## **AMSA REGULATORY REVIEW**

Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2015 review and reissue – public consultation.

## Who does this Order apply to?

Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2015 (MO11) is issued under the Navigation Act 2012 and gives effect to the Maritime Labour Convention, 2006, (MLC) and sets out the requirements for:

- a. seafarers working on vessels
- b. conditions of employment
- c. accommodation, food, and catering
- d. health protection, medical care, welfare, and social security protection
- e. noise levels on board vessels
- f. additional requirements for living and working conditions on regulated Australian vessels.

This Marine Order applies to regulated Australian vessels and foreign vessels.

## What are the key changes?

The review of MO11 gives effect to the 2022 amendments to the MLC which enter into force on 23 December 2024. In summary, the amendments to the MLC relate to:

(i) recruitment and placement; (ii) repatriation; (iii) accommodation and recreational facilities; (iv) food and catering; (v) medical care on board ship and ashore; (vi) medical assistance to other ships and international cooperation; (vii) Health and safety protection and accident prevention; (viii) Evidence of financial security.

The review has also considered items in the "Direct Request" provided to Australia by the International Labour Organisation (ILO) Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations (CEACR).

A summary of key changes is:

- a. Clarifying adequacy of insurance coverage to compensate seafarers for monetary loss incurred during the recruitment and placement process.
- b. Ensuring that financial security to provide for repatriation of seafarers is sufficiently established.
- c. Clarifying requirements for non-commercial and fishing vessels.
- d. Clarifying the application of Marine Order 11 to vessels less than 200 GT and vessels between 200-500 GT.
- e. Better expressing the application provisions throughout the order.

## Commencement

The effect date for the reissued Marine Order 11 is 23 December 2024.

The table below compares Marine Order 11 (2015) and the proposed draft Marine Order 11 (2024).

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(2)	Purpose	2 Purpose	
(1) This Order gives effect to:		(1) This Order gives effect to:	
` '	(a) the Maritime Labour Convention which provides standards for:	(a) the Maritime Labour Convention which provides standards for:	
	<ul><li>(i) minimum requirements for seafarers working on vessels; and</li></ul>	(i) minimum requirements for seafarers working on vessels; and	

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(ii) conditions of employment; and	(ii) conditions of employment; and	
(iii) accommodation and food and catering; and	(iii) accommodation and food and catering; and	
<ul><li>(iv) health protection, medical care, welfare and security protection; and</li></ul>	social (iv) health protection, medical care, welfare and social security protection; and	
(b) the Code on noise levels on board ships which p standards for protection against noise on board.	(b) the Code on noise levels on board ships which provides standards for protection against noise on board.	
(2)This Order also prescribes additional requirements for living working conditions on regulated Australian vessels		
3 Power	3 Power	
(1)The following provisions of the Navigation Act provide for th Order to be made:	is (1)The following provisions of the Navigation Act provide for this Order to be made:	
<ul> <li>section 42 which provides that, for regulated Ausvessels, regulations may be made about maritim labour certificates;</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>(b) subsection 54(5) which provides that, for regulat Australian vessels, regulations may be made ab work agreements;</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>subsection 55(1) which provides that regulations be made about information that an owner of a re Australian vessel must make available to the vesseafarers;</li> </ul>	gulated be made about information that an owner of a regulated	
<ul> <li>(d) section 57 which provides that, for regulated Ausvessels, regulations may be made about retaining producing records of service of seafarers;</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>section 58 which provides that, for regulated Ausvessels, regulations may be made about seafare and rest hours;</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>section 59 which provides that, for regulated Ausvessels, regulations may be made about paymer seafarer wages;</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>(g) section 61 which provides that, for regulated Ausvessels and foreign vessels, regulations may be about the provision of food and drinking water or</li> </ul>	made vessels and foreign vessels, regulations may be made	

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		board;			about the provision of food and drinking water on board;	
	(h)	section 65 which provides that, for regulated Australian vessels and foreign vessels, regulations may be made about the health of seafarers;		(h)	section 65 which provides that, for regulated Australian vessels and foreign vessels, regulations may be made about the health of seafarers;	
	(i)	sections 72 and 73 which provide for regulations about medical practitioners and first aid attendants;		(i)	sections 72 and 73 which provide for regulations about medical practitioners and first aid attendants;	
	(j)	section 74 which provides that, for regulated Australian vessels and foreign vessels, regulations may be made about accommodation for seafarers on vessels;		(j)	section 74 which provides that, for regulated Australian vessels and foreign vessels, regulations may be made about accommodation for seafarers on vessels;	
	(k)	section 76 which provides that regulations may be made about repatriation of seafarers;		(k)	section 76 which provides that regulations may be made about repatriation of seafarers;	
	(I)	section 77 which provides that regulations may be made about complaints and legal proceedings about seafarer employment;		(I)	section 77 which provides that regulations may be made about complaints and legal proceedings about seafarer employment;	
	(m)	section 91 which provides that regulations may be made about dealing with the property of deceased seafarers;		(m)	section 91 which provides that regulations may be made about dealing with the property of deceased seafarers;	
	(n)	subsection 95(4) which provides that regulations may be made about providing access to regulations or legislative instruments;		(n)	subsection 95(4) which provides that regulations may be made about providing access to regulations or legislative instruments;	
	(o)	subsection 309(2) which provides that regulations may be made about the keeping of logbooks;		(o)	subsection 309(2) which provides that regulations may be made about the keeping of logbooks;	
	(p)	section 314 which provides that regulations may be made about particular matters relating to certificates;		(p)	section 314 which provides that regulations may be made about particular matters relating to certificates;	
	(q)	paragraph 340(1)(a) which provides that regulations may be made to give effect to the Safety Convention;		(q)	paragraph 340(1)(a) which provides that regulations may be made to give effect to the Safety Convention;	
	(r)	paragraph 340(1)(i) which provides that regulations may be made to give effect to the Maritime Labour Convention;		(r)	paragraph 340(1)(i) which provides that regulations may be made to give effect to the Maritime Labour Convention;	
	(s)	subsection 341(1) which provides that the regulations may provide for the imposition of penalties and civil penalties for a contravention of the regulations.		(s)	subsection 341(1) which provides that the regulations may provide for the imposition of penalties and civil penalties for a contravention of the regulations.	
(2)	Sub	section 339(1) of the Navigation Act provides that	(2)	Sub	section 339(1) of the Navigation Act provides that	

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	regulations may be made prescribing matters that are required or permitted to be prescribed, or that are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to the Act.		regulations may be made prescribing matters that are required or permitted to be prescribed, or that are necessary or convenient to be prescribed for carrying out or giving effect to the Act.	
(3)	Subsection 342(1) of the Navigation Act provides that AMSA may make orders about anything that may or must be made by the regulations.	(3)	Subsection 342(1) of the Navigation Act provides that AMSA may make orders about anything that may or must be made by the regulations.	
4 De	finitions	4 De	finitions	
In this	Order:	In this	Order:	
	act of armed robbery against vessels means any unlawful act of violence or detention, or any act of depredation, or threat (other than an act of piracy) that is:		act of armed robbery against vessels means any unlawful act of violence or detention, or any act of depredation, or threat (other than an act of piracy) that is:	
	<ul> <li>(a) directed against a vessel, or against persons or property on board the vessel; and</li> </ul>		(a) directed against a vessel, or against persons or property on board the vessel; and	
	(b) done in a place within the jurisdiction of any country.		(b) done in a place within the jurisdiction of any country.	
	act of piracy has the same meaning as in section 51 of the Crimes Act 1914.		act of piracy has the same meaning as in section 51 of the Crimes Act 1914.	
	adverse action has the same meaning as in section 342 of the Fair Work Act 2009.		adverse action has the same meaning as in section 342 of the Fair Work Act 2009.	
	approved, other than for a form, means approved by an issuing body.		approved, other than for a form, means approved by an issuing body.	
	<b>declaration of maritime labour compliance</b> has the same meaning as in Regulation 5.1.3 of the Maritime Labour Convention.		declaration of maritime labour compliance has the same meaning as in Regulation 5.1.3 of the Maritime Labour Convention.	
	<b>Code on noise levels on board ships</b> means the Code on noise levels on board ships adopted by IMO Resolution MSC 337(91), as in force from time to time.		Code on noise levels on board ships means the Code on noise levels on board ships adopted by IMO Resolution MSC 337(91), as in force from time to time.	
	collective agreement has the same meaning as in section 11A of the Shipping Registration Act 1981.		collective agreement has the same meaning as in section 11A of the Shipping Registration Act 1981.	
	<b>controlled drug</b> means a substance mentioned in Schedule 8 to the current Poisons Standard as defined in section 52A of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989.		controlled drug means a substance mentioned in Schedule 8 to the current Poisons Standard as defined in section 52A of the Therapeutic Goods Act 1989.	
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gross tonnage has the same meaning as in paragraph (4) of Article 2 of the Tonnage Convention.	gross tonnage has the same meaning as in paragraph (4) of Article 2 of the Tonnage Convention.	
GT, for a vessel, means the gross tonnage of the vessel.	GT, for a vessel, means the gross tonnage of the vessel.	
interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) means an interim maritime labour certificate mentioned in MLC standard A5.1.3.	interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) means an interim maritime labour certificate mentioned in MLC standard A5.1.3.	
ILO means the International Labour Organization.	ILO means the International Labour Organization.	
<ul><li>industrial association has the same meaning as in section</li><li>12 of the Fair Work Act 2009.</li></ul>	<i>industrial association</i> has the same meaning as in section 12 of the <i>Fair Work Act 2009</i> .	
maritime labour certificate (MLC) means a maritime labour certificate mentioned in MLC regulation 5.1.3.	maritime labour certificate (MLC) means a maritime labour certificate mentioned in MLC regulation 5.1.3.	
<i>medical practitioner</i> has the same meaning as in the Health Insurance Act 1973.	<b>medical practitioner</b> has the same meaning as in the <i>Health Insurance Act 1973</i> .	
onboard complaint procedure — see section 90.	onboard complaint procedure — see section 90.	
<b>repatriation</b> means the conveyance of a seafarer to his or her home port, or other destination mentioned in the seafarer's work agreement, other than in the discharge of duties in accordance with the seafarer's work agreement.	<b>repatriation</b> means the conveyance of a seafarer to his or her home port, or other destination mentioned in the seafarer's work agreement, other than in the discharge of duties in accordance with the seafarer's work agreement.	
seafarer recruitment and placement service means a person whose primary purpose is providing the service of recruiting seafarers for vessel owners er placing seafarers with owners.	<b>seafarer recruitment and placement service</b> means a person whose primary purpose is providing the service of recruiting seafarers for vessel owners and placing seafarers with owners.	This amendment is made to reflect what is in the MLC.
SPS Code has the same meaning as in Marine Order 50 (Special purpose vessels) 2012.	<b>SPS Code</b> has the same meaning as in <i>Marine Order 50</i> (Special purpose vessels) 2012.	the MLO.
substantial alteration, for a vessel, means a repair, alteration or modification that substantially:	substantial alteration, for a vessel, means a repair, alteration or modification that substantially:	
(a) alters the dimensions of the vessel; or	(a) alters the dimensions of the vessel; or	
(b) alters the dimensions of the accommodation spaces; or	(b) alters the dimensions of the accommodation spaces; or	
(c) increases the vessel's service life.	(c) increases the vessel's service life.	
war zone, for a vessel, means a zone agreed by the owner of the vessel and a seafarer, in a work agreement, to be a war zone.	war zone, for a vessel, means a zone agreed by the owner of the vessel and a seafarer, in a work agreement, to be a war zone.	

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WHO means the World Health Organization.	WHO means the World Health Organization.		
Note 1 Some terms used in this Order are defined or explained in Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013, including:	Note 1 Some terms used in this Order are defined or explained in Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013, including:		
Australian General Shipping Register	Australian General Shipping Register		
Australian International Shipping Register	Australian International Shipping Register		
• IMO	• IMO		
Navigation Act	Navigation Act		
• NSCV	• NSCV		
passenger vessel	passenger vessel		
STCW Code.	STCW Code.		
Note 2 Some expressions used in this Order are defined in the Navigation Act, including:	Note 2 Some expressions used in this Order are defined in the Navigation Act, including:		
accommodation	accommodation		
Australian port	Australian port		
approved form	approved form		
foreign vessel	foreign vessel		
Great Barrier Reef Region	Great Barrier Reef Region		
• inspector	• inspector		
International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code	International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code		
issuing body	issuing body		
Maritime Labour Convention	Maritime Labour Convention		
official logbook	official logbook		
overseas voyage	overseas voyage		
• owner	• owner		
<ul> <li>proceeding on a voyage</li> </ul>	proceeding on a voyage		
<ul> <li>recognised organisation (for organisations that have been prescribed for the definition — see Marine Order 1</li> </ul>	recognised organisation (for organisations that have been prescribed for the definition — see <i>Marine Order 1</i>		

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	(Administration) 2013)		(Administration) 2013)	
	<ul> <li>regulated Australian vessel</li> </ul>		regulated Australian vessel	
	Safety Convention		Safety Convention	
	• seafarer		• seafarer	
	special personnel		special personnel	
	STCW Convention		STCW Convention	
	Tonnage Convention		Tonnage Convention	
	work agreement.		work agreement.	
	Note 3 The text of the Maritime Labour Convention is available at the Australian Treaty Series Library on the AustLII website at <a href="http://www.austlii.edu.au">http://www.austlii.edu.au</a> and on the International Labour Organization website at <a href="http://www.ilo.org">http://www.ilo.org</a> .		Note 3 The text of the Maritime Labour Convention is available at the Australian Treaty Series Library on the AustLII website at <a href="http://www.austlii.edu.au">http://www.austlii.edu.au</a> and on the International Labour Organization website at <a href="http://www.ilo.org">http://www.ilo.org</a> .	
	Note 4 For delegation of AMSA's powers under this Order — see the AMSA website Marine Orders link at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a>		Note 4 For delegation of AMSA's powers under this Order — see the AMSA website Marine Orders link at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a>	
5	Interpretation	5	Interpretation	
	For this Marine Order:		For this Marine Order:	
	(a) the competent authority is:		(a) the <i>competent authority</i> is:	
	<ul> <li>(i) for a foreign vessel — the competent authority for the Maritime Labour Convention of the country in which the vessel is registered; and</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>(i) for a foreign vessel — the competent authority for the Maritime Labour Convention of the country in which the vessel is registered; and</li> </ul>	
	(ii) for a regulated Australian vessel — AMSA; and		(ii) for a regulated Australian vessel — AMSA; and	
	(b) a <b>MLC</b> standard is a standard of the Maritime Labour Convention; and		(b) a <i>MLC standard</i> is a standard of the Maritime Labour Convention; and	
	(c) a <b>MLC regulation</b> is a regulation of the Maritime Labour Convention; and		(c) a <i>MLC regulation</i> is a regulation of the Maritime Labour Convention; and	
	(d) a <b>MLC guideline</b> is a guideline of the Maritime Labour Convention.		(d) a <b>MLC guideline</b> is a guideline of the Maritime Labour Convention.	
6	Application	6	Application	

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<ul> <li>(1) This Order, other than Division 2, applies to a regulated Australian vessel.</li> <li>(2) Divisions 2 and 19 apply to a foreign vessel.</li> <li>(3) However:</li> </ul>	(1) This Marine Order applies to:  (a) a regulated Australia  (b) a foreign vessel.  (2) However, if an Australian re	_	
(a) for a vessel mentioned in subsection (4), only the following provisions of this Order apply:  (i) section 11;  (ii) sections 28 and 29;  (iii) sections 36 and 37;	mentioned in the following corresponding provisions apply.  Table Application of provisions vessels	table, only the mentioned for that vessel	This section provides application clarity to vessels that the MLC does not apply, including fishing vessels.
(iv) sections 38, sections 42 to 44, sections 47 to 50; (v) sections 52 and 53;	Kind of regulated Australian vessel	Provisions applying	
(vii) sections 54 and 55; (viii) Division 12, other than section 67; (ix) section 97; and (b) section 24 only applies to a vessel mentioned in subsection (5).  (4) For paragraph (3)(a), the vessel must be a regulated Australian vessel:  (a) that:  (i) is in a NSCV service category class 1C, 1D, 1E, 2C, 2D, 2E, 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 3E, 4C, 4D or 4E as defined in section 3.5.1 of Part B of the NSCV; or  (ii) is certified to operate exclusively in areas where port limits apply or in the Great Barrier Reef Region; and  (b) on which the employment of the seafarers is subject to the Fair Work Act 2009.  (5)For paragraph (3)(b), the vessel must be:	A vessel that is:  (a) as follows:  (i) operates exclusively within inland waters or waters closely adjacent to sheltered waters; or  (ii) has a certificate to operate exclusively in areas where port limits apply or in the Great Barrier Reef Region; or  (b) a fishing vessel.	<ul> <li>(a) Division 1 (General)</li> <li>(b) sections 28 (Hours of rest) and 29 (Shipboard working arrangements);</li> <li>(c) sections 36 (New vessel construction plans) and 37 (Modification of accommodation spaces);</li> <li>(d) sections 40 (Sleeping rooms) to 44 (Vessel batteries) and, sections 46 (Decks and flooring) to 50 (Lighting) unless section 51 (Exception for vessels &lt;200GT) applies;</li> <li>(e) sections 52 (Exception for vessels &lt;200 GT);</li> <li>(f) sections 52 (Noise) and 53 (Inspections);</li> <li>(g) sections 54 (Sanitary</li> </ul>	
(a) a regulated Australian vessel:		facilities) and 56 (Laundry	

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(i) that is registered on the Australian International Shipping Register; and	facilities); (h) sections 60 (Organisation	
(ii) to which the Fair Work Act 2009 does not apply; or	and equipment of catering	
(b) a foreign vessel to which the Fair Work Act 2009 does not apply.	department) to 64 (Inspection of food, drinking water, storage areas and	
(6) A vessel that was constructed before 21 August 2013 is taken to comply with Divisions 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 and paragraph 61(1)(b) if it complies with:	galleys);  (i) Division 12 (Health), other than section 68 (Reporting	
(a) Marine Orders – Part 14: Accommodation, Issue 1 as in force on 30 June 2013; or	of medical information); (j) (j) section 98 (Record	
(b) Section C1 of the NSCV; or	keeping – official logbook).	
(c) ILO Conventions No. 92 and 133.	Note 1 For a regulated Australian vessel that operates exclusively within	
Note Enabling legislation for Marine Orders — Part 14: Accommodation, Issue 1 was repealed by the Navigation (Consequential Amendments) Act 2012. The text of the Marine Order is available on the Federal Register of Legislation website at <a href="http://www.legislation.gov.au">http://www.legislation.gov.au</a> .	inland waters or waters closely adjacent to sheltered waters — its certificate of survey will be described as class 1C, 1D or 2C. See section 4 for definitions of <i>inland waters</i> and <i>waters closely adjacent to sheltered waters</i> .  Note 2 A regulated Australian vessel that is <200 GT, may be permitted to comply with Section C1 of the NSCV whether or not it is a kind of vessel	
(7) For subsection (6), a vessel is taken to have been constructed when:	mentioned in the table. See section 51.	
(a) the keel is laid; or		
(b) construction identifiable with the vessel starts and the lesser of at least 50 tonnes, or 1% of the estimated mass of all structural material, of the vessel is assembled.		

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			1) A reguler 21 Aug 9 and (a)  (b)  (c)  Note According (Control Order https:  (2) For s when (a)	er vessels  Ilated Australian vessel that was constructed before gust 2013 is taken to comply with Divisions 6, 7, 8, 10 and paragraph 62(1)(b) if it complies with:  Marine Orders – Part 14: Accommodation, Issue 1 as in force on 30 June 2013; or  Section C1 of the NSCV as existing on November 2013; or  ILO Conventions No. 92 and 133.  Enabling legislation for Marine Orders — Part 14: commodation, Issue 1 was repealed by the Navigation insequential Amendments) Act 2012. The text of the Marine er is available on the Federal Register website at sc://www.legislation.gov.au.	Section 6 of the current MO11 has been separated to two sections for clarity.
<b>7</b> (1)	Exemptions  A person may apply to AMSA, in accordance with the application process mentioned in Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013, for an exemption from a provision of this Order that provides for an application for an exemption.	<b>8</b> (1)	An owne accordar Order 1	er of a regulated Australian vessel may apply, in noce with the application process mentioned in <i>Marine</i> (Administration) 2013, to AMSA for an exemption from a nof this Marine Order that provides for an exemption.	
(2)	AMSA may give an exemption only if it:  (a) is satisfied that giving the exemption would not contravene the Maritime Labour Convention; and  (b) has consulted in accordance with any requirements for consultation, mentioned in the Maritime Labour Convention, that apply to the exemption.	(2)	(a) is s	hay give an exemption only if it: satisfied that giving the exemption would not contravene Maritime Labour Convention; and has consulted in accordance with any requirements for consultation, mentioned in the Maritime Labour Convention, that apply to the exemption.	

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Note 1 The issuing body will note any exemption for a vessel approved by AMSA on the vessel's declaration of maritime labour compliance.	Note 1 The issuing body will note any exemption for a vessel approved by AMSA on the vessel's declaration of maritime labour compliance.	
Note 2 Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013 deals with the following matters about exemptions and equivalents:	Note 2 Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013 deals with the following matters about exemptions and equivalents:	
making an application	<ul> <li>making an application</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>seeking further information about an application</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>seeking further information about an application</li> </ul>	
the time allowed for consideration of an application	<ul> <li>the time allowed for consideration of an application</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>imposing conditions on approval of an application</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>imposing conditions on approval of an application</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>notification of a decision on an application</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>notification of a decision on an application</li> </ul>	
review of decisions.	review of decisions.	
8 Equivalents	9 Equivalents	The amendments
(1) A person may apply to AMSA, in accordance with the application process set out in Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013, for approval to use an equivalent.	(1) An owner of a regulated Australian vessel may apply to AMSA, in accordance with the application process set out in <i>Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013</i> , for approval to use an equivalent.	provide further clarity.
(2) AMSA may approve use of an equivalent if satisfied that:	(2) AMSA may approve use of an equivalent if satisfied that:	
(a) the vessel has adequate arrangements to protect the working and living conditions of its seafarers; and	(a) the vessel has adequate arrangements to protect the working and living conditions of its seafarers; and	
<ul> <li>(b) approving the use of the equivalent would not contravene paragraph 4 of Article VI of the Maritime Labour Convention.</li> </ul>	(b) for a vessel to which the Maritime Labour Convention applies — approving the use of the equivalent would not contravene paragraph 4 of Article VI of the Maritime Labour Convention.	
Note 1 A decision under section 7, 8 or 16 is a reviewable decision because it is mentioned in section 15 of Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.	Note 1 For definitions of <b>use</b> and <b>equivalent</b> — see Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.	
Note 2 Decisions on maritime labour certificates made under the Navigation Act are reviewable by the Administrative Appeals Tribunal under subsection 313(1) of the Navigation Act.	Note for paragraph (a) An example of the circumstance when AMSA may consider approval of use of an equivalent is when a vessel is undertaking an overnight or delivery voyage.	
(-,	Note for paragraph (b) Paragraph 4 of Article VI of the Maritime Labour Convention provides that an arrangement is equivalent if conducive to the full achievement of the general object and purpose of the MLC standard concerned.	

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9 Review of decisions	10 Review of decisions	
A decision under this Order, other than a decision under section 7 or 8 or 16, is taken to be a reviewable decision for section 17 of Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.	A decision under this Order, other than a decision under section 7 or 8 or 16, is taken to be a reviewable decision for section 17 of <i>Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013</i> .	
Note 1 A decision under section 7, 8 or 16 is a reviewable decision because it is mentioned in section 15 of Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.	Note 1 A decision under section 7, 8 or 16 is a reviewable decision because it is mentioned in section 15 of Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.	
Note 2 Decisions on maritime labour certificates made under the Navigation Act are reviewable by the Administrative Appeals Tribunal under subsection 313(1) of the Navigation Act.	Note 2 Decisions on maritime labour certificates made under the Navigation Act are reviewable by the Administrative Appeals Tribunal under subsection 313(1) of the Navigation Act.	
10 Copy of Maritime Labour Convention	11 Copy of Maritime Labour Convention	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that a copy of the Maritime Labour Convention is on board the vessel and available to seafarers.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a copy of the Maritime Labour Convention is on board the vessel and available to seafarers.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
11 Copy of this Order	12 Copy of this Order	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that a copy of this Order is carried on board the vessel.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a copy of this Order is carried on board the vessel.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
Division 2 Foreign Vessels	Division 2 Foreign Vessels	

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12	Application of Division 2  This Division applies to a foreign vessel.			
13	Foreign vessel ≥500 GT registered in country where MLC in force  A foreign vessel that is at least 500 GT and is registered in a country where the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must:  (a) have a maritime labour certificate (MLC) and a declaration of maritime labour compliance, or an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC), issued by the competent authority; and  (b) comply with the requirements of the competent authority that give effect to the Maritime Labour Convention.	13	Foreign vessel ≥500 GT to which Maritime Labour Convention applies  A foreign vessel ≥500 GT that is a vessel to which the Maritime Labour Convention applies and registered in a country where the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must:  (a) have a maritime labour certificate (MLC) and a declaration of maritime labour compliance, or an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC), issued by the competent authority; and  (b) comply with:  (A) the requirements of the Maritime Labour Convention in relation to the working and living conditions on a vessel for its seafarers; and  (B) the requirements of the competent authority that give effect to the Maritime Labour Convention.	Provides further clarity.
14	Foreign vessel <500 GT registered in country where MLC in force  A foreign vessel that is less than 500 GT and registered in a country where the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must:  (a) if the vessel's competent authority has issued a certificate or other document stating that the vessel complies with the requirements of the competent authority that give effect to the Maritime Labour Convention — comply with those requirements; or  (b) if there is no certificate or other document as mentioned in paragraph (a) — demonstrate to AMSA's satisfaction that every seafarer on board the vessel has:	14	Foreign vessel <500 GT to which Maritime Labour Convention applies  A foreign vessel <500 GT that is a vessel to which the Maritime Labour Convention applies and registered in a country where the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must:  (a) if the vessel's competent authority has issued a certificate or other document stating that the vessel complies with the requirements of the competent authority that give effect to the Maritime Labour Convention — comply with those requirements; or  (b) if there is no certificate or other document as mentioned in paragraph (a) — demonstrate to AMSA's satisfaction that every seafarer on board the vessel has been	Provides clarity.

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	(i) a safe and secure workplace that complies with the safety standards that apply to the vessel; and		provided working and living conditions in accordance with the requirements of the Maritime Labour	
	(ii) fair terms of employment; and		Convention.	
	(iii) decent working and living conditions on board the vessel; and			
-	(iv) health protection, medical care, welfare measures and other forms of social protection.			
15	Foreign vessel registered in country where MLC not in force	15	Foreign vessel registered in country where MLC not in force	
	The owner of a foreign vessel that is registered in a country where the Maritime Labour Convention is not in force must demonstrate to AMSA's satisfaction that every seafarer on board the vessel has:		The owner of a foreign vessel that is registered in a country where the Maritime Labour Convention is not in force must demonstrate to AMSA's satisfaction that every seafarer on board the vessel has:	
	<ul> <li>(a) a safe and secure workplace that complies with the safety standards that apply to the vessel; and</li> </ul>		(a) a safe and secure workplace that complies with the safety standards that apply to the vessel; and	
	(b) fair terms of employment; and		(b) fair terms of employment; and	
	<ul><li>(c) decent working and living conditions on board the vessel; and</li></ul>		<ul><li>(c) decent working and living conditions on board the vessel; and</li></ul>	
	<ul><li>(d) health protection, medical care, welfare measures and other forms of social protection.</li></ul>		<ul><li>(d) health protection, medical care, welfare measures and other forms of social protection.</li></ul>	
	Note 1 Article IV of the Maritime Labour Convention provides that a country where the Convention is in force must ensure that these seafarers' rights are implemented. Article V provides that the country must ensure that a vessel registered in a country where the Convention is not in force does not receive more favourable treatment than a vessel registered in a country where it is in force.		Note 1 Article IV of the Maritime Labour Convention provides that a country where the Convention is in force must ensure that these seafarers' rights are implemented. Article V provides that the country must ensure that a vessel registered in a country where the Convention is not in force does not receive more favourable treatment than a vessel registered in a country where it is in force.	
	Note 2 AMSA may detain a vessel under section 248 of the Navigation Act if an AMSA inspector reasonably suspects that the vessel is unseaworthy or substandard. A vessel is seaworthy only if, among other things, the living and working conditions on board the vessel do not pose a threat to the health, safety or welfare of the vessel's seafarers — see Navigation Act, s 23.		Note 2 AMSA may detain a vessel under section 248 of the Navigation Act if an AMSA inspector reasonably suspects that the vessel is unseaworthy or substandard. A vessel is seaworthy only if, among other things, the living and working conditions on board the vessel do not pose a threat to the health, safety or welfare of the vessel's seafarers — see Navigation Act, s 23.	
Divis	ion 3 Recruitment and placement	Divis	sion 3 Recruitment and placement	

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16	Registration as seafarer recruitment and placement service	16	i	Registration as seafarer recruitment and placement service	
	A seafarer recruitment and placement service may apply to AMSA for registration in accordance with the application process set out in Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.	(1)	Α	seafarer recruitment and placement service may apply to MSA for registration in accordance with the application process et out in <i>Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013</i> .	Provides clarity.
. ,	AMSA may register the seafarer recruitment and placement service.	(2)		MSA may register the seafarer recruitment and placement ervice.	
	In deciding whether to register a seafarer recruitment and placement service, AMSA may consider the following matters:	(3)		deciding whether to register a seafarer recruitment and acement service, AMSA may consider the following matters:	
	(a) whether the person has been convicted of an offence against, or ordered to pay a civil penalty under, the Navigation Act;		(a	<ul> <li>whether the person has been convicted of an offence against, or ordered to pay a civil penalty under, the Navigation Act;</li> </ul>	
	<ul><li>(b) the requirements for seafarer recruitment and placement services mentioned in MLC regulation 1.4;</li></ul>		(b	the requirements for seafarer recruitment and placement services mentioned in MLC regulation 1.4;	
	(c) any other matters that AMSA considers relevant.		(c	e) any other matters that AMSA considers relevant.	
(5) (6)	A seafarer recruitment and placement service may provide the service of recruiting seafarers for vessel owners or placing seafarers with vessels enly if it is registered under subsection (2).  Penalty: 50 penalty units.  An offence against subsection (4) is a strict liability offence.  A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (4).  Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	(5)	th se F A A	Note for paragraph (b) MLC regulation 1.4 provides in effect that a service must be based in Australia and provide its services in relation to seafarers working on regulated Australian vessels.  Note for paragraph (c) An example of a matter that AMSA may consider relevant is when the applicant has been found by a seafarers' representative organisation or any competent authority to have underpaid seafarers.  seafarer recruitment and placement service must not provide be service of recruiting seafarers for vessel owners or placing eafarers with vessels if it is not registered under subsection (2).  Penalty: 50 penalty units.  In offence against subsection (4) is a strict liability offence.  person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (4).	The note for (b) provides clarification that a recruitment service must be based in Australia and provide its services to RAVs.  The note for (c) provides an example of what AMSA might consider in deciding whether to register a recruitment and placement service.
			С	ivil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
17	Conditions of registration	17	•	Conditions of registration	
	Registration as a seafarer recruitment and placement			Registration as a seafarer recruitment and placement service	

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service is subject to the conditions mentioned in Schedule 1.	is subject to the conditions mentioned in Schedule 1.	
18 Criteria for suspension or revocation of registration	18 Criteria for suspension or revocation of registration	
AMSA may suspend or revoke the registration of a seafarer recruitment and placement service if it is satisfied that:	AMSA may suspend or revoke the registration of a seafarer recruitment and placement service if it is satisfied that:	
(a) the service does not comply with a condition of registration; or	(a) the service does not comply with a condition of registration; or	
(b) the service no longer provides seafarer recruitment and placement services.	(b) the service no longer provides seafarer recruitment and placement services	
19 Requirements for owners of vessels who use seafarer recruitment and placement services	19 Requirements for owners of vessels who use seafarer recruitment and placement services	
<ol> <li>For subsection 54(5) of the Navigation Act, a work agreement may be made by the owner of a vessel with a seafarer engaged through a seafarer recruitment and placement service in a country that has not ratified the Maritime Labour Convention only if the service complies with the requirements mentioned in paragraphs (b) to (f) of Schedule 1, other than subparagraph (f)(x) of Schedule 1, as if the service were registered under subsection 16(2).         Penalty: 50 penalty units.     </li> <li>An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.</li> <li>A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsections (1).</li> <li>Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.</li> </ol>	(1) For subsection 54(5) of the Navigation Act, a work agreement may be made by the owner of a regulated Australian vessel with a seafarer engaged through a seafarer recruitment and placement service in a country that has not ratified the Maritime Labour Convention only if the service complies with the requirements mentioned in paragraphs (b) to (f) of Schedule 1, other than subparagraph (f)(v) of Schedule 1, as if the service were registered under subsection 16(2).	The offence in the Navigation Act will operate in this case.  (The offence provision applies to subsections 54(1) & (2) of the Nav Act)
Division 4 Engagement and working conditions of seafarers	Division 4 Engagement and working conditions of seafarers	
<ul><li>20 Minimum age</li><li>(1) A person must not employ or engage to work on a vessel a person under 16 years.</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Minimum age</li> <li>A person must not employ or engage to work on a regulated Australian vessel a person under 16 years.</li> </ul>	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	

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(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(4) A person must not employ or engage to work on a vessel a person under 18 years if:	(4) A person must not employ or engage to work on a regulated Australian vessel a person under 18 years if:	
(a) the person's health or safety is likely to be jeopardised; or	(a) the person's health or safety is likely to be jeopardised; or	
(b) the person is required to work between 9pm and 6am and the work is not reasonably required for the training of the person as a seafarer in accordance with an approved program.	(b) the person is required to work between 9pm and 6am and the work is not reasonably required for the training of the person as a seafarer in accordance with an approved program.	
(5) Subject to the Fair Work Act 2009 or any collective agreement that applies on the vessel, the owner of a vessel must ensure that the working conditions mentioned in Schedule 2 for a person under 18 years are met.	(5) Subject to the Fair Work Act 2009 or any collective agreement that applies on the vessel, the owner of a vessel must ensure that the working conditions mentioned in Schedule 2 for a person under 18 years are met.	
21 Work agreements	21 Work agreements	
(1) For subsections 54(1) and (2) of the Navigation Act, a seafarer's work agreement must:	(1) For subsections 54(1) and (2) of the Navigation Act, a seafarer's work agreement must:	
(a) contain the information mentioned in Schedule 3; and	(a) contain the information mentioned in Schedule 3; and	
(b) be written in English; and	(b) be written in English; and	
(c) state:	(c) state:	
<ul> <li>(i) if the agreement is for an indefinite period — the conditions under which either party may terminate it and the required notice period; or</li> </ul>	(i) the duration of the agreement does not exceed 11 months; and	Included for contract periods not to exceed 11
(ii) if the agreement is for a <del>definite</del> period — the date it	(ii) the conditions under which either party may	months, which is further specified under
expires; er	terminate it and the required notice period; and	Repatriation in
(iii) if the agreement is for a voyage — the port of destination and when the agreement expires.	(iii) if the agreement is for a <mark>specified</mark> period — the date it expires; <mark>and</mark>	paragraph 31(1)(a).
<ul><li>(2) The work agreement must be signed by:</li><li>(a) the seafarer; and</li></ul>	(iv) if the agreement is for a voyage — the port of destination and when the agreement expires.	
(a) the Secialer, and	(2) The work agreement, including any variations, must be signed	

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<ul> <li>(b) the owner of the vessel or a representative of the owner.</li> <li>(3) The owner of a vessel and the seafarer must each have a signed original of the seafarer's work agreement.</li> </ul>	by:  (a) the seafarer; and  (b) the owner of the vessel or a representative of the owner.  (3) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must:  (a) if requested by a seafarer — provide a copy of any collective agreement that applies to the seafarer; and  (b) provide the seafarer with a copy of the signed original of the seafarer's work agreement; and  (c) if requested by AMSA or a competent authority — make a copy of the work agreement available for inspection.	Included for further clarity and accuracy.
<ul> <li>Notice period for termination</li> <li>(1) Subject to the Fair Work Act 2009 or any collective agreement applying to a vessel, the employer or the seafarer must give at least 7 days' notice to terminate a work agreement.</li> <li>(2) However, the seafarer may give less than 7 days' notice of the termination for: <ul> <li>(a) compassionate reasons; or</li> <li>(b) other urgent circumstances recognised in the work agreement.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Notice period for termination</li> <li>(1) Subject to the Fair Work Act 2009 or any collective agreement applying to a regulated Australian vessel, the employer or the seafarer must give at least 7 days' notice to terminate a work agreement.</li> <li>(2) However, the seafarer may give less than 7 days' notice of the termination for: <ul> <li>(a) compassionate reasons; or</li> <li>(b) other urgent circumstances recognised in the work agreement.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
23 Opportunity to seek advice  The owner of a vessel must ensure that:  (a) a seafarer is given:  (i) an opportunity to examine and seek advice on the seafarer's work agreement before he or she signs it; and  (ii) access to any other facilities to ensure that he or she has entered into the agreement with a sufficient understanding of his or her rights and responsibilities; and  (b) no adverse action is taken against the seafarer for	23 Opportunity to seek advice  The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that:  (a) a seafarer is given:  (i) an opportunity to examine and seek advice on the seafarer's work agreement before he or she signs it; and  (ii) access to any other facilities to ensure that he or she has entered into the agreement with a sufficient understanding of his or her rights and responsibilities; and  (b) no adverse action is taken against the seafarer for	

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obtaining information or advice about the contents of the work agreement.	obtaining information or advice about the contents of the work agreement.	
24 Industrial activities	24 Industrial activities	
(1) The master of a vessel must ensure that a person on board the vessel does not take adverse action against a seafarer because the seafarer:	(1) The master of a vessel must ensure that a person on board the vessel does not take adverse action against a seafarer because the seafarer:	
<ul><li>(a) is or is not, or was or was not, an officer or member of an industrial association; or</li></ul>	(a) is or is not, or was or was not, an officer or member of an industrial association; or	
<ul><li>(b) engages, or has at any time engaged or proposed to engage, in industrial activity within the meaning of paragraph 347(a) or (b) of the Fair Work Act 2009; or</li></ul>	(b) engages, or has at any time engaged or proposed to engage, in industrial activity within the meaning of paragraph 347(a) or (b) of the Fair Work Act 2009; or	
(c) does not engage, or has at any time not engaged or proposed to not engage, in industrial activity within the meaning of paragraphs 347(c) to (g) of the Fair Work Act 2009.	(c) does not engage, or has at any time not engaged or proposed to not engage, in industrial activity within the meaning of paragraphs 347(c) to (g) of the Fair Work Act 2009.	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) The owner must not enter into a work agreement with a seafarer if the work agreement prohibits the seafarer from engaging in industrial activity within the meaning of paragraphs 347(c) to (g) of the Fair Work Act 2009.	(2) The owner must not enter into a work agreement with a seafarer if the work agreement prohibits the seafarer from engaging in industrial activity within the meaning of paragraphs 347(c) to (g) of the Fair Work Act 2009.	Provides application clarity. includes application to vessels in
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	the international register to which the Fair Work
Note See paragraph 6(3)(b) for the application of this provision.	<ul> <li>(3) This section only applies to a vessel that:</li> <li>(a) is a vessel to which the Fair Work Act 2009 does not apply; and</li> <li>(b) is either registered on the Australian International Shipping Register or a foreign vessel.</li> </ul>	Act may not apply, as requested by the "Direct Request".
25 Availability of information	25 Availability of information	
The owner of a vessel must ensure that each of the following persons has access to a copy of any work agreement, including incorporated documents, kept on board:	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that each of the following persons has access to a copy of any work agreement, including incorporated documents, kept on board:	
<ul><li>(a) the seafarer to whom it applies;</li><li>(b) a representative of the seafarer;</li></ul>	(a) the seafarer to whom it applies;	

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(c) the master of the vessel; (d) AMSA; (e) a port state control officer of a country being visited by the vessel.  26 Record of service	<ul> <li>(b) a representative of the seafarer;</li> <li>(c) the master of the vessel;</li> <li>(d) AMSA;</li> <li>(e) (e) a port state control officer of a country being visited by the vessel.</li> </ul> 26 Record of sea service	AMSA does not provide
<ul> <li>(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that each seafarer is given a record of service, in the approved form, that <i>includes a record</i> of the seafarer's employment on board the vessel.  Note Approved forms are available on the AMSA website: <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a>.</li> <li>(2) A seafarer's record of service must not contain any statement of: <ul> <li>(a) the quality of the seafarer's work; or</li> <li>(b) the seafarer's wages.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that each seafarer is given a record of sea service, in the approved format, that includes a record of the seafarer's employment on board the vessel.  Note Approved format is available on the AMSA website: http://www.amsa.gov.au.</li> <li>(2) A seafarer's record of sea service must not contain any statement of:  (a) the quality of the seafarer's work; or</li> <li>(b) the seafarer's wages.</li> </ul>	a specific form. However, guidance and an example of the information required is provided on the web. Amended to reflect the current process and is future proofed if later, the process is made electronic.
<ul> <li>Wages</li> <li>The owner of a vessel must pay each seafarer: <ul> <li>(a) at intervals of no more than 1 month; and</li> <li>(b) in accordance with the work agreement.</li> <li>Penalty: 50 penalty units.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The owner must give the seafarer an account, at least monthly, of: <ul> <li>(a) the payments due; and</li> <li>(b) the period to which each payment relates; and</li> <li>(c) the amounts paid, including wages and additional payments; and</li> <li>(d) details of all deductions from the gross amount of wages and additional payments.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Wages</li> <li>The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must pay each seafarer: <ul> <li>(a) at intervals of no more than 1 month; and</li> <li>(b) in accordance with the work agreement.</li> <li>Penalty: 50 penalty units.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The owner must give the seafarer an account, at least monthly, of: <ul> <li>(a) the payments due; and</li> <li>(b) the period to which each payment relates; and</li> <li>(c) the amounts paid, including wages and additional payments; and</li> <li>(d) details of all deductions from the gross amount of wages</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

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Penalty: 50 penalty units.	and additional payments.	
(3) The owner of a vessel must:	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(a) establish a system for enabling a seafarer to send a	(3) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must:	
proportion of the seafarer's earnings to the seafarer's family by bank transfer or similar means; and	(a) establish a system for enabling a seafarer to send a proportion of the seafarer's earnings to the seafarer's family	
<ul><li>(b) ensure the payments are made directly to the person named by the seafarer and on time.</li></ul>	by bank transfer or similar means; and (b) ensure the payments are made directly to the person named	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	by the seafarer and on time.	
(4) For subsection (3), if a proportion of the seafarer's earnings are	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
sent by bank transfer or similar means:	(4) For subsection (3), if a proportion of the seafarer's earnings are	
(a) the rate of any currency exchange must be the exchange rate published by the Reserve Bank of Australia for the day	sent by bank transfer or similar means:	
transfer occurs; and	(a) the rate of any currency exchange must be the exchange rate published by the Reserve Bank of	
(b) the owner may charge a reasonable amount for providing	Australia for the day transfer occurs; and	
the service.	(b) the owner may charge a reasonable amount for	
(5) An offence against subsection (1), (2) or (3) is a strict liability offence.	providing the service.  (5) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must not keep any	(5) Included to avoid
(6) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes	additional set of records that contains information that is false or	fraudulently maintaining
subsection (1), (2) or (3).	misleading, in relation to the payment of wages.	an inaccurate record.
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(7) If the seafarer is held captive on or off a vessel as a result of an act of piracy or act of armed robbery against vessels, an owner	(6) An offence against subsection (1), (2), (3) or (5) is a strict liability offence.	
of a regulated Australian vessel must continue to comply with this section until the death or repatriation of the seafarer.	(7) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1), (2) or (3).	
(8) Subsection (7) applies whether or not the seafarer's work agreement has expired or terminated, or been suspended, during	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
captivity.	(8) If the seafarer is held captive on or off a vessel as a result of an act of piracy or act of armed robbery against vessels, an owner of a regulated Australian vessel must continue to comply with this section until the death or repatriation of the seafarer.	
	(9) Subsection (7) applies whether or not the seafarer's work agreement has expired or terminated, or been suspended, during captivity.	

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Hours of rest	28 Hours of rest	
The owner of a vessel must ensure that a seafarer has at least the minimum hours of rest in accordance with Division 3 of Marine Order 28 (Operations standards and procedures) 2015.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a seafarer has at least the minimum hours of rest in accordance with Division 3 of Marine Order 28 (Operations standards and procedures) 2015.	
The owner of a vessel must ensure that records of seafarers' daily hours of rest are maintained in accordance with Division 3 of Marine Order 28 (Operations standards and procedures) 2015.	(2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that records of seafarers' daily hours of rest are maintained in accordance with Division 3 of Marine Order 28 (Operations	
) The master must:	standards and procedures) 2015.	
(a) give each seafarer a copy of the record relating to him or	(3) The master must:	
her; and	<ul> <li>(a) give each seafarer a copy of the record relating to him or her; and</li> </ul>	
<ul><li>(b) ensure that the record is endorsed by the master or a person authorised by the master and the seafarer.</li></ul>	(b) ensure that the record is endorsed by the master or a	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	person authorised by the master and the seafarer.	
An offence against subsection (1), (2) or (3) is a strict liability	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
offence.	(4) An offence against subsection (1), (2) or (3) is a strict liability	
A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes	offence.	
subsection (1), (2) or (3).	(5) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1), (2) or (3).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
Shipboard working arrangements	29 Shipboard working arrangements	
The owner of a vessel must ensure that a notice of shipboard working arrangements is posted in a place on board the vessel that is easily accessible to seafarers.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a notice of shipboard working arrangements is posted in a place on board the vessel that is easily accessible to seafarers.	
) The notice must:	(2) The notice must:	
<ul> <li>include, for each seafarer on board the vessel, the seafarer's schedule of service at sea and service in port; and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) include, for each seafarer on board the vessel, the seafarer's schedule of service at sea and service in port; and</li> </ul>	
(b) include the minimum hours of rest mentioned in <i>Marine</i> Order 28 (Operations standards and procedures) 2015; and	(b) include the minimum hours of rest mentioned in <i>Marine</i> Order 28 (Operations standards and procedures) 2015; and	
(c) be in the working language of the vessel and in English.	(c) be in the working language of the vessel and in English.	

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	Note A sample form of notice is available on the AMSA website at http://www.amsa.gov.au.		Note A sample form of notice is available on the AMSA website thttp://www.amsa.gov.au.	
30	Shore leave	30	Shore leave	
	Subject to the operational requirements of a seafarer's work on board a vessel, the master of a vessel must ensure that when the vessel is in port each seafarer on board the vessel is, if requested by the seafarer, granted leave to go to shore.		Subject to the operational requirements of a seafarer's work on board a regulated Australian vessel, the master of a vessel must ensure that when the vessel is in port each seafarer on board the vessel is, if requested by the seafarer,	
	Note Paragraph 2 of MLC regulation 2.4 provides that a country in which the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must grant shore leave in accordance with that paragraph to seafarers employed on vessels registered in the country. For requirements for foreign vessels — see Division 2.		granted leave to go to shore.  Note Paragraph 2 of MLC regulation 2.4 provides that a country in which the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must grant shore leave in accordance with that paragraph to seafarers employed on vessels registered in the country. For requirements for foreign vessels — see Division 2.	
31	Repatriation	31	Repatriation	
Ì	The owner of a vessel must ensure that a seafarer is entitled to repatriation, at no cost to the seafarer, in any of the following circumstances:	s	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a eafarer is entitled to repatriation, at no cost to the seafarer, in ny of the following circumstances:	
	<ul><li>(a) the seafarer has worked continuously on the vessel for at least 11 months;</li></ul>	(a	a) the seafarer has worked continuously on the vessel for at least 11 months;	
	(b) the seafarer's work agreement expires;	(k	o) the seafarer's work agreement expires;	
	(c) the seafarer's work agreement is terminated:	(0	c) the seafarer's work agreement is terminated:	
	(ii) by the owner of a vessel; or		(i) by the owner of a vessel; or	
	(iii) by the seafarer for justified reasons; or		(ii) by the seafarer for justified reasons; or	
	<ul><li>(iv) because the seafarer is no longer able to carry out his or her duties under the work agreement; or</li></ul>		(iii) because the seafarer is no longer able to carry out their duties under the work agreement; or	
	<ul> <li>(v) because the seafarer cannot be expected to carry out his or her duties in the specific circumstances; or</li> </ul>		<ul><li>(iv) because the seafarer cannot be expected to carry out their duties in the specific circumstances; or</li></ul>	
	<ul><li>(vi) because of illness, injury or other medical condition for which the seafarer must be repatriated and is medically fit to travel; or</li></ul>		<ul> <li>(v) because of illness, injury or other medical condition for which the seafarer must be repatriated and is medically fit to travel; or</li> </ul>	
	(vii)because of wreck or foundering;		(vi) because of wreck or foundering;	

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(d) the owner of a vessel is unable to fulfil his or her legal or contractual obligations to the seafarer as an employer because of:	(d) the owner of a vessel is unable to fulfil his or her legal or contractual obligations to the seafarer as an employer because of:	
(i) insolvency; or	(i) insolvency; or	
(ii) sale of the vessel; or	(ii) sale of the vessel; or	
(iii) change of the vessel's registration; or	(iii) change of the vessel's registration; or	
<ul><li>(iv) unforeseen circumstances beyond the owner's control;</li></ul>	(iv) unforeseen circumstances beyond the owner's control;	
<ul><li>(e) the vessel is on its way to a war zone to which the seafarer does not consent to go;</li></ul>	<ul><li>(e) the vessel is on its way to a war zone to which the seafarer does not consent to go;</li></ul>	
(f) termination or interruption of employment:	(f) termination or interruption of employment:	
(i) in accordance with an industrial award; or	(i) in accordance with an industrial award; or	
(ii) in accordance with a collective agreement;	(ii) in accordance with a collective agreement;	
(g) the seafarer has been held captive on or off the vessel as a result of an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against vessels.	(g) the seafarer has been held captive on or off the vessel as a result of an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against vessels.	The note provides an
(2) A seafarer under 18 years is also entitled to repatriation at no cost to the seafarer if the seafarer:	Note for paragraph (c) The expiry of a seafarer's visa is an example of a termination event as the seafarer is no longer able to carry out their	example of when a seafarer is not able to
(a) has worked on a regulated Australian vessel for at least 4 months on the seafarer's first foreign voyage; and	duties.  (2) A seafarer under 18 years is also entitled to repatriation at no cost to the seafarer if the seafarer:	carry out their duties under a specific circumstance.
(b) is unsuited to life at sea.	(a) has worked on a regulated Australian vessel for at least 4	
(3) For subsection (2), the repatriation of the seafarer is to be:	months on the seafarer's first foreign voyage; and	
(a) from the first port of call where there are Australian consular	(b) is unsuited to life at sea.	
services; and	(3) For subsection (2), the repatriation of the seafarer is to be:	
(b) to the home port mentioned in the seafarer's work agreement.	(a) from the first port of call where there are Australian consular services; and	
	(b) (b) to the home port mentioned in the seafarer's work agreement.	

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<ul> <li>(1) If a seafarer is repatriated, the owner of the vessel must arrange and pay for at least the following: <ul> <li>(a) the seafarer's passage to the repatriation destination;</li> <li>(b) lodgings and food when the seafarer leaves the vessel, until the seafarer is at the repatriation destination;</li> <li>(c) transportation of up to 23 kg of the seafarer's luggage to the repatriation destination;</li> <li>(d) the seafarer's medical treatment until the seafarer is medically fit to travel to the repatriation destination.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(2) The owner of the vessel must not: <ul> <li>(a) require a seafarer to make an advance payment towards the cost of repatriation; or</li> <li>(b) recover the cost of repatriation from the seafarer's wages or other entitlements, unless the seafarer is found to be in serious breach of the seafarer's work agreement.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(3) Paragraph (2)(b) does not limit the seafarer's right to take legal action for an employment dispute.</li> <li>(4) This Order does not affect any right of the owner or seafarer to recover the cost of repatriation under law or third-party contractual arrangements.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(1) If a seafarer is repatriated under section 31, the owner of the vessel must arrange and pay for at least the following: <ul> <li>(a) the seafarer's passage to the repatriation destination;</li> <li>(b) lodgings and food when the seafarer leaves the vessel, until the seafarer is at the repatriation destination;</li> <li>(c) transportation of up to 23 kg of the seafarer's luggage to the repatriation destination;</li> <li>(d) the seafarer's medical treatment until the seafarer is medically fit to travel to the repatriation destination.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(2) The owner of the vessel must not: <ul> <li>(a) require a seafarer to make an advance payment towards the cost of repatriation; or</li> <li>(b) recover the cost of repatriation from the seafarer's wages or other entitlements, unless the seafarer is found to be in serious breach of the seafarer's work agreement.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(3) Paragraph (2)(b) does not limit the seafarer's right to take legal action for an employment dispute.</li> <li>(4) This Order does not affect any right of the owner or seafarer to recover the cost of repatriation under law or third-party contractual arrangements.</li> </ul>	The amendment ensures application to RAVs.
33 Repatriation transport  The owner of a vessel must make transportation arrangements for repatriation by appropriate and expeditious means.  Note The usual mode of transportation for repatriation is by air.	33 Repatriation transport  The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must make transportation arrangements for repatriation by appropriate and expeditious means.  Note The usual mode of transportation for repatriation is by air.	

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<ul> <li>Timeframe for claim</li> <li>A seafarer may claim repatriation benefits within: <ul> <li>(a) 2 years; or</li> <li>(b) another reasonable time mentioned in the work agreement, award or collective agreement that applies to the seafarer.</li> </ul> </li> <li>If the seafarer does not claim the benefit within the time mentioned in subsection (1), the owner of a vessel may refuse to pay the claim unless repatriation is following an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against vessels.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Timeframe for claim</li> <li>A seafarer may claim repatriation benefits under this Division within: <ul> <li>(a) 2 years; or</li> <li>(b) another reasonable time mentioned in the work agreement, award or collective agreement that applies to the seafarer.</li> </ul> </li> <li>If the seafarer does not claim the benefit within the time mentioned in subsection (1), the owner of a vessel may refuse to pay the claim unless repatriation is following an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against vessels.</li> </ul>	The amendment ensures application to RAVs.
(1) A master or owner of a vessel must not take the vessel to sea if the vessel does not have on board documentary evidence of financial security to meet liability arising from abandonment of any seafarer of the vessel.  Penalty: 50 penalty units.  (2) The documentary evidence of financial security must include the following information:  (a) the name of the vessel;  (b) the home port of the vessel;  (c) the call sign of the vessel;  (d) the IMO number of the vessel;  (e) the name and address of the provider or providers of the financial security;  (f) the contact details of the person responsible for receiving requests and arranging seafarer assistance;  (g) the name of the owner of the vessel;  (h) the period of validity of the financial security;  (i) an attestation by the provider or providers of the financial security that the security meets the requirements of MLC standard A2.5.2.		Content from this section is moved to section 76.

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owner of the vessel has not:		
(a) complied with any repatriation requirement mentioned in sections 31 to 33; or		
(b) paid wages or other payments due to the seafarer for 2 months; or		
(c) provided the necessary maintenance and support mentioned in paragraph 2(b) of MLC standard A2.5.2.		
Note—Paragraph 5 of MLC standard A2.5.2 provides that for paragraph 2(b) necessary maintenance and support includes adequate food, accommodation, drinking water supplies, essential fuel for survival on board the ship and necessary medical care.		
(4) The owner must ensure that documentary evidence of financial security is placed on board the vessel in a location where it is available for perusal, without the need for a seafarer to ask to access it.		
Penalty: 50 penalty units.		
(5) An offence against subsection (1) or (4) is a strict liability offence.		
(6) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (4).		
Civil penalty:50 penalty units.		
35 Repatriation by AMSA	35 Repatriation by AMSA	
(1) AMSA must repatriate a seafarer of a regulated Australian vessel who is entitled to repatriation if the owner of the vessel has not made arrangements to do so or has not paid the costs of repatriation of the seafarer.	<ul> <li>(1) AMSA must repatriate a seafarer of a regulated Australian vessel as soon as practical if:         <ul> <li>(a) the seafarer has been abandoned or is entitled to repatriation; and</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Amended to reflect the amendments to the MLC and also provide clarity to the ILO "Direct
(2) AMSA may repatriate a seafarer of a foreign vessel who is entitled to repatriation if:	<ul><li>(b) the owner of the vessel has not made arrangements for, or paid the costs of, repatriation of the seafarer.</li></ul>	Request".
<ul> <li>(a) arrangements to repatriate the seafarer have not been made by the owner of the vessel or the country in which the vessel is registered; and</li> </ul>	(2) AMSA may repatriate a seafarer of a foreign vessel who is entitled to repatriation if:	
(b) either:	(a) arrangements to repatriate the seafarer have not been made by the owner of the vessel or the country in which the	
(i) the seafarer is an Australian national; or	vessel is registered; and	
,	(b) either:	

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<ul> <li>(ii) the seafarer is in Australia.</li> <li>(3) AMSA may recover its costs of repatriating a seafarer under subsection (1) from the owner of the vessel.</li> <li>(4) AMSA may recover its costs of repatriating a seafarer under subsection (2) from the vessel's competent authority.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(i) the seafarer is an Australian national; or</li> <li>(ii) the seafarer is in Australia.</li> <li>(3) AMSA may repatriate the body or ashes of a seafarer taking into account the wishes of the next of kin.</li> <li>(4) AMSA may recover its costs of repatriating a seafarer under subsection (1) or (3) from the owner of the vessel.</li> <li>(5) AMSA may recover its costs of repatriating a seafarer under paragraph subsection (2)(b)(ii) from the vessel's competent authority.</li> </ul>	
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Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	
<ul> <li>New vessel construction plans</li> <li>Before construction of a vessel that is to be registered on the Australian General Shipping Register or Australian International Shipping Register commences, the following plans must be approved by an issuing body:</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>New vessel construction plans</li> <li>Before construction of a vessel that is to be registered on the Australian General Shipping Register or Australian International Shipping Register commences, the following plans must be approved by an issuing body:</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>(a) a plan of the vessel on a scale of at least 1 in 200, showing the location and arrangement of the accommodation;</li> <li>(b) a plan of the accommodation on a scale of at least 1 in 50 showing:</li> </ul>	<ul><li>(a) a plan of the vessel on a scale of at least 1 in 200, showing the location and arrangement of the accommodation;</li><li>(b) a plan of the accommodation on a scale of at least 1 in 50 showing:</li></ul>	
<ul><li>(i) the use of each space; and</li><li>(ii) furniture arrangements; and</li><li>(iii) lighting arrangements; and</li><li>(iv) heating arrangements; and</li></ul>	<ul><li>(i)the use of each space; and</li><li>(ii) furniture arrangements; and</li><li>(iii) lighting arrangements; and</li><li>(iv) heating arrangements; and</li></ul>	
<ul> <li>(v) sanitary arrangements.</li> <li>Note A list of recognised organisations that are issuing bodies is included in Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.</li> <li>(2) Subsection (1) applies to a vessel that becomes a regulated</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(v) sanitary arrangements.</li> <li>Note A list of recognised organisations that are issuing bodies is included in Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013.</li> <li>(2) Subsection (1) applies to a vessel that becomes a regulated</li> </ul>	

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Australian vessel and is not a new construction to the extent that AMSA considers it is reasonable and practicable.	Australian vessel and is not a new construction to the extent that AMSA considers it is reasonable and practicable.	
37 Modification of accommodation spaces	37 Modification of accommodation spaces	
(1) Before the substantial alteration or reconstruction of accommodation spaces on a vessel, the owner of the vessel must have approved, by an issuing body, a plan of the seafarer accommodation on a scale of at least 1 in 50 showing the matters mentioned in paragraph 36(1)(b).	(1) Before the substantial alteration or reconstruction of accommodation spaces on a regulated Australian vessel, the owner of the vessel must have approved, by an issuing body, a plan of the seafarer accommodation on a scale of at least 1 in 50 showing the matters mentioned in paragraph 36(1)(b).	
(2) The owner of the vessel may apply to an issuing body to have plans for the substantial alteration or reconstruction of the vessel approved in accordance with the process set out in <i>Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013</i> .	(2) The owner of the vessel may apply to an issuing body to have plans for the substantial alteration or reconstruction of the vessel approved in accordance with the process set out in <i>Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013</i> .	
(3) The owner of the vessel must give the issuing body the plans as soon as practicable if the alteration or reconstruction is:	(3) The owner of the vessel must give the issuing body the plans as soon as practicable if the alteration or reconstruction is:	
(a) to be carried out outside Australia; and	(a) to be carried out outside Australia; and	
(b) temporary or required because of a marine incident.	(b) temporary or required because of a marine incident.	
(4) The plans and information must be of a scale, and have sufficient technical detail, to enable compliance of the plans to be assessed.	(4) The plans and information must be of a scale, and have sufficient technical detail, to enable compliance of the plans to be assessed.	
Division 6 Accommodation – design and construction	Division 6 Accommodation – design and construction	
Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	
38 Small vessels		This section is revised
This Division does not apply to a vessel <200 GT that:		and moved to section 51 for clarity.
(a) complies with Section C1 of the NSCV in effect on 1 January 2016; and		io. olamy.
(b) is proceeding on a voyage other than an overseas voyage.		
Note The effect of this section is that a vessel <200 GT		

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	complying with NSCV Section C1 is not subject to the requirements in this Division if the vessel only undertakes voyages to the outer limits of the EEZ.		WO IT ISSUE ZOTITOA	
39	Headroom	<mark>38</mark>	Headroom	
(1)	The owner of a vessel must comply with paragraph 6(a) of MLC standard A3.1.	(1)	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must comply with the minimum headroom mentioned in paragraph 6(a) of MLC	Provides clarity and includes the wording to
<del>(2)</del>	The owner of a vessel may apply for an exemption from compliance with subsection (1).		standard A3.1 unless a reduction of headroom has been approved.	capture what is permissible under the MLC.
(3)	AMSA may give an exemption if it considers that the application:	(2)	AMSA may approve a reduction of headroom if:	IVILO.
	(a) is reasonable; and		(a) an application has been made in accordance with <i>Marine</i> Order 1 (Administration) 2013; and	
	(b) will not cause discomfort to seafarers.		(b) it considers it reasonable and will not cause discomfort to seafarers.	
40	Location of sleeping rooms	<mark>39</mark>	Location of sleeping rooms	
(1)	The sleeping rooms of a vessel:	(1)	The sleeping rooms of a regulated Australian vessel:	
	(a) for a vessel that is not a passenger vessel — must comply with paragraph 6(c) of MLC standard A3.1; and		(a) for a vessel that is not a passenger vessel — must comply with paragraph 6(c) of MLC standard A3.1; and	
	<ul><li>(b) for a passenger vessel — must comply with paragraph</li><li>6(d) of MLC standard A3.1.</li></ul>		(b) for a passenger vessel — must comply with paragraph 6(d) of MLC standard A3.1.	
(2)	For a passenger vessel, or for a special purpose vessel that complies with the SPS Code, AMSA may authorise the locating of sleeping rooms in accordance with paragraph 6(d) of MLC standard A3.1.	(2)	For a passenger vessel, or for a special purpose vessel that complies with the SPS Code, AMSA may authorise the locating of sleeping rooms in accordance with paragraph 6(d) of MLC standard A3.1.	
41	Sleeping rooms	40	Sleeping rooms	
(1)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that sleeping rooms of the vessel comply with:	(1)	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that sleeping rooms of the vessel comply with:	
	(a) paragraph 9 of MLC standard A3.1; and		(a) paragraph 9 of MLC standard A3.1; and	
	(b) Schedule 4.		(b) Schedule 4.	
(2)	The owner of a vessel may apply for an exemption from compliance with paragraph 9(a) or (f) of MLC standard A3.1 if the	(2)	The owner of a vessel may apply for an exemption from compliance with paragraph 9(a) or (f) of MLC standard A3.1 if the	

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vessel is any of the following:	vessel is any of the following:	
(a) a vessel <del>of less than</del> 3 000 GT;	(a) a vessel of <3 000 GT;	
(b) a special purpose vessel;	(b) a special purpose vessel;	
(c) a passenger vessel.	(c) a passenger vessel.	
(3) The owner of a vessel that is less than 3 000 GT may apply for an exemption from compliance with paragraph 9(m) of MLC standard A3.1.	(3) The owner of a vessel <3000 GT may apply for an exemption from compliance with paragraph 9(m) of MLC standard A3.1.	
42 Sleeping berths	41 Sleeping berths	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that sleeping berths on the vessel meet the requirements mentioned in Schedule 5.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that sleeping berths on the vessel meet the requirements mentioned in Schedule 5.	
(2) The owner of a vessel must provide each seafarer on board with clean, good quality bedding.	(2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must provide each seafarer on board with clean, good quality bedding.	
43 Insulation	42 Insulation	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that each of the following areas of the vessel is insulated to prevent condensation or overheating:	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that each of the following areas of the vessel is insulated to prevent condensation or overheating:	
(a) sleeping rooms;	(a) sleeping rooms;	
(b) mess rooms;	(b) mess rooms;	
(c) sanitary facilities;	(c) sanitary facilities;	
(d) laundries;	(d) laundries;	
(e) recreation rooms;	(e) recreation rooms;	
(f) alleyways in accommodation areas;	(f) alleyways in accommodation areas;	
(g) the external bulkheads of sleeping rooms or mess rooms.	(g) the external bulkheads of sleeping rooms or mess rooms.	
(2) The owner of a vessel must ensure that each of the following spaces are insulated to prevent the space from heat affecting adjoining accommodation or passageways:	(2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that each of the following spaces are insulated to prevent the space from heat affecting adjoining accommodation or passageways:	
(a) machinery casings;	(a) machinery casings;	

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(b) boundary bulkheads of galleys;	(b) boundary bulkheads of galleys;	
<ul><li>(c) boundary bulkheads of other spaces in which heat is produced.</li></ul>	(c) boundary bulkheads of other spaces in which heat is produced.	
(3) The owner of a vessel must also take measures to protect accommodation spaces from the heat effects of steam or hot-water service pipes.	(3) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must also take measures to protect accommodation spaces from the heat effects of steam or hot-water service pipes.	
44 Pipes	43 Pipes	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that steam pipes and exhaust pipes to or from machinery do not pass through an accommodation space that is not an open deck alleyway.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that steam pipes and exhaust pipes to or from machinery do not pass through an accommodation space that is not an open deck	
(2) The owner of a vessel must ensure that steam pipes and hot water pipes passing through an open deck alleyway and forming part of an accommodation space are:	alleyway.  (2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that steam pipes and hot water pipes passing through an open deck	
(a) constructed of solid drawn steel; and	alleyway and forming part of an accommodation space are:	
(b) of scantling sufficient to withstand the maximum pressure	(a) constructed of solid drawn steel; and	
from the vessel's boiler system; and	(b) of scantling sufficient to withstand the maximum pressure from the vessel's boiler system; and	
(c) connected by properly joined faced flanges; and	(c) connected by properly joined faced flanges; and	
(d) insulated and encased; and	(d) insulated and encased; and	
(e) fitted with adequate drainage.	(e) fitted with adequate drainage.	
(3) The owner of a vessel must ensure that:	(3) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that:	
(a) hot water pipes for radiators in accommodation spaces are	1 ` '	
encased or insulated; and	(a) hot water pipes for radiators in accommodation spaces are encased or insulated; and	
(b) there are no hawse pipes in accommodation spaces; and	(b) there are no hawse pipes in accommodation spaces; and	
<ul> <li>(c) chain pipes and ventilators for cargo spaces passing through a seafarer accommodation area are watertight and gastight.</li> </ul>	(c) chain pipes and ventilators for cargo spaces passing through a seafarer accommodation area are watertight and	
(4) The owner of a vessel must ensure that hot water pipes are inculated:	gastight.  (4) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that hot	
insulated:	water pipes are insulated:	
(a) for heat conservation; and	(a) for heat conservation; and	
(b) to ensure the safety of the seafarers.		

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		(1	b) to ensure the safety of the seafarers.
4 <del>5</del>	Vessel batteries	<mark>44</mark>	Vessel batteries
	The owner of a vessel must ensure that:		The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that:
	<ul> <li>(a) vessel batteries are not stored in accommodation spaces; and</li> </ul>		(a) vessel batteries are not stored in accommodation spaces; and
	(b) fumes from vessel batteries do not discharge into the seafarer accommodation.		(b) fumes from vessel batteries do not discharge into the seafarer accommodation.
46	Bulkhead and deckhead surfaces	<mark>45</mark>	Bulkhead and deckhead surfaces
	The owner of a vessel must ensure that the surface of a bulkhead or deckhead is made of material that:  (a) can easily be kept clean; and		The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the surface of a bulkhead or deckhead is made of material that:
	(b) is unlikely to harbour vermin; and		(a) can easily be kept clean; and
	(c) in the sleeping areas:		(b) is unlikely to harbour vermin; and
	(i) is light in colour; and		(c) in the sleeping areas:
	(ii) has a durable, non-toxic finish.		(i) is light in colour; and
			(ii) has a durable, non-toxic finish.
47	Decks and flooring	<mark>46</mark>	Decks and flooring
` '	he owner of a vessel must ensure that each deck in an ccommodation space on the vessel:		The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that each deck in an accommodation space on the vessel:
(;	a) is constructed of material that is in accordance with <i>Marine</i> Order 15 (Construction — fire protection, fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and	(	(a) is constructed of material that is in accordance with <i>Marine</i> Order 15 (Construction — fire protection, fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and
(1	b) has a non-slip surface; and	(	(b) has a non-slip surface; and
(0	c) is impervious to damp; and	(	(c) is impervious to damp; and
(0	d) has drainage that prevents liquids from pooling on the deck; and	(	(d) has drainage that prevents liquids from pooling on the deck; and
(6	e) is easily kept clean; and	(	(e) is easily kept clean; and
(1	) is covered with a material that:	(	(f) is covered with a material that:

(ii) is capable of reducing the level of noise in the seafarer accommodation; and (iii) can easily be kept clean; and (iv) provides a good foothold.  (2) The owner of a vessel must ensure that flooring made of composite materials in an accommodation space on the vessel has flooring joints with sides profiled to avoid crevices.  48 Air conditioning (1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that each of the following areas are air-conditioned to create an environment mentioned in ISO standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces; (a) accommodation spaces; (b) a radio room; (c) a centralised machinery control room.  (2) The owner of a vessel must ensure that in conditioning systems on a vessel are designed: (a) to maintain the air at a satisfactory temperature and relative humidity compared to outside air conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time: technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions paces as a satisfactory temperature and relative humidity compared to outside air conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time; technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time:  (a) accommodation spaces (b) a radio room; (b) a radio room; (c) a centralised machinery control room.  (2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that an environment mentioned to standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time:  (a) accommodation spaces (b) a radio room; (b) a radio room; (c) a centralised machinery control room.  (c) a centralised machinery control room.  (d) to maintain the air as a satisfactory temperature and relative humidity compared to outside air conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time; and calculations, as	Existing text of Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2015  MO 11 issue F2021C00485	New text as modified by draft Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2024 reissue  MO 11 issue 231110A	Reason
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vibration; and at sea and not produce excessive noise or vibration; and	<ul> <li>(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that each of the following areas are air-conditioned to create an environment mentioned in ISO standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time: <ul> <li>(a) accommodation spaces;</li> <li>(b) a radio room;</li> <li>(c) a centralised machinery control room.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(2) The owner of a vessel must ensure that air conditioning systems on a vessel are designed: <ul> <li>(a) to maintain the air at a satisfactory temperature and relative humidity compared to outside air conditions in accordance with ISO standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time; and</li> <li>(b) to ensure a sufficiency of air changes in all air-conditioned spaces; and</li> <li>(c) to take account of the particular characteristics of operations at sea and not produce excessive noise or</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that each of the following areas are air-conditioned to create an environment mentioned in ISO standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time: <ul> <li>(a) accommodation spaces;</li> <li>(b) a radio room;</li> <li>(c) a centralised machinery control room.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that air conditioning systems on a vessel are designed: <ul> <li>(a) to maintain the air at a satisfactory temperature and relative humidity compared to outside air conditions in accordance with ISO standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time; and</li> <li>(b) to ensure a sufficiency of air changes in all air-conditioned spaces; and</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

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	prevent or control the spread of disease.		prevent or control the spread of disease.	
(3)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that all sanitary spaces on the vessel comply with paragraph 7(c) of MLC standard A3.1.	(3)	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that all sanitary spaces on the vessel comply with paragraph 7(c) of MLC	
(4)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that power for the operation of the air conditioning and other aids to ventilation is available at all times that seafarers are living or working on board the vessel.	(4)	standard A3.1.  The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that power for the operation of the air conditioning and other aids to ventilation is available at all times that seafarers are living or working on board the vessel.	
49	Heating	<mark>4</mark> 8	Heating	
(1)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that seafarer accommodation areas on the vessel, other than refrigerating chambers, have a heating system that meets the requirements mentioned in Schedule 6.	(1)	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that seafarer accommodation areas on the vessel, other than refrigerating chambers, have a heating system that meets the requirements mentioned in Schedule 6.	
(2)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that power for the operation of the heating system is available at all times that seafarers are living or working on board the vessel.	(2)	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that power for the operation of the heating system is available at all times that seafarers are living or working on board the vessel.	
(3)	This section does not apply to a vessel that operates in tropical waters only.	(3)	This section does not apply to a vessel that operates in tropical waters only.	
<del>50</del>	Lighting	<mark>49</mark>	Lighting	
(1)	The owner of a vessel must take all reasonable steps to ensure that sleeping rooms and mess rooms on the vessel have natural light.	(1)	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must take all reasonable steps to ensure that sleeping rooms and mess rooms on the vessel have natural light.	
(2)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that the accommodation spaces for seafarers on the vessel have:	(2)	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the accommodation spaces for seafarers on the vessel have:	
	(a) lighting in accordance with Accident prevention on board ship and in port, published by the ILO, as in force from time to time; and		<ul> <li>(a) lighting in accordance with Accident prevention on board ship and in port, published by the ILO, as in force from time to time; and</li> </ul>	
	(b) either		(b) either	
	(i)at least 2 sources of electricity for lighting independent of each other; or		<ul><li>(i) at least 2 sources of electricity for lighting independent of each other; or</li></ul>	
	(ii) a properly constructed lamp or lighting apparatus for emergency use.		(ii) a properly constructed lamp or lighting apparatus for emergency use.	

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(3)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that an electric reading lamp is installed at the head of each seafarer's sleeping berth.	(3) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that an electric reading lamp is installed at the head of each seafarer's sleeping berth.	
<del>51</del>	Mess rooms	50 Mess rooms	
(1)	The owner of a vessel must ensure that a mess room that meets the requirements mentioned in Schedule 7 is available to all seafarers on board the vessel.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a mess room that meets the requirements mentioned in Schedule 7 is available to all seafarers on board the vessel.	
(2)	The owner of a vessel that is less than 3000 GT may apply for an exemption from the requirements mentioned in paragraphs 1(a) and 1(b) of Schedule 7.	(2) The owner of a vessel <3000 GT may apply for an exemption from the requirements mentioned in paragraphs 1(a) and 1(b) of Schedule 7.	
		51 Exceptions for vessels <200 GT	Section 38 has been
			updated and moved to this section.
		apply to a regulated Australian vessel that is <200 GT if	Amendments provide
		the vessel:	further clarity.
		(a) complies with Section C1 of the NSCV; and	
		(b) is proceeding on a voyage other than an overseas voyage.	
		Note 1 The effect of this section is that a regulated Australian vessel <200 GT complying with NSCV Section C1 is not subject to the requirements in this Division if the vessel only undertakes voyages to the outer limits of the EEZ. Section 16 of the Navigation Act sets out the circumstances when a vessel is on an overseas voyage.	
Div	ision 7 Accommodation – general requirements	Division 7 Accommodation – general requirements	
52	Noise	52 Noise	
(1)	This section applies to a vessel that is:	(1) This section applies to a regulated Australian vessel that is:	
	(a) constructed after 20 August 2013; and	(a) constructed after 20 August 2013; and	
	(b) at least 500 GT.	(b) at least 500 GT.	
(2)	The owner of the vessel must ensure that the vessel:	(2) The owner of the vessel must ensure that the vessel:	
	(a) complies with the Code on noise levels on board ships; or	(a) complies with the Code on noise levels on board ships; or	
	(b) if the Code on noise levels on board ships does not	(b) if the Code on noise levels on board ships does not apply	

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apply to the vessel:  (i) is assessed in accordance with the standards mentioned in the code as if the code applied to the vessel; and  (ii) adopts measures in accordance with the guidance provided in the ILO Code of Practice Ambient factors in the workplace, as amended from time to time, to ensure that the standards are complied with.	to the vessel:  (i) is assessed in accordance with the standards mentioned in the code as if the code applied to the vessel; and  (ii) adopts measures in accordance with the guidance provided in the ILO Code of Practice Ambient factors in the workplace, as amended from time to time, to ensure that the standards are complied with.	
53 Inspections  The master of a vessel must ensure that:  (a) seafarer accommodation is inspected weekly to ensure that it is clean, fit for human habitation without posing risks to seafarer health and safety and maintained in a good state of repair; and  (b) a report of each inspection is recorded and kept on board.  Division 8 Accommodation – sanitary and laundry facilities	53 Inspections  The master of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that:  (a) seafarer accommodation is inspected weekly to ensure that it is clean, fit for human habitation without posing risks to seafarer health and safety and maintained in a good state of repair; and  (b) a report of each inspection is recorded and kept on board.  Division 8  Accommodation – sanitary and laundry facilities	
Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	
<ul> <li>54 Sanitary facilities</li> <li>(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that seafarers have convenient access on the vessel to sanitary facilities that meet the requirements mentioned in Schedule 8.</li> <li>(2) The owner of a vessel that is less than 3000 GT may apply for an exemption from the requirement mentioned in clause 6 of Schedule 8.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>54 Sanitary facilities</li> <li>(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that seafarers have convenient access on the vessel to sanitary facilities that meet the requirements mentioned in Schedule 8.</li> <li>(2) The owner of a vessel &lt;3000 GT may apply for an exemption from the requirement mentioned in clause 6 of Schedule 8.</li> </ul>	
55 Laundry facilities	55 Laundry facilities	

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(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that laundry facilities are available to seafarers.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that laundry facilities are available to seafarers.	
(2) The laundry facilities must:	(2) The laundry facilities must:	
(a) be close to seafarer sleeping rooms; and	(a) be close to seafarer sleeping rooms; and	
(b) include at least:	(b) include at least:	
(i) an adequate number of washing machines for the number of seafarers; and	(i) an adequate number of washing machines for the number of seafarers; and	
(ii) separate facilities for laundering workwear; and	(ii) separate facilities for laundering workwear; and	
(iii) a drying machine or heated and ventilated drying room; and	(iii) a drying machine or heated and ventilated drying room; and	
(iv) an iron and ironing board or equivalent.	(iv) an iron and ironing board or equivalent.	
Division 9 Hospital facilities	Division 9 Hospital facilities	
Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	Note It is an offence for an owner of a vessel to take the vessel to sea, or cause or permit the vessel to be taken to sea, if the vessel does not comply with the accommodation prescribed by this Order — see Navigation Act, s75.	
56 Hospital accommodation	56 Hospital accommodation	
The owner of a vessel carrying at least 15 seafarers engaged in a voyage of at least 72 hours must ensure that the vessel has hospital accommodation:	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel carrying at least 15 seafarers engaged in a voyage of at least 72 hours must ensure that the vessel has hospital accommodation:	
(a) separate from other accommodation spaces; and	(a) separate from other accommodation spaces; and	
(b) used exclusively for medical purposes; and	(b) used exclusively for medical purposes; and	
(c) meeting the requirements mentioned in Schedule 9.	(c) meeting the requirements mentioned in Schedule 9.	
Division 10 Recreational facilities	Division 10 Recreational facilities	
57 Recreational facilities, amenities and services	57 Recreational facilities, amenities and services	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that the vessel has recreational facilities that:	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the vessel has recreational facilities that:	Amended to reflect
(a) comply with paragraph 14 of MLC standard A3.1; and	(a) comply with paragraph 14 of MLC standard A3.1; and	social connectivity changes to the MLC.

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(b) are adapted to meet the special needs of seafarers living and working on the vessel.	(b) include social connectivity; and	
	(c) have furnishing appropriate to the needs of the seafarers.	
(c) has furnishing appropriate to the needs of the seafarers.	(d) are adapted to meet the special needs of seafarers living	
(2) The owner must ensure that the recreational facilities are kept up to date taking into account subparagraphs 4(a) to (j) of MLC	and working on the vessel.	
guideline B3.1.11.	Note for paragraph (b) An example of social connectivity is internet access.	
	(2) The owner must ensure that the recreational facilities are kept up to date and take into account subparagraphs 4(a) to (j) of MLC guideline B3.1.11.	
58 Common vessel's office	58 Common vessel's office	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that the vessel has a separate office or a common vessel's office for use by deck and engine seafarers.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the vessel has a separate office or a common vessel's office for use by deck and engine seafarers.	
(2) The owner of a vessel that is less than 3000 GT may apply for an exemption from subsection (1).	(2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel <3000 GT may apply for an exemption from subsection (1).	
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Note It is an offence to take a vessel to sea, or cause or permit a vessel to be taken to sea, unless the vessel is carrying drinking water and food — see sections 62 to 64 of the Navigation Act.	Note It is an offence to take a vessel to sea, or cause or permit a vessel to be taken to sea, unless the vessel is carrying drinking water and food — see sections 62 to 64 of the Navigation Act.	
	59 Food and drinking water	
	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that quality food and drinking water is provided in accordance with paragraph 2 of MLC standard A3.2.	New section added to reflect changes to the
	Note 1 Food and drinking water provisions must relate to the religious requirements and cultural practices of seafarers on board in addition to the duration and nature of the voyage. Food and water must be free of charge	MLC.
	Note 2 Food must be suitable in respect of variety and nutritional value.	
	Note 3 Guidance on food and nutrition is available at the National Health and Medical Research Council website at <a href="https://www.eatforhealth.gov.au">https://www.eatforhealth.gov.au</a> and the Food Standards	

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59	Organisation and equipment of catering department  The owner of a vessel must ensure that the organisation and equipment of the catering department on board a vessel allows for:  (a) the preparation of varied and nutritious meals; and  (b) the serving of meals in hygienic conditions.  Note for paragraph (a) Guidance on food and nutrition is available at the National Health and Medical Research Council website at https://www.eatforhealth.gov.au and the Food Standards.	60	Organisation and equipment of catering department  The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the organisation and equipment of the catering department on board a vessel allows for:  (a) the preparation of adequate, varied, balanced and nutritious meals; and  (b) the serving of meals in hygienic conditions.	Amended to reflect changes to the MLC.  The note is moved to the above amended section 59.
(2) - t	Training of persons processing food  The owner of a vessel must ensure that a person who works on the vessel as a cook holds a certificate of proficiency as marine cook issued in accordance with Marine Order 70 (Seafarer certification) 2014.  The owner of a vessel operating with a prescribed manning level of less than 10, that because of its trading pattern does not need to carry a marine cook, must ensure that a person processing food in the galley is trained or instructed in:  (a) food hygiene; and	(1) (2)	Training of persons processing food  The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a person who works on the vessel as a cook holds a certificate of proficiency as marine cook issued in accordance with Marine Order 70 (Seafarer certification) 2014.  The owner of a regulated Australian vessel operating with a prescribed manning level of less than 10, that because of its trading pattern does not need to carry a marine cook, must ensure that a person processing food in the galley is trained or instructed in:  (a) food hygiene; and	
(3)	(b) personal hygiene; and (c) food handling on a vessel; and (d) the storage of food on a vessel.  The owner of a vessel may apply for an exemption from the requirement in subsection (1).  AMSA may give an exemption: (a) for a period up to 1 month; or	(3)	<ul> <li>(a) Tood hygiene, and</li> <li>(b) personal hygiene; and</li> <li>(c) food handling on a vessel; and</li> <li>(d) the storage of food on a vessel.</li> <li>The owner of a vessel may apply for an exemption from the requirement in subsection (1).</li> <li>AMSA may give an exemption:</li> </ul>	

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(b) until the vessel arrives at the next convenient port of call.	(a) for a period up to 1 month; or	
	(b) until the vessel arrives at the next convenient port of call.	
61 Galleys	62 Galleys	
(1) The owner of vessel must ensure that:	(1) The owner of regulated Australian vessel must ensure that:	
<ul> <li>(a) the vessel has a galley for the preparation of food for the seafarers; and</li> </ul>	(a) the vessel has a galley for the preparation of food for the seafarers; and	
<ul><li>(b) the galley is constructed in accordance with Schedule 10.</li></ul>	(b) the galley is constructed in accordance with Schedule 10.	
(2) The owner must ensure that the galley has the following equipment:	(2) The owner must ensure that the galley has the following equipment:	
<ul> <li>equipment for the preparation of food in a quantity sufficient for the seafarers on board, including the following:</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) equipment for the preparation of food in a quantity sufficient for the seafarers on board, including the following:</li> </ul>	
(i) a refrigerator;	(i) a refrigerator;	
(ii) at least 1 cooking range;	(ii) at least 1 cooking range;	
(iv) at least 1 oven;	(iii) at least 1 oven;	
(v) cooking utensils;	(v) cooking utensils;	
<ul><li>(vi) hot and cold potable running water that complies with Guidelines for drinking-water quality, published by WHO, as in force from time to time;</li></ul>	<ul><li>(vi) hot and cold potable running water that complies with Guidelines for drinking-water quality, published by WHO, as in force from time to time;</li></ul>	
(b) equipment for the cleaning of cooking utensils.	(b) equipment for the cleaning of cooking utensils.	
(3) The owner must ensure that the equipment is constructed of material that can easily be kept clean.	(3) The owner must ensure that the equipment is constructed of material that can easily be kept clean.	
(4) The master must ensure that the galley and its equipment are kept in a clean and orderly manner at all times.	(4) The master must ensure that the galley and its equipment are kept in a clean and orderly manner at all times.	
62 Storage of food	63 Storage of food	
(1) In this section:	(1) In this section:	
<b>potentially hazardous food</b> means a food that has to be kept at a certain temperature:	potentially hazardous food means a food that has to be kept at a certain temperature:	

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(a) to minimise the risk of the growth of pathogenic micro- organisms present in the food; or	(a) to minimise the risk of the growth of pathogenic micro- organisms present in the food; or	
(b) to prevent the formation of toxins in the food.	(b) to prevent the formation of toxins in the food.	
(2) The owner of a vessel must:	(2) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must:	
(a) ensure that the seafarers have dry provision stores that meet the requirements mentioned in Schedule 11; and	<ul> <li>ensure that the seafarers have dry provision stores that meet the requirements mentioned in Schedule 11; and</li> </ul>	
<ul><li>(b) provide cold storage and refrigerators that are adequate for the storage of provisions.</li></ul>	(b) provide cold storage and refrigerators that are adequate for the storage of provisions.	
(3) The master must ensure that:	(3) The master of a regulated Australian must ensure that:	
(a) meat and fish are stored apart from each other; and	(a) meat and fish are stored apart from each other; and	
(b) all refrigerated or frozen food is kept at temperature below:	(b) all refrigerated or frozen food is kept at temperature below:	
(i) for very cold food — -15°C; or	(i) for very cold food — -15°C; or	
(ii) for cold food — 5°C.	(ii) for cold food — 5°C.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(4) An offence against subsection (3) is a strict liability offence.	(4) An offence against subsection (3) is a strict liability offence.	
(5) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (3).	(5) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (3).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(6) The master must ensure that food is stored so that:	(6) The master of a regulated Australian must ensure that food is	
(a) it is protected from the likelihood of contamination; and	stored so that:	
(b) the environmental conditions under which it is stored will not adversely affect the quality and suitability of the food; and	<ul><li>(a) it is protected from the likelihood of contamination; and</li><li>(b) the environmental conditions under which it is stored will not</li></ul>	
<ul><li>(c) potentially hazardous food is kept at its required temperature at all times.</li></ul>	adversely affect the quality and suitability of the food; and (c) potentially hazardous food is kept at its required	
Note The Australia New Zealand Food Standards give further guidance on the storage of food.	temperature at all times.  Note The Australia New Zealand Food Standards give further guidance on the storage of food.	
63 Inspection of food, drinking water, storage areas and	64 Inspection of food, drinking water, storage areas and	

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galleys	galleys	
The master of a vessel must ensure that weekly inspections are carried out and documented for:	The master of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that weekly inspections are carried out and documented for:	
(a) the provision of food and drinking water; and	(a) the provision of food and drinking water; and	
<ul><li>(b) the spaces and equipment used for the storage and handling of food and drinking water; and</li></ul>	<ul><li>(b) the spaces and equipment used for the storage and handling of food and drinking water; and</li></ul>	
<ul><li>(c) the galley and other equipment used for the preparation and service of meals.</li></ul>	<ul><li>(c) the galley and other equipment used for the preparation and service of meals.</li></ul>	
Division 12 Health	Division 12 Health	
Note It is an offence for an owner or master of a vessel to take the vessel to sea without the required medical supplies and instructions for their use — see Navigation Act, ss 66 and 67.	Note It is an offence for an owner or master of a vessel to take the vessel to sea without the required medical supplies and instructions for their use — see Navigation Act, ss 66 and 67.	
64 Medical care for seafarers on board	65 Medical care for seafarers on board	
The owner of a vessel must put in place measures for the health protection, medical care and essential dental care for seafarers on board that:	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must put in place measures for the health protection, medical care and essential dental care for seafarers on board that:	
(a) give effect to:	(a) give effect to:	
(i) any requirements for occupational health protection and medical care relevant to their duties; and	(i) any requirements for occupational health protection and medical care relevant to their duties; and	
<ul> <li>(ii) any requirements for seafarers on board imposed by the country in which the vessel is registered; and</li> </ul>	<ul><li>(ii) any requirements for seafarers on board imposed by the country in which the vessel is registered; and</li></ul>	
<ul> <li>(b) ensure seafarers have health protection and medical care as comparable as possible to that available to workers on shore, including prompt access to:</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(b) ensure seafarers have health protection and medical care as comparable as possible to that available to workers on shore, including prompt access to:</li> </ul>	
<ul><li>(i) necessary medicines, medical equipment and facilities for diagnosis and treatment; and</li></ul>	<ul><li>(i) necessary medicines, medical equipment and facilities for diagnosis and treatment; and</li></ul>	
(ii) medical information and expertise.	(i) medical information and expertise.	
Right to visit a medical practitioner or dentist	66 Right to visit a medical practitioner or dentist	
The owner of a vessel must ensure that a seafarer in need of	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a	

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immediate medical care is transported to shore and given access without delay to medical facilities onshore, including:  (a) outpatient treatment for sickness and injury; and  (b) hospitalisation when necessary; and  (c) facilities for essential dental treatment.	seafarer in need of immediate medical care is promptly transported to shore and without delay taken to medical facilities onshore, including:  (a) outpatient treatment for sickness and injury; and (b) hospitalisation when necessary; and (c) facilities for essential dental treatment.  The circumstances of immediate medical care include the following:  (a) serious injury or disease; (b) injury or disease which might lead to temporary or permanent disability; (c) communicable disease which poses a risk of transmission to other members of the crew; (d) injury involving broken bones, severe bleeding, broken or inflamed teeth or severe burns; (e) severe pain which cannot be managed on board ship, taking account of the operational pattern of the vessel, the availability of suitable analgesics and the health impacts of taking these for an extended period; (f) serious mental health concerns; (g) tele-medical advisory service recommending treatment ashore	Amended to reflect changes to the MLC.
66 Medical services at no charge	67 Medical services at no charge	
<ul><li>(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that medical care and health protection services are provided at no charge to seafarers:</li><li>(a) on board the vessel; and</li></ul>	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that medical care and health protection services are provided at no charge to seafarers:	
(b) in any port that the vessel visits.	(a) on board the vessel; and	
(2) The medical care and health protection services:	(b) in any port that the vessel visits.	
(a) are not limited to the treatment of sick or injured seafarers; and	<ul><li>(2) The medical care and health protection services:</li><li>(a) are not limited to the treatment of sick or injured seafarers;</li></ul>	
<ul><li>(b) include measures of a preventative character (eg health promotion and health education programs); and</li></ul>	(b) include measures of a preventative character (eg health	
(c) include measures to stop the spread of infectious diseases,	promotion and health education programs); and	

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including sexually transmitted diseases; and  (d) include measures to stop the spread of insect borne diseases.	(c) include measures to stop the spread of infectious diseases, including sexually transmitted diseases; and     (d) include measures to stop the spread of insect borne diseases.	
<ul> <li>Reporting of medical information</li> <li>When exchanging medical information for individual seafarers between a vessel and shore because of illness or injury, the approved form must be used by: <ul> <li>(a) the master of the vessel; and</li> <li>(b) onboard medical personnel; and</li> <li>(c) onshore medical personnel.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The owner of a vessel must ensure that any completed forms are: <ul> <li>(a) kept confidential; and</li> <li>(b) only used to facilitate the treatment of seafarers.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Note Approved forms are available on the AMSA website: <a href="http://">http://</a></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reporting of medical information</li> <li>When exchanging medical information for individual seafarers between a regulated Australian vessel and shore because of illness or injury, the approved form must be used by: <ul> <li>(a) the master of the vessel; and</li> <li>(b) onboard medical personnel; and</li> <li>(c) onshore medical personnel.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The owner of a vessel must ensure that any completed forms are: <ul> <li>(a) kept confidential; and</li> <li>(b) only used to facilitate the treatment of seafarers.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Note Approved forms are available on the AMSA website: http://</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Medical supplies</li> <li>(1) For subsections 66(1) and 67(1) of the Navigation Act, the vessel must be provided with: <ul> <li>(a) a medicine chest with at least the medicines, medical and surgical stores and appliances and antiscorbutics, and kept in the manner, mentioned in the most recent edition of Medical carriage requirements, published by AMSA;</li> <li>(b) the most recent edition of International medical guide for ships, published by WHO.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(2) The owner of a vessel to which paragraph 68(1)(a) applies may apply to AMSA, in accordance with section 8 of this Order, for approval to use an equivalent.</li> <li>(3) For cargo that is classified as dangerous and is not included in</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Medical supplies</li> <li>(1) For subsections 66(1) and 67(1) of the Navigation Act, the regulated Australian vessel must be provided with: <ul> <li>(a) a medicine chest with at least the medicines, medical and surgical stores and appliances and antiscorbutics, and kept in the manner, mentioned in the most recent edition of Medical carriage requirements, published by AMSA;</li> <li>(b) the most recent edition of International medical guide for ships, published by WHO.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(2) The owner of a vessel to which paragraph 68(1)(a) applies may apply to AMSA, in accordance with section 8 of this Order, for approval to use an equivalent.</li> </ul>	

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accidents involving dangerous goods, information about all of the following must be available to seafarers:	the most recent edition of Medical first aid guide for use in accidents involving dangerous goods, information about all of the	
(a) the nature of substances in the cargo;	following must be available to seafarers:	
(b) the risks mentioned for the cargo as mentioned in the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code, published by the IMO, as in force from time to time;	<ul> <li>(a) the nature of substances in the cargo;</li> <li>(b) the risks mentioned for the cargo as mentioned in the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code, published by the IMO as in force from time to time.</li> </ul>	
(c) personal protective equipment necessary to avoid the risks;	by the IMO, as in force from time to time;	
(d) medical procedures to deal with the risks;	(c) personal protective equipment necessary to avoid the risks;	
(e) antidotes for the substances.	(d) medical procedures to deal with the risks;	
Note The Medical first aid guide for use in accidents involving	(e) antidotes for the substances.	
dangerous goods is published jointly by the IMO, WHO and the ILO. It is also known as the Chemicals Supplement to the <i>International medical guide for ships</i> , which is published by WHO.	Note The Medical first aid guide for use in accidents involving dangerous goods is published jointly by the IMO, WHO and the ILO. It is also known as the Chemicals Supplement to the International medical	
(4) The owner of a vessel must ensure that the antidotes and personal protective equipment mentioned in subsection (3) are available on board when dangerous goods are carried.	guide for ships, which is published by WHO.  (4) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the antidotes and personal protective equipment mentioned in	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	subsection (3) are available on board when dangerous goods are carried.	
(5) The owner of a vessel must ensure that:	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(a) the medicine chest and medical equipment are properly maintained; and	(5) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that:	
(b) adequate medical supplies to treat a diseased or injured person are carried on board.	(a) the medicine chest and medical equipment are properly maintained; and	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	<ul> <li>(b) adequate medical supplies to treat a diseased or injured person are carried on board.</li> </ul>	
(6) The master of the vessel must ensure each of the following:	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(a) an inspection of the medicine chest and medical equipment is carried out at least once every 12 months; and	(6) The master of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure each of the following:	
(b) the labelling of medicine is correct and easily read;	(a) an inspection of the medicine chest and medical equipment is carried out at least once every 12	
(c) the expiry date of the medicine is easily read;	months; and	
(d) the expiry date of the medicine has not been	(b) the labelling of medicine is correct and easily read;	
reached;	(c) the expiry date of the medicine is easily read;	

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(e) the medicine is stored correctly;	(d) the expiry date of the medicine has not been reached;	
<ul><li>(f) directions for the use of medicine are easily read;</li></ul>	(e) the medicine is stored correctly;	
(g) the medical equipment is in good condition and	<ul><li>(f) directions for the use of medicine are easily read;</li></ul>	
functioning correctly.	(g) the medical equipment is in good condition and	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	functioning correctly.	
(7) The owner of a vessel must ensure that expired medical supplies are replaced by the earlier of:	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(a) arrival at the next port of call at which medical supplies may	(7) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that expired medical supplies are replaced by the earlier of:	
be replaced; or (b) within 3 months after their expiry dates.	(a) arrival at the next port of call at which medical supplies may be replaced; or	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	(b) within 3 months after their expiry dates.	
(8) An offence against subsection (4), (5), (6) or (7) is a strict liability	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
offence.	(8) An offence against subsection (4), (5), (6) or (7) is a strict liability	
A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes	offence.	
subsections (4), (5), (6) or (7).	(9) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	subsections (4), (5), (6) or (7).	
	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
69 Medically qualified person on board	70 Medically qualified person on board	
(1) For paragraphs 72(1)(b) and 73(1)(b) of the Navigation Act, the distance is 650 nautical miles.	(1) For paragraphs 72(1)(b) and 73(1)(b) of the Navigation Act, the distance is 650 nautical miles.	
(2) For paragraphs 72(2)(b) and 73(2)(b) of the Navigation Act, the distance is 120 nautical miles.	(2) For paragraphs 72(2)(b) and 73(2)(b) of the Navigation Act, the distance is 120 nautical miles.	
(3) (3) For subsections 72(2) and 73(2) of the Navigation Act, to be qualified the person must hold a certificate attesting to satisfactory completion of an approved course of study that complies with the training and assessment standards mentioned in paragraphs 1 to 3 of section A-VI/4 of the STCW Code.	(3) For subsections 72(2) and 73(2) of the Navigation Act, to be qualified the person must hold a certificate attesting to satisfactory completion of an approved course of study that complies with the training and assessment standards mentioned in paragraphs 1 to 3 of section A-VI/4 of the STCW Code.	
70 Control of certain drugs	71 Control of certain drugs	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that a register of controlled drugs is kept on board.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a register of controlled drugs is kept on board.	

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	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
	Note The use of certain drugs is regulated in Australia — for further information see <a href="http://www.tga.gov.au/industry/scheduling-poisons-standard.htm">http://www.tga.gov.au/industry/scheduling-poisons-standard.htm</a> and consult a dispensing pharmacist.	Note The use of certain drugs is regulated in Australia — for further information see <a href="http://www.tga.gov.au/industry/scheduling-poisons-standard.htm">http://www.tga.gov.au/industry/scheduling-poisons-standard.htm</a> and consult a dispensing pharmacist.	
	he register must record the following details for each dministration of a controlled drug:	(2) The register must record the following details for each administration of a controlled drug:	
(	<ul> <li>the full name of the person to whom the controlled drug is administered;</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) the full name of the person to whom the controlled drug is administered;</li> </ul>	
(	the reason for administering the controlled drug;	(b) the reason for administering the controlled drug;	
(	the date and time the controlled drug was administered;	(c) the date and time the controlled drug was administered;	
(	d) the name and quantity of the controlled drug administered;	(d) the name and quantity of the controlled drug administered;	
(	the name and designation of the person who administered the controlled drug.	(e) the name and designation of the person who administered the controlled drug.	
^	ote For the meaning of <b>controlled drug</b> — see section 4.	Note For the meaning of <b>controlled drug</b> — see section 4.	
	he master or owner of a vessel must ensure that any loss or left of a controlled drug is:	(3) The master or owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that any loss or theft of a controlled drug is:	
(	a) recorded in the controlled drug register; and	(a) recorded in the controlled drug register; and	
(	o) reported to the appropriate law enforcement agencies as soon as practical after the vessel arrives in port.	(b) reported to the appropriate law enforcement agencies as soon as practical after the vessel arrives in port.	
	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(4) A	n offence against subsection (1) or (3) is a strict liability offence.	(4) An offence against subsection (1) or (3) is a strict liability offence.	
	person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes ubsection (1) or (3).	(5) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (3).	
C	ivil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
Divi	sion 13 Welfare of seafarers	Division 13 Welfare of seafarers	
71	Mail  The master of a vessel must ensure that the forwarding of seafarer's mail is as reliable and expeditious as possible.	The master of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the forwarding of seafarer's mail is as reliable and expeditious as possible.	

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(2) li c	Visitors The owner of a vessel must ensure that:  a) a seafarer may apply to the master of the vessel for the seafarer's partner, relative or friend to board the vessel as a visitor; and  b) the master, if reasonably practicable, gives permission for the seafarer's partner, relatives and friends to board the vessel as visitors; and  c) deciding whether it is reasonably practicable, the master may onsider:  a) any security clearance requirements; and  b) whether to impose any conditions on the permission.	<b>73</b> (1)	(b) In d con: (a)	Visitors  cowner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that: a seafarer may apply to the master of the vessel for the seafarer's partner, relative or friend to board the vessel as a visitor; and the master, if reasonably practicable, gives permission for the seafarer's partner, relatives and friends to board the vessel as visitors; and eciding whether it is reasonably practicable, the master may sider: any security clearance requirements; and whether to impose any conditions on the permission.	
(i	Welfare agencies The master of a vessel must ensure that when the vessel is in a ort where shore based welfare facilities are available:  a) a seafarer may visit the facilities; and b) shore based welfare providers may visit seafarers on the vessel.  Note Paragraph 1 of MLC regulation 4.4 provides that countries in which the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must ensure shore based welfare facilities are available for all seafarers. For requirements for foreign vessels — see Division 2.	<b>74</b> (1)	) The whe are (a) (b) No wh. bas for	Welfare agencies  I master of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that en the vessel is in a port where shore based welfare facilities available:  a seafarer may visit the facilities; and shore based welfare providers may visit seafarers on the vessel.  Ite 1 Paragraph 1 of MLC regulation 4.4 provides that countries in inich the Maritime Labour Convention is in force must ensure shore sed welfare facilities are available for all seafarers. For requirements foreign vessels — see Division 2.  Interest An employee assistance provider (EAP) is considered a welfare inlity. For further information see the Australian Seafarers Welfare uncil webpage at www.amsa.gov.au.	The note is included to provide clarity to EAP and welfare facility/agency.
			ivisio		Added to reflect charges
		<mark>75</mark>		Safety protection  The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must put in	Added to reflect changes to the MLC. Includes the requirement to carry

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Division 44 Shipowners' liability	Division 15 Shipowners' liability	
The owner of a vessel must demonstrate to AMSA's satisfaction that the owner has financial security to assure compensation should the owner be required to provide compensation if a seafarer dies or suffers a long-term disability because of an occupational:  (a) injury; or  (b) illness; or  (c) hazard.  Note Financial security may be demonstrated by production of a current insurance cover note, evidence of protection of indemnity insurance or coverage under a Seacare scheme.	76 Financial security  (1) The owner of a vessel must demonstrate to AMSA's satisfaction that the owner has financial security that meets subsection (2).  Note Financial security may be demonstrated by production of a current insurance cover note, evidence of protection of indemnity insurance or coverage under a Seacare scheme.  (2) A master or owner of a regulated Australian vessel must not take the vessel to sea if the vessel does not have on board documentary evidence of financial security to meet liability arising from:  (a) death or long-term disability of a seafarer because of occupational injury, illness or hazard; and  (b) abandonment of any seafarer of the vessel.  Penalty: 50 penalty units.  (3) The documentary evidence of financial security must include the following information:  (a) the name of the vessel;  (b) the home port of the vessel;  (c) the call sign of the vessel;  (d) the IMO number of the vessel;  (e) the name and address of the provider or providers of the financial security;  (f) the contact details of the person responsible for receiving requests and arranging seafarer	Content from section 34A is moved to this section, to cover all financial security in one section.  Requirements by the MLC standards A2.5.2 and A4.2.1 are merged as the requirements are similar.  Required amendments are made to reflect changes to the MLC and provide clarity to the ILO "Direct Request".  Includes the direct request to include 'at least 30 days notice to the administration' at 76(3)(b) and 'written in English' at 76(5)(b).

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	assistance;	
	(g) the name of the owner of the vessel or registered owner if different;	
	<ul><li>(h) the period of validity of the financial security;</li></ul>	
	(i) an attestation by the provider or providers of the financial security that:	
	(A) the security meets the requirements of MLC standards A2.5.2 and A4.2.1; and	
	(B) at least 30 days notice is to be given to the Administration for any cessation of the security.	
	<ul> <li>(4) For paragraph (2)(b), abandonment is taken to have occurred if the owner of the vessel or registered owner has not:         <ul> <li>(a) complied with any repatriation requirement mentioned in sections 31 to 33; or</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
	<ul><li>(b) paid wages or other payments due to the seafarer for at least 2 months; or</li></ul>	
	(c) provided the necessary maintenance and support mentioned in paragraph 2(b) of MLC standard A2.5.2.	
	Note Paragraph 5 of MLC standard A2.5.2 provides that for paragraph 2(b) necessary maintenance and support includes adequate food, accommodation, drinking water supplies, essential fuel for survival on board the ship and necessary medical care.	
	<ul> <li>(5) The owner must ensure that documentary evidence of financial security is:</li> <li>(a) placed on board the vessel in a location where it is available for perusal, without the need for a seafarer to ask to access it; and</li> <li>(b) written in English.</li> </ul>	
	Penalty: 50 penalty units.  Note For paragraph (b), the documentary evidence written in English may be an English translation of the original documents that are in a language other than English.	

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	<ul> <li>(6) An offence against subsection (2) or (5) is a strict liability offence.</li> <li>(7) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (2) or (5).</li> <li>Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.</li> </ul>	
75 Incapacity	77 Incapacity	
(1) If a seafarer of a vessel is incapacitated for work because of sickness or injury, the owner of the vessel must:	(1) If a seafarer of a regulated Australian vessel is incapacitated for work because of sickness or injury, the owner of the vessel must:	
(a) pay the seafarer's wages in full:	(a) pay the seafarer's wages in full:	
(i) as long as the sick or injured seafarer is on board; or	(i) as long as the sick or injured seafarer is on board;	
(ii) until the seafarer is repatriated; and	Or	
(b) pay wages in whole or part, in accordance with the collective agreement or legislation that provides for workers' compensation for the seafarer, when the seafarer is repatriated, until the earliest of:	(ii) until the seafarer is repatriated; and  (b) pay wages in whole or part, in accordance with the collective agreement or legislation that provides for workers' compensation for the seafarer, when the	
(i) when the seafarer recovers; or	seafarer is repatriated, until the earliest of:	
<ul> <li>(ii) when the seafarer is entitled to cash benefits under the collective agreement or legislation that provides for workers' compensation for the seafarer; or</li> </ul>	(i) when the seafarer recovers; or  (ii) when the seafarer is entitled to cash benefits under the collective agreement or legislation that provides for workers' compensation for the seafarer; or	
(iii) 16 weeks after the incapacitation starts.	(iii) 16 weeks after the incapacitation starts.	
Note This section does not limit the liabilities of the vessel owner under applicable workers compensation legislation.	Note This section does not limit the liabilities of the vessel owner under applicable workers compensation legislation.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (3).	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (3).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
76 Limitation of liability	78 Limitation of liability	
The owner of a vessel is not liable for:	The owner of a regulated Australian vessel is not liable for:	

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<ul> <li>(a) an injury incurred by the seafarer while the seafarer was not employed, engaged or working on the vessel;</li> </ul>	(a) an injury incurred by the seafarer while the seafarer was not employed, engaged or working on the vessel; or	
or (b) an injury, sickness or death of the seafarer resulting	(b) an injury, sickness or death of the seafarer resulting from the wilful misconduct of the seafarer; or	
from the wilful misconduct of the seafarer; or  (c) a sickness or infirmity intentionally concealed by the seafarer when entering into the work agreement.	(c) a sickness or infirmity intentionally concealed by the seafarer when entering into the work agreement.	
77 Property	79 Property	
The owner of a vessel must take measures:	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must take measures:	
(a) to safeguard the property left on board by a sick, injured or deceased seafarer; and	(a) to safeguard the property left on board by a sick, injured or deceased seafarer; and	
(b) to return it to the seafarer or the seafarer's next of kin.	(b) to return it to the seafarer or the seafarer's next of kin.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(5) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
(6) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (3).	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (3).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
Division 45 Maritime labour certificate and declaration of maritime labour compliance	Division 16 Maritime labour certificate and declaration of maritime labour compliance	
78 Requirement for maritime labour certificate	80 Requirement for maritime labour certificate	
(1) For subsection 43(1) of the Act, the following kinds of maritime labour certificate are specified:	(1) For subsection 43(1) of the Navigation Act, the following kinds of maritime labour certificate are specified:	
(a) a maritime labour certificate (MLC);	(a) a maritime labour certificate (MLC);	
(b) an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC).	(b) an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC).	
(2) For paragraphs 47(1)(a) and 48(1)(a) of the Navigation Act, a vessel must have a maritime labour certificate if the vessel is:	(2) For paragraphs 47(1)(a) and 48(1)(a) of the Navigation Act, a regulated Australian vessel must have a maritime labour	
(a) at least 500 GT; and	certificate if the vessel is:	
(b) proceeding on an overseas voyage or for use on an	(a) ≥500 GT; and	

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	Overseas voyage.  Note 1 It is an offence under subsections 47(2) and 48(2) of the Navigation Act if a vessel is taken to sea without a maritime labour	<ul><li>(b) proceeding on an overseas voyage or for use on an overseas voyage.</li><li>Note 1 It is an offence under subsections 47(2) and 48(2) of the</li></ul>	
	Certificate of a specified kind in force for the vessel.  Note 2 The form of a maritime labour certificate is available on the AMSA website at http://www.amsa.gov.au.	Navigation Act if a vessel is taken to sea without a maritime labour certificate of a specified kind in force for the vessel.  Note 2 The form of a maritime labour certificate is available on the	
(3)	The owner of a vessel that is not a vessel to which subsection (2)	AMSA website at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a> .	
. ,	applies may apply to an issuing body for a maritime labour certificate as if it were a vessel to which subsection (2) applies.	3) The owner of a vessel that is not a vessel to which subsection (2) applies may apply to an issuing body for a maritime labour certificate as if it were a vessel to which subsection (2) applies.	
	Note Guidance on maritime labour certificates is available on the AMSA website at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a> .	Note Guidance on maritime labour certificates is available on the AMSA website at http://www.amsa.gov.au.	
<del>79</del>	Declaration of maritime labour compliance	Declaration of maritime labour compliance	
	AMSA may issue a declaration of maritime labour compliance in accordance with paragraph 10 of MLC standard A5.1.3.	AMSA may issue a declaration of maritime labour compliance in accordance with paragraph 10 of MLC standard A5.1.3.	
	Note 1 The form of a declaration of maritime labour compliance is available on the AMSA website at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a> . Part II of the declaration is to be completed by the vessel owner.	Note 1 The form of a declaration of maritime labour compliance is available on the AMSA website at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a> . Part II of the declaration is to be completed by the vessel owner.	
	Note 2 A person may apply for a declaration whether or not the vessel is required to have a maritime labour certificate (MLC).	Note 2 A person may apply for a declaration whether or not the vessel is required to have a maritime labour certificate (MLC).	
80	Documents to be carried on board	Documents to be carried on board	Provides clarity.
(1)	The master of a vessel <del>may</del> take the vessel to sea <del>only</del> if:	1) The master of a regulated Australian vessel ≥500 GT must not	
	(a) the vessel's maritime labour certificate (MLC) or interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) is carried on the vessel; and	take the vessel to sea if:  (a) the vessel's maritime labour certificate (MLC) or interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) is not carried on the	
	(b) the maritime labour certificate (MLC) has attached a declaration of maritime labour compliance in accordance with paragraph 10 of MLC standard A5.1.3; and	vessel; and  (b) the maritime labour certificate (MLC) does not have attached a declaration of maritime labour compliance in	
	(c) a copy of the certificate carried on the vessel, and declaration if required by paragraph (b), is:	accordance with paragraph 10 of MLC standard A5.1.3; and (c) a copy of the certificate carried on the vessel is not:	
	(i) written in English; and	(i) written in English; and	

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	(ii) displayed so that it is easily read by seafarers; and		(ii	displayed so that it is easily read by seafarers; and	
	<ul><li>(iii) made available on request to any seafarer, inspector, authorised officer in a port state or representative of the owner or of a seafarer.</li></ul>		in	) made available on request to any seafarer, spector, authorised officer in a port state or presentative of the owner or of a seafarer.	
	Penalty: 50 penalty units.		Penalty:	50 penalty units.	
(2) A	an offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) A	n offence	against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
	A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).		A person is ubsection	liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes (1).	
C	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	C	Civil penalty	7: 50 penalty units.	
Divis	sion <del>16</del> Maritime labour certificates	Divis	sion <mark>17</mark>	Maritime labour certificates	
<del>81</del>	Application for maritime labour certificate (MLC)	<mark>83</mark>	Applica	ation for maritime labour certificate (MLC)	
	For subsection 43(2) of the Navigation Act, an application for a maritime labour certificate (MLC) must be made to an issuing body in writing.		a mariti	section 43(2) of the Navigation Act, an application for me labour certificate (MLC) must be made to an body in writing.	
	Note Information on applying for a maritime labour certificate (MLC) is available on the AMSA website at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a> .		(MLC) is	nformation on applying for a maritime labour certificate s available on the AMSA website at www.amsa.gov.au.	
<del>82</del>	Issuing criteria	<mark>84</mark>	Issuing	ı criteria	
	For paragraph 44(1)(b) of the Navigation Act, the criteria for the issue of a maritime labour certificate (MLC) are that the issuing body:			agraph 44(1)(b) of the Navigation Act, the criteria for the of a maritime labour certificate (MLC) are that the body:	
	(a) has inspected the vessel for the matters mentioned in Appendix A5-I of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order; and		App	inspected the vessel for the matters mentioned in bendix A5-I of the Maritime Labour Convention and Order; and	
	(b) is satisfied the vessel complies with the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order.			is satisfied the vessel complies with the Maritime our Convention and this Order.	
83	Duration of maritime labour certificate (MLC)	<mark>85</mark>	Duratio	on of maritime labour certificate (MLC)	
	A maritime labour certificate (MLC) is in force for a period, of no nore than 5 years, determined by the issuing body.			abour certificate (MLC) is in force for a period, of no syears, determined by the issuing body.	
(2) H	lowever, for section 45 of the Navigation Act, an issuing body	(2) H	lowever, fo	or section 45 of the Navigation Act, an issuing body	

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may vary the time a certificate ceases to be in force if:	may vary the time a certificate ceases to be in force if:	
<ul> <li>(a) a renewal inspection has been completed before the expiry of the existing certificate; and</li> </ul>	(a) a renewal inspection has been completed before the expiry of the existing certificate; and	
<ul><li>(b) the renewal inspection demonstrates compliance with the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order; and</li></ul>	(b) the renewal inspection demonstrates compliance with the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order; and	
(c) the new certificate cannot be issued and made available on board the vessel before the expiry of the existing certificate.	(c) the new certificate cannot be issued and made available on board the vessel before the expiry of the existing certificate.	
(3) For subsection (2), a further period not exceeding 5 months from the expiry date of the existing certificate may be endorsed by the issuing body on the certificate.	(3) For subsection (2), a further period not exceeding 5 months from the expiry date of the existing certificate may be endorsed by the issuing body on the certificate.	
Note Subsection 85(3) sets out the time when a new maritime labour certificate (MLC) comes into force after the renewal inspection.	Note Subsection 87(2) sets out the time when a new maritime labour certificate (MLC) comes into force after the renewal inspection.	
84 Intermediate inspection	86 Intermediate inspection	
(1) The owner of a vessel for which a maritime labour certificate (MLC) is in force must ensure that the vessel is inspected by an issuing body:	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel for which a maritime labour certificate (MLC) is in force must ensure that the vessel is inspected by an issuing body:	
<ul> <li>(a) between the second and third anniversary dates of the certificate; and</li> </ul>	(a) between the second and third anniversary dates of the certificate; and	
(b) for each matter mentioned in Appendix A5-1 of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order.	(b) for each matter mentioned in Appendix A5-1 of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) The owner of a vessel that is inspected in accordance with subsection (1) must ensure that:	(2) The owner of a vessel that is inspected in accordance with subsection (1) must ensure that:	
(a) the following is recorded in English:	(a) the following is recorded in English:	
(i) a report of the inspection by the issuing body;	(i) a report of the inspection by the issuing body;	
(ii) any deficiencies identified by the issuing body;	(ii) any deficiencies identified by the issuing body;	
<ul><li>(iii) the date any deficiency mentioned in subparagraph</li><li>(ii) is to be reinspected by the issuing body for compliance; and</li></ul>	(iii)the date any deficiency mentioned in subparagraph (ii) is to be reinspected by the issuing body for compliance; and	
(b) the records mentioned in paragraph (a) are:	(b) the records mentioned in paragraph (a) are:	
(i) attached to the maritime labour certificate (MLC);	(i) attached to the maritime labour certificate (MLC);	

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and	and	
<ul><li>(ii) made available on request to any seafarer, inspector, authorised person of a port state or representative of the owner or of a seafarer.</li></ul>	<ul><li>(ii) made available on request to any seafarer, inspector, authorised person of a port state or representative of the owner or of a seafarer.</li></ul>	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(3) An offence against subsection (1) or (2) is a strict liability offence.	(3) An offence against subsection (1) or (2) is a strict liability offence.	
(4) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (2).	(4) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (2).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(5) In this section:	(5) In this section:	
anniversary date means the date in each year that is the same as the date in the year the certificate expires.	anniversary date means the date in each year that is the same as the date in the year the certificate expires.	
85 Renewal of maritime labour certificate (MLC)	87 Renewal of maritime labour certificate (MLC)	Provides clarity.
(1) A person may apply, before a maritime labour certificate (MLC) expires, for the renewal of the certificate in accordance with the process set out in <i>Marine Order 1 (Administration) 2013</i> .	(1) For paragraph 44(1)(b) of the Navigation Act, an issuing body may issue a new certificate (renewal) if satisfied that the following criteria are met:	
(2) If an application is made under subsection (1), the vessel must be inspected for the matters mentioned in Appendix A5-I of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order.	<ul> <li>(a) an application has been made under section 84 before the maritime labour certificate (MLC) expires;</li> <li>(b) the vessel has been inspected for the matters mentioned</li> </ul>	
(3) If an issuing body is satisfied that the vessel complies with the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order, it may issue a new	in Appendix A5-I of the Maritime Labour Convention and compliance with this Marine Order.	
certificate:	(2) Then new certificate commences:	
<ul> <li>(a) if the application is made within 3 months before the expiry     of the existing certificate — from the date it was due to     expire; or</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) if the application is made within 3 months before the expiry of the existing certificate — from the date it was due to expire; or</li> </ul>	
(b) if the application is made more than 3 months before the expiry of the existing certificate — from the date the inspection requirements for renewal were met.	(b) if the application is made more than 3 months before the expiry of the existing certificate — from the date the inspection requirements for renewal were met	
86 Criteria for revocation	88 Criteria for revocation	Provides clarity and
For section 46 of the Navigation Act, the criteria for revocation of a maritime labour certificate (MLC) are that:	For section 46 of the Navigation Act, the criterion for revocation of a maritime labour certificate (MLC) is:	reflects the requirements in the current MLC.

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	(a) the vessel no longer complies with the Maritime Labour Convention or this Order; or			ne <mark>re is evidence that the</mark> vessel no longer complies ith the Maritime Labour Convention or this Order; or	Duplication has been removed.
	<ul><li>(b) the vessel is not endorsed by an issuing body following an inspection required under section 84; or</li></ul>			ne vessel is not endorsed by an issuing body following n inspection required under section 84; or	Temoved.
	(c) the vessel changes flag; or		(c) th	ne vessel changes flag; or	
	(d) the ownership of the vessel changes; or		(d) th	ne ownership of the vessel changes; or	
	<ul> <li>(e) a substantial alteration is made to the vessel's structure or equipment to which Title 3 of the Maritime Labour Convention applies; or</li> </ul>		or	substantial alteration is made to the vessel's structure requipment to which Title 3 of the Maritime Labour onvention applies; or	
	(f) the issuing body decides that the vessel does not comply with this Order; or		. ,	ny corrective action the vessel owner is required to lke is not taken.	
	(g) any corrective action the vessel owner is required to take is not taken.				
Divis	ion <del>17</del> Interim maritime labour certificates (MLC)	Divisio	on <mark>18</mark>	Interim maritime labour certificates (MLC)	
87	Application for interim maritime labour certificate (MLC)	<mark>89</mark>	Applic	ation for interim maritime labour certificate (MLC)	
	For subsection 43(1) of the Navigation Act, an application for an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) must be made to an issuing body in writing.		an inte	bsection 43(1) of the Navigation Act, an application for rim maritime labour certificate (MLC) must be made to using body in writing.	
	Note Information on applying for an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) is available on the AMSA website at <a href="http://www.amsa.gov.au">http://www.amsa.gov.au</a> .		certifica	nformation on applying for an interim maritime labour ate (MLC) is available on the AMSA website at ww.amsa.gov.au.	
88	Criteria for interim maritime labour certificate (MLC)	90	Criteria	a for interim maritime labour certificate (MLC)	
	For paragraph 44(1)(b) of the Navigation Act, the criteria for the issue of an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) are that:			ragraph 44(1)(b) of the Navigation Act, the criteria for ue of an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) are	
	(a) any of the following:		(a) ar	ny of the following:	
	<ul><li>(i) the vessel is a new vessel that has, on delivery, been handed over to the owner;</li></ul>		(i	<ul> <li>the vessel is a new vessel that has, on delivery, been handed over to the owner;</li> </ul>	
	(ii) the flag of the vessel is changed;		(ii	i) the flag of the vessel is changed;	
	(iii) the owner has assumed responsibility for the		(iii	i) the owner has assumed responsibility for the	

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	operation of the vessel which is new to that owner; and  (b) the issuing body, having inspected the vessel for the matters mentioned in Appendix A5-I of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order, is satisfied that:  (i) the owner of the vessel has demonstrated that the vessel has adequate procedures to comply with the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order; and  (ii) the master of the vessel is familiar with the requirements of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order; and  (iii) the owner of the vessel has completed Part II of the declaration of maritime labour compliance and given it to an issuing body; and  (c) an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) has not previously been issued for the vessel.  Note For criteria for revocation of an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) — see section 86.	operation of the vessel which is new to that owner; and  (b) the issuing body, having inspected the vessel for the matters mentioned in Appendix A5-I of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order, is satisfied that:  (i) the owner of the vessel has demonstrated that the vessel has adequate procedures to comply with the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order; and  (ii) the master of the vessel is familiar with the requirements of the Maritime Labour Convention and this Order; and  (iii) the owner of the vessel has completed Part II of the declaration of maritime labour compliance and given it to an issuing body; and  (c) an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) has not previously been issued for the vessel.  Note For criteria for revocation of an interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) — see section 89.	
89	Duration of interim maritime labour certificate (MLC)  An interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) expires 6 months, or a shorter period determined by the issuing body, after it is issued.	Duration of interim maritime labour certificate (MLC)  An interim maritime labour certificate (MLC) expires 6 months, or a shorter period determined by the issuing body, after it is issued.	
Divis	sion <del>18</del> Onboard complaints	Division 19 Onboard complaints	
ol al (a	Onboard complaint procedure The owner of a vessel must ensure that the vessel has an inboard complaint procedure, for a seafarer to make a complaint illeging a breach of the Maritime Labour Convention, that:  a) seeks initially to resolve complaints at the lowest possible level; and  b) has contact information for:	<ul> <li>Onboard complaint procedure</li> <li>The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the vessel has an onboard complaint procedure, for a seafarer to make a complaint alleging a breach of the Maritime Labour Convention, that: <ul> <li>(a) seeks initially to resolve complaints at the lowest possible level; and</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

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		(1.)		
	(i) AMSA; and	(b)	has contact information for:	
	(ii) the maritime administration in the seafarers' country of residence; and		<ul><li>(i) AMSA; and</li><li>(ii) the maritime administration in the seafarers' country</li></ul>	
(c)	ensures that the confidentiality of the seafarer's complaint is maintained; and	(-)	of residence; and	
(d)	provides that a seafarer making a complaint must be able	(c)	ensures that the confidentiality of the seafarer's complaint is maintained; and	
	to give the complaint to any of the following:  (i) the seafarer's superior officer;	(d)	provides that a seafarer making a complaint must be able to give the complaint to any of the following:	
	(ii) the head of the seafarer's department;		(i)the seafarer's superior officer;	
	(iii) the master of the vessel;		(ii) the head of the seafarer's department;	
	(iv) the owner of the vessel or the owner's		(iii) the master of the vessel;	
	representative; and		(iv) the owner of the vessel or the owner's	
(e)	provides that a seafarer must also be able to file the		representative; and	
	complaint with any of the following:  (i) AMSA;	(e)	provides that a seafarer must also be able to file the complaint with any of the following:	
	(ii) the maritime administration of the country in which		(i)AMSA;	
	the vessel is located;		(ii) the maritime administration of the country in which	
	(iii)any person who may have an interest in the seafarers' health and wellbeing; and		the vessel is located;	
(f)	provides that a seafarer making a complaint must be able:		(iii) any person who may have an interest in the seafarers' health and wellbeing; and	
	(i) to get assistance from another person, including an	(f)	provides that a seafarer making a complaint must be able:	
	official or delegate of a seafarers' representative organisation; and		<ul> <li>to get assistance from another person, including an official or delegate of a seafarers' representative</li> </ul>	
	(ii) to be accompanied or represented throughout the complaint procedures; and		organisation; and  (ii) to be accompanied or represented throughout the	
(g)	provides that:		complaint procedures; and	
	(i) if the head of department or superior officer receives a complaint, he or she must take action within 7 days to resolve the matter in accordance with the onboard complaint procedure; and	(g)	provides that:  (i) if the head of department or superior officer receives a complaint, he or she must take action within 7 days to resolve the matter in accordance with the	
	(ii) if the seafarer who made the complaint is not		onboard complaint procedure; and	

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satisfied that the matter has been resolved by the head of department or superior officer, the seafarer may give the complaint to the master; and	(ii) if the seafarer who made the complaint is not satisfied that the matter has been resolved by the head of department or superior officer, the seafarer may give the complaint to the master; and	
<ul><li>(iii) if the master receives a complaint, the master must attempt to resolve it personally.</li></ul>	(iii) if the master receives a complaint, the master must	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	attempt to resolve it personally.	
(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
subsection (1).  Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	
	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
91 Copy of procedure	93 Copy of procedure	
(1) The owner of a vessel must ensure that a copy of the onboard complaint procedure is available to seafarers on board the vessel.	(1) The owner of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a copy of the onboard complaint procedure is available to seafarers on board the vessel.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
92 Complaint not resolved on board	94 Complaint not resolved on board	
(1) If a complaint is not resolved on board the vessel, the master of the vessel must refer it ashore, within the earlier of 7 days or arrival at the next port, to the owner of the vessel.	(1) If a complaint is not resolved on board the vessel, the master of the vessel must refer it ashore, within the earlier of 7 days or arrival at the next port, to the owner of the vessel.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	(2) An offence against subsection (1) is a strict liability offence.	
(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	(3) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1).	
Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
Note The seafarer may take action under the Fair Work Act 2009 to	Note The seafarer may take action under the Fair Work Act 2009 to	

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stop being bullied at work. <i>Guidance on Eliminating Shipboard Harassment and Bullying</i> published by the International Chamber of Shipping and International Transport Workers' Federation is on the ICS website at <a href="https://www.ics-shipping.org">www.ics-shipping.org</a> .	stop being bullied at work. Guidance on Eliminating Shipboard Harassment and Bullying published by the International Chamber of Shipping and International Transport Workers' Federation is on the ICS website at www.ics-shipping.org.	
93 Recording complaints	95 Recording complaints	
(1) The master of a vessel must ensure that details mentioned in subsection (2) of a complaint that is made on board by a seafarer, and any outcomes, are recorded, but not in the official log book.	(1) The master of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that details mentioned in subsection (2) of a complaint that is made on board by a seafarer, and any outcomes, are recorded, but not in the official log book.	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(2) For subsection (1), the details are:	(2) For subsection (1), the details are:	
(a) the date and time when the complaint was made; and	(a) the date and time when the complaint was made; and	
(b) to whom it was made; and	(b) to whom it was made; and	
(c) the nature of the complaint; and	(c) the nature of the complaint; and	
<ul><li>(d) any outcomes from the onboard complaints procedure; and</li></ul>	(d) any outcomes from the onboard complaints procedure; and	
(e) if the complaint has not been resolved — any additional action taken to expedite the matter, including whether or not the matter has been referred ashore to the vessel owner to resolve.	(e) if the complaint has not been resolved — any additional action taken to expedite the matter, including whether or not the matter has been referred ashore to the vessel owner to resolve.	
(3) The master of a vessel must ensure that a copy of the record of the complaint is given to the seafarer who made the complaint.	(3) The master of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that a copy of the record of the complaint is given to the seafarer who	
Penalty: 50 penalty units.	made the complaint.	
(4) An offence against subsection (1) or (3) is a strict liability offence.	Penalty: 50 penalty units.	
(5) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes	(4) An offence against subsection (1) or (3) is a strict liability offence.	
subsection (1) or (3).  Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	<ul><li>(5) A person is liable to a civil penalty if the person contravenes subsection (1) or (3).</li><li>Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.</li></ul>	
94 No adverse action	96 No adverse action	
A person must not take adverse action against a seafarer in response to the seafarer making or proposing to make a	A person must not take adverse action against a seafarer in response to the seafarer making or proposing to make a	

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complair			compla		
	nis section does not affect the right of a person to take a vexatious or malicious complaint.			his section does not affect the right of a person to take n a vexatious or malicious complaint.	
Civil	l penalty:50 penalty units.			Civil penalty: 50 penalty units.	
Division <del>19</del>	Onshore complaints	Di	vision <mark>20</mark>	Onshore complaints	
			Note This I foreign vess	Division applies to a regulated Australian vessel and a el.	
	tion of Division 19 ision applies to a regulated Australian vessel and a vessel.				This section is not required anymore, as application only to regulated Australian vessels are specified under each section.
96 Report	of Maritime Labour Convention breach	97	Report	of Maritime Labour Convention breach	
voyage to ar	n a vessel that is in an Australian port, or is on a n Australian port, may report a complaint alleging a e Maritime Labour Convention to AMSA.	(1)	voyage to a	on a vessel that is in an Australian port, or is on a in Australian port, may report a complaint alleging a ne Maritime Labour Convention to AMSA.	
of a vessel the Australian po	with an interest in the living and working conditions hat is in an Australian port, or is on a voyage to an ort, may report a complaint alleging a breach of the pour Convention to AMSA.	(2)	a vessel tha Australian p	with an interest in the living and working conditions of at is in an Australian port, or is on a voyage to an port, may report a complaint alleging a breach of the abour Convention to AMSA.	
must investig	eives a complaint under subsection (1) or (2), AMSA gate the complaint and act in accordance with its under MLC regulations 5.1.4, 5.2.1 and 5.2.2.	(3)	must invest	ceives a complaint under subsection (1) or (2), AMSA igate the complaint and act in accordance with its under MLC regulations 5.1.4, 5.2.1 and 5.2.2.	
	rmation on AMSA's procedures for handling seafarer s available on the AMSA website at msa.gov.au.		complaints	ormation on AMSA's procedures for handling seafarer is available on the AMSA website at amsa.gov.au.	
the powers o	AMSA inspector may investigate a complaint and exercise of inspectors, including the giving of directions — see Part 4, of the Navigation Act.		the powers	AMSA inspector may investigate a complaint and exercise of inspectors, including the giving of directions — see Part 4, of the Navigation Act.	
Navigation A	SA may detain a vessel under section 248 of the act if an AMSA inspector reasonably suspects that the seaworthy or substandard, or that the vessel has been, is		Navigation A	MSA may detain a vessel under section 248 of the Act if an AMSA inspector reasonably suspects that the seaworthy or substandard, or that the vessel has been, is or	

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	only if, am	nvolved in a contravention of the Act. A vessel is seaworthy ong other things, the living and working conditions board the not pose a threat to the health, safety or welfare of the eafarers — see Navigation Act, s 23.		if, among of vessel do n	ved in a contravention of the Act. A vessel is seaworthy only her things, the living and working conditions on board the ot pose a threat to the health, safety or welfare of the safarers — see Navigation Act, s 23.	
Div	ision <del>20</del>	Official log book	Di	vision <mark>21</mark>	Official log book	
<del>97</del>	Recor	d keeping — official log book	97	Record	keeping — official log book	
` ,	in Schedul	er of a vessel must ensure that the matters mentioned le 12, for events that occur while the person is the the vessel, are recorded by an entry in the official log	(i)	matters me	of a regulated Australian vessel must ensure that the ntioned in Schedule 12, for events that occur while the e master of the vessel, are recorded by an entry in bog book.	
(2)	An entry in	the official log book must be:	(ii)	An entry in	the official log book must be:	
	. ,	as soon as practicable after the event to which it es; and		(a) made a	as soon as practicable after the event to which it ; and	
	` '	to show the date of occurrence of the event and the of entry.		` '	o show the date of occurrence of the event and the fentry.	
	An entry in entry by:	the official log book must be signed at the time of	(iii)	) An entry in entry by:	the official log book must be signed at the time of	
	(a) the m	naster; and		(a) the ma	ster; and	
	(b) an off	ficer or another seafarer.		(b) an offic	cer or another seafarer.	
		n the official log book for a death, injury or illness must at the time of entry by each of the following:	(iv)		the official log book for a death, injury or illness must the time of entry by each of the following:	
	(a) the m	naster;		(a) the ma	aster;	
	(b) an off	ficer;		(b) an office	cer;	
	(c) anoth	ner seafarer;		(c) anothe	er seafarer;	
		vessel carries a qualified medical practitioner on board seafarer — the qualified medical practitioner.			essel carries a qualified medical practitioner on board eafarer — the qualified medical practitioner.	
		entry in the official log book for a birth is made, the tbe signed as soon as practicable by:	(v)		ntry in the official log book for a birth is made, the be signed as soon as practicable by:	
	(a) the m	nother or father of the child; and		(a) the mo	other or father of the child; and	
	(b) anoth	ner person, if any, present at the birth of the child.		(b) anothe	er person, if any, present at the birth of the child.	

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Division 21 Transitional provisions		
98 Definition of war zone For a work agreement entered into before the commencement of this Order:  war zone means a zone agreed, by the owner of the vessel and the seafarer, to be a war zone.		This section was based on an older transitional provision and is not required anymore as it is already in the definitions section.
Schedule 1 Seafarer recruitment and placement service — conditions of registration	Schedule 1 Seafarer recruitment and placement service — conditions of registration	
(section 17)	(section 17 and 19)	
The conditions of registration for a seafarer and placement service are that:	The conditions of registration for a seafarer and placement service are that:	
<ul> <li>(a) AMSA may undertake, on provision of reasonable notice, an audit to determine whether the service complies with the conditions of registration; and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) AMSA may undertake, on provision of reasonable notice, an audit to determine whether the service complies with the conditions of registration; and</li> </ul>	
(b) the service may charge a fee for a service to a seafarer only if it is for obtaining any of the following:	(b) the service may charge a fee for a service to a seafarer only if it is for obtaining any of the following:	
<ul><li>(i) a medical certificate of fitness in accordance with Marine Order 76 (Health — medical fitness) 2017;</li></ul>	(i) a medical certificate of fitness in accordance with <i>Marine Order 76 (Health — medical fitness) 2017</i> ;	
(ii) a seafarer's qualification in accordance with <i>Marine</i> Order 70 (Seafarer certification) 2014;	(ii) a seafarer's qualification in accordance with <i>Marine</i> Order 70 (Seafarer certification) 2014;	
(iii) a national seafarer's record book;	(iii) a national seafarer's record book;	
(iv) a passport;	(iv) a passport;	
<ul><li>(v) a travel document, other than a visa, that is necessary for the duties that the seafarer is going to undertake.</li></ul>	<ul><li>(v) a travel document, other than a visa, that is necessary for the duties that the seafarer is going to undertake; and</li></ul>	
(c) the service must have a register of persons recruited or	(c) the service must have a register of persons recruited or	

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	placed, that includes information on:		placed, that includes information on:
	(i) the seafarer's medical examination; and		(i) the seafarer's medical examination; and
	(ii) the seafarer's identity documents; and		(ii) the seafarer's identity documents; and
	(iii) any fees charged under paragraph (b); and		(iii)any fees charged under paragraph (b); and
	(iv) other items that the seafarer has to provide to get employment; and		(iv) other items that the seafarer has to provide to get employment; and
(d)	the service must keep the following records about persons recruited or placed to work on a vessel:	(d)	the service must keep the following records about persons recruited or placed to work on a vessel:
	(i)the seafarer's qualifications;		(i) the seafarer's qualifications;
	(ii)the seafarer's record of employment;		(ii) the seafarer's record of employment;
	(iii)personal data relevant to employment;		(iii)personal data relevant to employment;
	(iv)medical data relevant to employment;		(iv) medical data relevant to employment; and
(e)	the service must ensure, for each seafarer for whom it provides services, that:	(e)	for each seafarer for whom it provides services, the service must ensure that:
	(i) the seafarer is qualified to carry out the duties for which he or she is employed; and		(i) the seafarer is qualified to carry out the duties for which he or she is employed; and
	(ii) the seafarer holds the documents necessary for the work; and		(ii) the seafarer holds the documents necessary for the work; and
	(iii) the seafarer's work agreements are in accordance with law that applies to them;		(iii)the seafarer's work agreements are in accordance with law that applies to them; and
(f)	the service must:	(f)	the service must:
	(i) ensure that certificates and documents submitted for employment are up to date; and		(i) ensure that certificates and documents submitted for employment are up to date; and
	(ii) verify employment references; and		(ii) verify employment references; and
	(iii) keep a record of each vessel for which the service provides the seafarer recruitment and placement service; and		(iii) keep a record of each vessel for which the service provides the seafarer recruitment and placement service; and
	(iv) ensure that each seafarer is told about his or her rights and duties under an employment agreement; and		(iv) ensure that there is a means by which the services can be contacted in an emergency at all hours; and
	(v) ensure that each seafarer is able to examine the		(v) investigate any complaint about its activities

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employment agreement before and after it is signed; and  (vi) ensure that each seafarer receives a copy of the employment agreement;  (vii) when placing a seafarer on a vessel — to the extent practicable ensure that the owner of the vessel is insured to protect seafarers from being stranded in a foreign port; and  (viii) ensure that it has in place insurance to compensate a seafarer for any monetary loss the seafarer incurs, caused by the service provider failing to meet a legal obligation to the seafarer; and  (ix) ensure that there is a means by which the services can be contacted in an emergency at all hours; and investigate any complaint about its activities and tell AMSA if a complaint is unresolved.	and tell AMSA if a complaint is unresolved; and  (vi) not deduct wages paid as a result of any reimbursement of wages to a seafarer when an underpayment has been identified and paid; and  (g) ensure the following protections are met for each seafarer:  (i) explaining their rights and duties under a work agreement;  (ii) providing the work agreement for examination before it is signed; and  (iii) providing a copy of the work agreement after it is signed;  (iv) insurance, or equivalent measure, is in place to compensate for any monetary loss the seafarer incurs caused by:  (A) the service provider failing to meet a legal obligation to the seafarer; or  (B) the shipowner failing to meet its obligations under a work agreement;  (v) explaining the insurance arrangement, or equivalent measure, in place to protect the seafarer;  (vi) when placing a seafarer on a vessel — to the extent practicable ensure that the owner of the vessel is insured to protect seafarers from being stranded in a foreign port.	Included to ensure the seafarers' entitlements are met appropriately.  Amended to reflect the changes to the MLC and address the ILO "Direct Request".  Includes the direct request
Schedule 2 Working conditions for seafarers under 18 years (subsection 20(5))	Schedule 2 Working conditions for seafarers under 18 years (subsection 20(5))	
A seafarer under 18 years must not work more than:  (a) 8 hours in any 24 hours; and  (b) 40 hours in 7 days.  In the circumstances mentioned in clause 3, the seafarer:  (a) may work more than the hours mentioned in clause 1; and	<ol> <li>1 A seafarer under 18 years must not work more than:         <ul> <li>(a) 8 hours in any 24 hours; and</li> <li>(b) 40 hours in 7 days.</li> </ul> </li> <li>2 In the circumstances mentioned in clause 3, the seafarer:         <ul> <li>(a) may work more than the hours mentioned in clause 1;</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	

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	(b)	must be given compensatory rest period for any additional hours worked.		i	and	
3	For claus	e 2, the circumstances are any of the following:			must be given compensatory rest period for any additional hours worked.	
	(a)	an emergency, including circumstances in which the immediate safety of the vessel, a person on board or	3	For clause	2, the circumstances are any of the following:	
		cargo is at risk;			an emergency, including circumstances in which the	
	(b)	assistance must be given to another vessel or person in distress at sea;			immediate safety of the vessel, a person on board or cargo is at risk;	
	(c)	a drill is being conducted;		, ,	assistance must be given to another vessel or person in	
	(d)	essential shipboard work that:			distress at sea;	
		<ul><li>(i) cannot be delayed for safety or environmental reasons; and</li></ul>		(c)	a drill is being conducted;	
		(ii) could not reasonably have been anticipated when		(d)	essential shipboard work that:	
4	The east	the voyage started.			(i) cannot be delayed for safety or environmental reasons; and	
+		arer must have: a break of at least 1 hour for the main meal of the day;			(ii) could not reasonably have been anticipated when	
	(a)	and			the voyage started.	
	(b)	a 15 minute rest as soon as possible after 2 hours of continuous work.	4	The seafar	er must have:	
5	However,	clause 4 does not apply if:			a break of at least 1 hour for the main meal of the day; and	
	(a)	it is impracticable for seafarers assigned to				
		watchkeeping duties or on a rostered shift work system that are in:		, ,	a 15 minute rest as soon as possible after 2 hours of continuous work.	
		(i) the deck; or	5	However, o	clause 4 does not apply if:	
		(ii) the engine room; or			it is impracticable for seafarers assigned to	
		(iii) the catering department; or			watchkeeping duties or on a rostered shift work system that are in:	
	(b)	the scheduled training of seafarers would be impaired in accordance with guidelines set by AMSA.			(i) the deck; or	
6		arer may perform the following tasks only under on and instruction:			(ii) the engine room; or	
	(a)	lifting, moving or carrying heavy loads or objects,		(	(iii) the catering department; or	
	(-7	unless AMSA has determined that the seafarer is competent to do so;			the scheduled training of seafarers would be impaired in accordance with guidelines set by AMSA.	
	(b)	entering boilers, tanks and other confined spaces;	6		er may perform the following tasks only under	
	(c)	operating power machinery and tools, or acting as a			, ,	

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signaller to the person operating power machinery and tools;  (d) handling mooring lines, tow lines or anchoring equipment;  (e) working aloft or on deck in heavy weather.  7 The master of the vessel must keep a signed record of each occasion to which clause 5 applies and the reasons for it.	supervision and instruction:  (a) lifting, moving or carrying heavy loads or objects, unless AMSA has determined that the seafarer is competent to do so;  (b) entering boilers, tanks and other confined spaces;  (c) operating power machinery and tools, or acting as a signaller to the person operating power machinery and tools;  (d) handling mooring lines, tow lines or anchoring equipment;  (e) working aloft or on deck in heavy weather.  7 The master of the vessel must keep a signed record of each occasion to which clause 5 applies and the reasons for it.	
Schedule 3 Seafarer's work agreement information (subsection 21(1))	Schedule 3 Seafarer's work agreement information (subsection 21(1))	
The seafarer's full name, address and date of birth, or, if the seafarer's date of birth is unknown, the seafarer's estimated age.	The seafarer's full name, address and date of birth, or, if the seafarer's date of birth is unknown, the seafarer's estimated age.	
2 The seafarer's birthplace.	2 The seafarer's birthplace.	
3 The vessel owner's full name and address.	3 The vessel owner's full name and address.	
4 The vessel operator's full name and address.	4 The vessel operator's full name and address.	
5 The employer's full name and address.	5 The employer's full name and address.	
6 The place where the seafarer's employment agreement is entered into.	6 The place where the seafarer's employment agreement is entered into.	
7 The date the seafarer's employment agreement is entered into.	7 The date the seafarer's employment agreement is entered into.	
8 The role the seafarer is employed or engaged to do.	8 The role the seafarer is employed or engaged to do.	
9 The amount of the seafarer's wage.	9 The amount of the seafarer's wage.	
10 The amount of paid leave or the formula used for calculating it.	10 The amount of paid leave or the formula used for calculating it.	
11 The terms for the termination of the agreement and conditions of termination.	11 The terms for the termination of the agreement and conditions of termination.	

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12 The date for expiry of the agreement, if any.	12 The date for expiry of the agreement, if any.	
13 If the agreement has been made for the duration of a single voyage:	13 If the agreement has been made for the duration of a single voyage:	
(a) the port of destination;	(a) the port of destination;	
(b) the time that has to elapse after arrival at the port before the agreement expires.	(b) the time that has to elapse after arrival at the port before the agreement expires.	
14 Any health or social security protection benefits to be provided for the seafarer by the owner of the vessel.	14 Any health or social security protection benefits to be provided for the seafarer by the owner of the vessel.	
15 The seafarer's entitlement to payment of wages and other benefits under the work agreement if the seafarer is held captive	15 The seafarer's entitlement to payment of wages and other benefits under the work agreement if:	Provides clarity and reflects the requirements
on or off the vessel as a result of an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against vessels.	<ul> <li>there is loss or foundering of the vessel resulting in sickness or injury; or</li> </ul>	of the MLC.
16 The seafarer's entitlement to repatriation including repatriation following an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against vessels.	<ul> <li>(b) the seafarer is held captive on or off the vessel as a result of an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against ships.</li> </ul>	
17 The seafarer's home port.	16 The seafarer's entitlement to repatriation including repatriation	
18 A mention of the collective agreement or award that applies to the seafarer.	following an act of piracy or an act of armed robbery against ships.	
19 If the collective agreement applies to the seafarer — how the	17 The seafarer's home port.	
seafarer can obtain a copy of the agreement.	18 A mention of any award that applies to the seafarer.	
20 A list of the geographic location of war zones, if any.	19 If a collective agreement applies to the seafarer — a copy of that agreement.	
	20 A list of the geographic location of war zones, if any.	
	Note Information on zones that may be classified as war zones can be found on the International Transport Federation website at <a href="https://www.itfglobal.org">https://www.itfglobal.org</a> .	
Schedule 4 Sleeping rooms (paragraph 41(1)(b))	Schedule 4 Sleeping rooms (paragraph 41(1)(b))	
The sleeping rooms must be arranged and allocated:	The sleeping rooms must be arranged and allocated:	
(a) to separate watches; and	(a) to separate watches; and	
(b) to ensure that no seafarer working during the day	(b) to ensure that no seafarer working during the day	

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	shares a room with a watchkeeper.		shares a room with a watchkeeper.	
2	A sleeping room must have, for each occupant, the following items:	2	A sleeping room must have, for each occupant, the following items:	
	(a) a mirror;		(a) a mirror;	
	(b) a small cabinet for toiletries;		(b) a small cabinet for toiletries;	
	(c) a book rack;		(c) a book rack;	
	(d) coat hooks;		(d) coat hooks;	
	(e) curtains or equivalent window coverings for side lights.		(e) curtains or equivalent window coverings for side lights.	
3	Furniture in a sleeping room must be made of a smooth, hard, material unlikely to warp or corrode.	3	Furniture in a sleeping room must be made of a smooth, hard, material unlikely to warp or corrode.	
4	There must not be any direct openings into sleeping rooms from any of the following areas:	4	There must not be any direct openings into sleeping rooms from any of the following areas:	
	(a) cargo spaces;		(a) cargo spaces;	
	(b) machinery spaces;		(b) machinery spaces;	
	(c) galleys;		(c) galleys;	
	(d) storerooms;		(d) storerooms;	
	(e) drying rooms;		(e) drying rooms;	
	(f) communal sanitary areas.		(f) communal sanitary areas.	
5	Any part of a bulkhead separating the sleeping rooms must be:	5	Any part of a bulkhead separating the sleeping rooms must be:	
	<ul> <li>(a) constructed of materials in accordance with Marine Order 15 (Construction — Fire prevention, fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and</li> </ul>		(a) constructed of materials in accordance with Marine Order 15 (Construction — Fire prevention, fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and	
	(b) watertight; and		(b) watertight; and	
	(c) gastight.		(c) gastight.	
Ş	Schedule 5 Sleeping berths (subsection 42(1))	5	Schedule 5 Sleeping berths (subsection 41(1))	
1	Each seafarer must have a separate sleeping berth that is at least 198 cm by 80 cm.	1	Each seafarer must have a separate sleeping berth that is at least 198 cm by 80 cm.	

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2	Sleeping berths must be arranged as follows:	2	Sleeping berths must be arranged as follows:
	(a) no more than 2 tiers; and		(a) no more than 2 tiers; and
	<ul><li>(b) for a berth placed along the vessel's side — 1 tier where a sidelight is situated above a berth; and</li></ul>		(b) for a berth placed along the vessel's side — 1 tier where a sidelight is situated above a berth; and
	(c) for a double tier berth:		(c) for a double tier berth:
	<ul><li>(i) the lower tier must be at least 30 cm above the floor; and</li></ul>		(i) the lower tier must be at least 30 cm above the floor; and
	(ii) the upper berth must be:		(ii) the upper berth must be:
	<ul> <li>(A) midway between the bottom of the lower berth and the lower side of the deckhead beams;</li> <li>and</li> </ul>		(A) midway between the bottom of the lower berth and the lower side of the deckhead beams; and
	(B) fitted with a safety or guard rail; and		(B) fitted with a safety or guard rail; and
	(C) fitted with a ladder or stairs firmly secured to a deck, deckhead or bulkhead.		(C) fitted with a ladder or stairs firmly secured to a deck, deckhead or bulkhead.
	Note for subparagraph (c)(i) The height of the mattress is not included in this measurement.		Note for subparagraph (c)(i) The height of the mattress is not included in this measurement.
3	The framework and lee-board of a berth must be:	3	The framework and lee-board of a berth must be:
	<ul> <li>(a) made of material in accordance with Marine Order 15         (Construction — Fire prevention, fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and</li> </ul>		(a) made of material in accordance with <i>Marine Order 15</i> (Construction — Fire prevention, fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and
	(b) hard, smooth and unlikely to corrode or harbour vermin.		(b) hard, smooth and unlikely to corrode or harbour vermin.
4	The owner of a vessel must ensure that each berth is fitted with a mattress that:	4	The owner of a vessel must ensure that each berth is fitted with a mattress that:
	(a) is comfortable as with a cushioning bottom; or		(a) is comfortable as with a cushioning bottom; or
	<ul><li>(b) has cushioning with a spring bottom or spring mattress; and</li></ul>		(b) has cushioning with a spring bottom or spring mattress; and
	(c) has approved cushioning material; and		(c) has approved cushioning material; and
	(d) is made of material is that is unlikely to harbour vermin.		(d) is made of material is that is unlikely to harbour vermin.
5	If a berth is placed over another, the owner of the vessel must ensure that a dust-proof bottom is fitted on the upper berth under	5	If a berth is placed over another, the owner of the vessel must ensure that a dust-proof bottom is fitted on the upper berth under

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the botton	m mattress or the spring bottom.	the bottor	m mattress or the spring bottom.	
Schedule 6	6 Heating (subsection 49(1))	Schedule	6 Heating (subsection 48(1))	
The heating	system must have each of the following characteristics:	The heating	system must have each of the following characteristics:	
(a)	when seafarers are living on board, the system of heating the seafarer accommodation must be capable of operation at all times;	(a)	when seafarers are living on board, the system of heating the seafarer accommodation must be capable of operation at all times;	
(b)	the heating system must use:	(b)	the heating system must use:	
	(i) hot water; or		(i) hot water; or	
	(ii) warm air; or		(ii) warm air; or	
	(iii) electricity;		(iii) electricity;	
(c)	steam must not be used as a medium for heat transmission;	(c)	steam must not be used as a medium for heat transmission;	
(d)	it must be capable of maintaining the temperature in seafarer accommodation to ISO standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time, under normal conditions of weather and climate in which the vessel operates;	(d)	it must be capable of maintaining the temperature in seafarer accommodation to ISO standard 7547/2002 Ships and marine technology — Air-conditioning and ventilation of accommodation spaces — Design conditions and basis of calculations, as in force from time to time, under normal conditions of weather and climate in which the vessel operates;	
(e)	radiators and other heating apparatus must be placed and shielded to avoid the risk of fire, danger, or discomfort to the occupant.	(e)	radiators and other heating apparatus must be placed and shielded to avoid the risk of fire, danger, or discomfort to the occupant.	
Schedule	7 Mess room (subsection (1))	Schedule	7 Mess room (section 50)	
1 The mess	s room must:	1 The mess	s room must:	
(a)	be located as close to possible to the galley; and	(a)	be located as close to possible to the galley; and	
(b)	be located as far as possible from sleeping rooms; and	(b)	be located as far as possible from sleeping rooms; and	
(c)	be of adequate size and comfort; and	(c)	be of adequate size and comfort; and	
(d)	have ongoing facilities for refreshment; and	(d)	have ongoing facilities for refreshment; and	
(e)	have a floor area of at least 1.5 m² per person of the	(e)	have a floor area of at least 1.5 m² per person of the	

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	planned seating capacity; and		р	planned seating capacity; and	
	(f) have tables and seats that:		(f) h	nave tables and seats that:	
	<ul> <li>(i) are appropriate and sufficient in number to accommodate the greatest number of seafarers likely to use them at the same time; and</li> </ul>		(	<ul> <li>(i) are appropriate and sufficient in number to accommodate the greatest number of seafarers likely to use them at the same time; and</li> </ul>	
	<ul><li>(ii) have tops that are made of damp-resistant material; and</li></ul>		(i	<ul><li>ii) have tops that are made of damp-resistant material; and</li></ul>	
	(iii) have tops that are unlikely to harbor vermin; and		(ii	ii) have tops that are unlikely to harbor vermin; and	
	(g) be equipped with a refrigerator that is:		(g) b	be equipped with a refrigerator that is:	
	(i) conveniently situated; and		(	(i) conveniently situated; and	
	<ul><li>(ii) of sufficient capacity for the number of persons using the mess room; and</li></ul>		(i	<ul> <li>ii) of sufficient capacity for the number of persons using the mess room; and</li> </ul>	
	(h) have facilities for hot beverages and cool water.		(h) h	nave facilities for hot beverages and cool water.	
2	If pantries for storage are not accessible from a mess room, the mess room must have:	2	If pantries for mess room	or storage are not accessible from a mess room, the must have:	
	<ul> <li>(a) lockers suitable in size and design to contain utensils for the seafarers on board; and</li> </ul>			ockers suitable in size and design to contain utensils or the seafarers on board; and	
	(b) facilities for washing and drying utensils hygienically.		(b) fa	acilities for washing and drying utensils hygienically.	
3	The owner of a vessel must ensure that a mess room has quantities of mess utensils, plates and cups that are:	3		of a vessel must ensure that a mess room has f mess utensils, plates and cups that are:	
	(a) of an approved material; and		(a) o	of an approved material; and	
	(b) easily cleanable; and		(b) e	easily cleanable; and	
	(c) appropriate in number.		(c) a	appropriate in number.	
4	Seating between a table and a bulkhead, or a vessel's side must have a clearance of at least 635 mm.	4	•	ween a table and a bulkhead, or a vessel's side must rance of at least 635 mm.	
5	The width of a table must be at least:	5	The width of	f a table must be at least:	
	(a) if seats are provided along both sides — 760 mm; or		(a) if	f seats are provided along both sides — 760 mm; or	
	(b) if seats are provided only on 1 side — 380 mm.		(b) if	f seats are provided only on 1 side — 380 mm.	
6	Each mess room must have enough single chairs for each person	6	Each mess	room must have enough single chairs for each person	

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using the room at the same time.	using the room at the same time.	
7 A mess room chair must have arm rests, unless there are chairs with arm rests in a separate recreation room.	7 A mess room chair must have arm rests, unless there are chairs with arm rests in a separate recreation room.	
8 Instead of chairs, settees may be provided that:	8 Instead of chairs, settees may be provided that:	
(a) are at least 380 millimetres wide; and	(a) are at least 380 millimetres wide; and	
(b) have upholstered or padded seats; and	(b) have upholstered or padded seats; and	
(c) have comfortably shaped backs.	(c) have comfortably shaped backs.	
Schedule 8 Minimum standards for sanitary facilities (section 54)	Schedule 8 Minimum standards for sanitary facilities (section 54)	
1 Sanitary facilities on a vessel must:	1 Sanitary facilities on a vessel must:	
(a) be separate for men and women; and	(a) be separate for men and women; and	
(b) be at a convenient location; and	(b) be at a convenient location; and	
(c) have, for every 6 persons or less who do not have a private bathroom, at least a toilet, wash basin and shower.	(c) have, for every 6 persons or less who do not have a private bathroom, at least a toilet, wash basin and shower.	
A vessel that is not a passenger vessel must have, in each sleeping room without a private bathroom, a washbasin with hot and cold running fresh water.	2 A vessel that is not a passenger vessel must have, in each sleeping room without a private bathroom, a washbasin with hot and cold running fresh water.	
Sanitary facilities used by at least 2 persons must be situated convenient to and separate from sleeping rooms.	3 Sanitary facilities used by at least 2 persons must be situated convenient to and separate from sleeping rooms.	
If there are at least 2 toilets in a compartment, the toilets must be sufficiently screened to ensure privacy.	4 If there are at least 2 toilets in a compartment, the toilets must be sufficiently screened to ensure privacy.	
5 Showers must be screened for privacy.	5 Showers must be screened for privacy.	
There must be sanitary facilities easily accessible from the following places:	6 There must be sanitary facilities easily accessible from the following places:	
(a) the navigation bridge;	(a) the navigation bridge;	
(b) the mess room;	(b) the mess room;	
(c) the machinery space;	(c) the machinery space;	

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(d)	) the engine room control centre.		(d) the engine room control centre.	
Washba	asins, showers and baths must:	7	Washbasins, showers and baths must:	
(a)	) have hot and cold running fresh water; and		(a) have hot and cold running fresh water; and	
(b)	) be of a size adequate for washing a seafarer; and		(b) be of a size adequate for washing a seafarer; and	
(c)	be constructed of suitable material; and		(c) be constructed of suitable material; and	
(d)	) have a smooth surface, not liable to crack, flake or corrode.		(d) have a smooth surface, not liable to crack, flake or corrode.	
suitable	s on a vessel must have an ample flush of water or other flushing means that is available at all times and identify controllable.	8	All toilets on a vessel must have an ample flush of water or other suitable flushing means that is available at all times and independently controllable.	
Floors in	n sanitary facilities must be:	9	Floors in sanitary facilities must be:	
(a)	) of an approved, durable material; and		(a) of an approved, durable material; and	
(b)	) impervious to damp; and		(b) impervious to damp; and	
(c)	) properly drained.		(c) properly drained.	
) Bulkhea	ads in sanitary facilities must be:	10	Bulkheads in sanitary facilities must be:	
(a)	) made of steel or other approved material; and		(a) made of steel or other approved material; and	
(b)	,		(b) watertight for at least 23 cm above the level of the deck.	
preventi	deck.  If facilities must be lit in accordance with Accident  ion on board ship and in port, published by the ILO, as in  om time to time, heated and ventilated.	11	Sanitary facilities must be lit in accordance with Accident prevention on board ship and in port, published by the ILO, as in force from time to time, heated and ventilated.	
	/ facilities must have towels, soap and toilet paper for all		Sanitary facilities must have towels, soap and toilet paper for all seafarers.	
	y facilities must have a means of preventing the escape of rom the sewage system.		Sanitary facilities must have a means of preventing the escape of gases from the sewage system.  Sanitary facilities must have a soil pipe that is constructed to	
	y facilities must have a soil pipe that is constructed to e cleaning and minimise the risk of obstruction.		facilitate cleaning and minimise the risk of obstruction.  Each shower space must have:	
Each sh	nower space must have:		(a) a soap holder; and	
(a)	) a soap holder; and		(b) a hand rail; and	

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(b) a h	nand rail; and	(c)	a kerb; and
(c) a k	kerb; and	(d)	individual drainage; and
(d) inc	dividual drainage; and	(e)	a mat or grating of non-slipping, hygienic material; and
(e) ar	mat or grating of non-slipping, hygienic material; and	(f)	either:
(f) eitl	her:		(i) a toilet seat lid suitable for sitting on; or
(i)	a toilet seat lid suitable for sitting on; or		(ii) a hinged seat next to each shower.
(ii)	a hinged seat next to each shower.		
Schedule 9	Hospital accommodation (paragraph 56(c))	Schedule	9 Hospital accommodation (paragraph 56(c))
Hospital ac	ccommodation must:	Hospita	al accommodation must:
(a) in a	all weathers:	(a)	in all weathers:
(i)	be of easy access; and		(i) be of easy access; and
(ii)	provide comfortable housing for the occupants; and		(ii) provide comfortable housing for the occupants; and
(iii)	be conducive to the patient receiving prompt and proper attention; and		(iii) be conducive to the patient receiving prompt and proper attention; and
(b) be	designed to facilitate:	(b)	be designed to facilitate:
(i)	medical consultation; and		(i) medical consultation; and
(ii)	the giving of first aid; and		(ii) the giving of first aid; and
(iii)	prevention of the spread of infectious disease; and		(iii) prevention of the spread of infectious disease; and
	ve the following, designed to ensure the comfort and cilitate the medical treatment of the occupants:	(c)	have the following, designed to ensure the comfort and facilitate the medical treatment of the occupants:
(i)	equipment;		(i) equipment;
(ii)	layout;		(ii) layout;
(iii)	furniture;		(iii) furniture;
(iv)	lighting;		(iv) lighting;
(v)	ventilation;		(v) ventilation;
(vi)	heating;		(vi) heating;

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(vii) water supply; an	d		(vii) water supply; an	d	
(d) have sanitary facilitie occupants:	s for the exclusive use of the	(d)	have sanitary facilitie occupants:	es for the exclusive use of the	
(i) as part of the hos	spital accommodation; or		(i) as part of the ho	spital accommodation; or	
(ii) in close proximity and	y to the hospital accommodation;		(ii) in close proximity and	y to the hospital accommodation;	
(e) have sanitary facilitie	s that have at least:	(e)	have sanitary facilitie	es that have at least:	
(i) 1 toilet; and			(i) 1 toilet; and		
(ii) 1 washbasin; and	d		(ii) 1 washbasin; an	d	
(iii) 1 tub or shower;	and		(iii) 1 tub or shower;	and	
(f) have hospital berths	as follows:	(f)	have hospital berths	as follows:	
Number of persons carried on board	Number of berths		mber of persons ried on board	Number of berths	
less than 75	2	les	s than 75	2	
at least 75 and less than 150	3	at I	east 75 and less than 150	3	
at least 150 and less than 200	4	at I	east 150 and less than 200	4	
at least 200 and less than 400	5	at I	east 200 and less than 400	5	
at least 400 and less than 500	8	at I	east 400 and less than 500	8	
at least 500 and less than 700	9	at I	east 500 and less than 700	9	
at least 700 and less than 900	10	at I	east 700 and less than 900	10	

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at least 900 and less than 1 200	11		at least 900 and less 11 than 1 200	
at least 1 200	the sum of:		at least 1 200 the sum of:	
	(a) 11; and		(a) 11; and	
	(b) 1 for every 300 persons more than 1 200		(b) 1 for every 300 persons more than 1 200	
Schedule 10 Galleys (subsection 61(1))		S	Schedule 10 Galleys (subsection 62(1))	
The galley must be situated as near as practicable to the seafarers' mess room.		1	The galley must be situated as near as practicable to the seafarers' mess room.	
2 The floor must have efficient scuppers.		2	The floor must have efficient scuppers.	
3 The galley must have:		3	The galley must have:	
	cal exhaust ventilation system to cooking appliances is fitted; or		<ul> <li>(a) an efficient mechanical exhaust ventilation system to draw off fumes from cooking appliances is fitted; or</li> </ul>	
(b) natural ventilation that ensures that fumes:			(b) natural ventilation that ensures that fumes:	
(i) escape to open air; and			(i) escape to open air; and	
(ii) do not remain in the galley.			(ii) do not remain in the galley.	
4 The floor must be made of material that can be easily kept clean.		4	The floor must be made of material that can be easily kept clean.	
5 A cupboard or dresser that is not flush with the deck must have clearance of at least 225 millimetres above the deck.		5	A cupboard or dresser that is not flush with the deck must have clearance of at least 225 millimetres above the deck.	
	eafarers' mess room, there must be served hot in the mess room in all	6	If the galley is not next to the seafarers' mess room, there must be equipment to enable food to be served hot in the mess room in all weather.	
Schedule 11 Dry provision stores (subsection 62(2))		S	Schedule 11 Dry provision stores (subsection 63(2))	
1 Dry provision stores must:		1	Dry provision stores must:	
(a) be enclosed by bulkheads constructed in accordance with <i>Marine Order 15 (Construction — fire protection,</i>			<ul> <li>(a) be enclosed by bulkheads constructed in accordance with Marine Order 15 (Construction — fire protection,</li> </ul>	

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fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and	fire detection and fire extinction) 2014; and	
(b) be situated, constructed and ventilated to avoid deterioration of the stores caused by:	<ul><li>(b) be situated, constructed and ventilated to avoid deterioration of the stores caused by:</li></ul>	
(i) heat draught; or	(i) heat draught; or	
(ii) condensation; or	(ii) condensation; or	
(iii) infestation by insects or vermin.	(iii) infestation by insects or vermin.	
2 Dry provision stores must not:	2 Dry provision stores must not:	
<ul> <li>(a) be situated close to a space in which heat is generated and that is not adequately insulated against heat; or</li> </ul>	(a) be situated close to a space in which heat is generated and that is not adequately insulated against heat; or	
(b) be used for the storage of bedding or textiles.	(b) be used for the storage of bedding or textiles.	
Schedule 12 Official log book — matters that must be entered (section 97(1))	Schedule 12 Official log book — matters that must be entered (section 98(1))	
Any conviction by a court of a seafarer while the seafarer is employed, engaged or working on the vessel and any sentence imposed.	<ol> <li>Any conviction by a court of a seafarer while the seafarer is employed, engaged or working on the vessel and any sentence imposed.</li> </ol>	
2 Any promotion, including:	2 Any promotion, including:	
(a) the date of the promotion; and	(a) the date of the promotion; and	
<ul><li>(b) the rank or position to which the seafarer is promoted; and</li></ul>	(b) the rank or position to which the seafarer is promoted; and	
(c) any increase in wages.	(c) any increase in wages.	
Any misconduct by a seafarer.	3 Any misconduct by a seafarer.	
Details of each inspection mentioned in sections 54 and 64.	4 Details of each inspection mentioned in section 54 and section 63.	
If a stowaway is discovered on board:	5 If a stowaway is discovered on board:	
(a) the person's full name; and	(a) the person's full name; and	
(b) the person's date of birth; and	(b) the person's date of birth; and	
(c) the place of the stowaway's boarding; and	(c) the place of the stowaway's boarding; and	
(d) the place the stowaway is put to shore; and	(d) the place the stowaway is put to shore; and	
(e) any proceedings taken against the person and the	(e) any proceedings taken against the person and the	

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Existing text of Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2015	New text as modified by draft Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2024 reissue	Reason
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result of the proceedings.	result of the proceedings.	
6 If the vessel is involved in a marine incident causing a loss of life or serious injury to a person, the person's:	6 If the vessel is involved in a marine incident causing a loss of life or serious injury to a person, the person's:	
(a) full name; and	(a) full name; and	
(b) age; and	(b) age; and	
(c) birthplace; and	(c) birthplace; and	
(d) details of the incident.	(d) details of the incident.	
7 Any matter that must be entered into the official log-book by an agreed code of conduct applying to the vessel.	7 Any matter that must be entered into the official log-book by an agreed code of conduct applying to the vessel.	
8 A list of the effects of a deceased seafarer.	8 A list of the effects of a deceased seafarer.	
Note The master may make entries in the official log-book about matters that are not required by the Navigation Act, regulations or marine orders.	Note The master may make entries in the official log-book about matters that are not required by the Navigation Act, regulations or marine orders.	
Notes to Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2015	Note	
Note 4		
Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2015 (in force under subsection 342(1) of the Navigation Act 2012) as shown in this compilation comprises Marine Order 11 (Living and working conditions on vessels) 2015 amended as indicated in the following tables.	1. All legislative instruments and compilations of legislative instruments are registered on the Federal Register of Legislation under the Legislation Act 2003. See <a href="https://www.legislation.gov.au">https://www.legislation.gov.au</a> .	

## **Consequential Amendments**

Consequential changes will be required to update the name change of the Marine Order as it is mentioned in other Marine Orders. These changes will be in the form of a consequential amendment instrument, possibly together with other similar consequential changes arising from the recent remaking of Marine Orders by AMSA.