRATOR

### PRELIMINARY APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER (YACHTS) – UNLIMITED TONNAGE CAPSTONE COURSE

In order for an applicant to enroll in the Capstone Course and qualify for a Certificate of Competence (CoC) the following requirements must be met:

1. The applicant must possess, at a minimum, a valid STCW CoC for either:
  - a) STCW II/2 Master - Yachts 3000 Gross Tons (GT); or
  - b) STCW II/2 Master – Vessels 3000 GT.
2. The applicant must have completed one (1) year of sea service within the last five (5) years as follows:
  - a) Holders of a *yacht* CoC must show service aboard a yacht >500 GT **in the grade of Master**, 270 days of which must be actual sea service (one (1) year = 365 days).
  - b) Holders of a *merchant vessel* CoC must show service aboard a vessel >500 GT **in the grade of Master**, 180 days of which must be actual sea service; or be qualified to sit for STCW Master (Unlimited) examination (one (1) year = 365 days).
3. The applicant must have completed the following courses:
  - STCW BASIC SAFETY TRAINING (refresher)
  - ADVANCED FIREFIGHTING COURSE
  - ADVANCED METEOROLOGY COURSE
  - ADVANCED NAVIGATION COURSE
  - ADVANCED SHIP HANDLING
  - ADVANCED STABILITY COURSE
  - AUTOMATED RADAR PLOTTING AID (ARPA)
  - PROFICIENCY IN SURVIVAL CRAFT & RESCUE BOAT (PSCRB)
  - BRIDGE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
  - STCW COMPLIANT CELESTIAL NAVIGATION
  - ELECTRONIC CHART DISPLAY AND INFORMATION SYSTEM (ECDIS) – 40 hour course
  - HUMAN ELEMENT LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT (HELM)
  - MEDICAL FIRST AID
  - MARINE PROPULSION FOR THE DECK OFFICER COURSE
  - SECURITY AWARENESS
4. The applicant must have had an approved physical examination within the last two (2) years
5. Identification Document (passport)
6. Passport size photo

NOTE: Applicants must be pre-approved to take the course. A completed Application for Original Officer CoC by Examination (MI-105E) must be submitted along with a \$300.00 fee to the address below **before** the applicant can take the examination and be issued any CoC by the training facility.

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