



## » Dual Crew Cabins Permitted on Any Sized Commercial Yacht

The Republic of the Marshall Islands' (RMI's) Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 (MLC, 2006) Tripartite Working Group agreed to equivalences in the application of the MLC, 2006 for commercial yachts designed to the 2021 RMI Yacht Code. Dual occupancy cabins are allowed for crew not performing the duties of an officer.

- No upper limit on yacht size where dual occupancy cabins are permitted.
- Cabins are to be with en suite sanitary facilities and with separate berths for each crewmember arranged longitudinally.
- The floor area shall not be less than 5.5 meters<sup>2</sup> per crewmember.

Cabins may be permitted below the waterline with the condition that satisfactory arrangements are made for lighting, ventilation, enhanced bilge pumping capacity, and water ingress alarms.



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