Regulations of 21 December 2009 No. 1739 on fees for the issue of certificates and endorsements to maritime personnel and of boating licences to masters

Legal basis: Laid down by the Ministry of Trade and Industry (now the Ministry of Trade, Industry and Fisheries) on 21 December 2009 under the Act of 16 February 2007 No. 9 relating to ship safety and security (Ship Safety and Security Act) sections 2, 3, 16, 48, cf. Formal Delegation of 16 February 2007 No. 171 and Act of 26 June 1998 No. 47 relating to recreational and small craft sections 20, 26b and 31, cf. Formal Delegation of 27 November 1998 No. 1095.

Amendments: Amended by Regulations of 26 January 2010 No. 67, 22 December 2010 No. 1797, 5 January 2012 No. 16, 24 May 2012 No. 451, 11 January 2013 No. 31, 19 December 2013 No. 1617, 19 December 2014 No. 1856, 15 December 2015 No. 1673, 20 December 2016 No. 1748, 18 December 2017 No. 2199, 20 December 2018 No. 2194, 20 December 2019 No. 2117 (in force on 1 January 2020), 23 December 2020 No. 3161 (in force on 1 January 2021), 21 December 2021 No. 3821 (in force on 1 January 2022), 24 June 2022 No. 1202 (in force on 1 July 2022), 20 December 2022 No. 2453 (in force on 1 January 2023), 22 December 2023 No. 2317 (in force on 1 January 2024).

Section 1

Scope of application

These Regulations concern fees for the processing of applications for certificates or endorsements which are issued to maritime personnel, cf. the Ship Safety and Security Act and the Act relating to recreational and small craft and regulations laid down pursuant to said acts, and the theoretical boating exam and the issue of boating licences to masters in accordance with the Act relating to recreational and small craft and regulations laid down pursuant to said Act.

Amended by Regulation of 26 January 2010 No. 67.

Section 2

Issue of fees

The Norwegian Maritime Authority or whoever is assigned the task of issuing licences, certificates or endorsements to maritime personnel and masters shall issue fees.

Amended by Regulation of 26 January 2010 No. 67, 24 June 2022 No. 1202 (in force on 1 July 2022).

Section 3

Payment of fees for the issue of licences, certificates and endorsements to maritime personnel

Fees for the processing of applications for licences, certificates or endorsements shall be payable to the Norwegian Maritime Authority, unless specifically decided otherwise.

Fees shall be paid by the person applying for the certificate or endorsement and payment shall have taken place before the document is delivered.

If an application for a certificate, licence or endorsement is not accepted, any fees paid will not be reimbursed.

Amended by Regulations of 26 January 2010 No. 67, 23 December 2020 No. 3161 (in force on 1 January 2021), 24 June 2022 No. 1202 (in force on 1 July 2022).

Section 4 Fee rates for the issue of certificates and endorsements to maritime personnel

The following fee rates (in NOK) shall be used for the issue of certificates and endorsements:

Deck and engineer officer certificates and certificates of competency issued by the Norwegian Maritime Authority	NOK 985
Endorsement/approval of foreign certificate	NOK 985
Tanker certificates, navigational and engineering watch certificates, rescue boat and fast rescue boat certificates, assessor certificates and certificates of proficiency	NOK 657

Amended by Regulations of 26 January 2010 No. 67, 22 December 2010 No. 1797, 5 January 2012 No. 16, 11 January 2013 No. 31, 19 December 2013 No. 1617 (in force on 1 January 2014), 19 December 2014 No. 1856, 15 December 2015 No. 1673 (in force on 1 January 2016), 20 December 2016 No. 1748 (in force on 1 January 2017), 18 December 2017 No. 2199 (in force on 1 January 2018), 20 December 2018 No. 2194 (in force on 1 January 2020), 23 December 2020 No. 3161 (in force on 1 January 2021), 21 December 2021 No. 3821 (in force on 1 January 2022), 20 December 2022 No. 2453 (in force on 1 January 2023), 22 December 2023 No. 2317 (in force on 1 January 2024).

Section 5

Payment of fees for the theoretical boating exam and the issue of boating licence

A fee is payable for the theoretical boating exam and the issue of boating licence. The fee must be paid before the candidate can take the exam. If the candidate does not show up as agreed, the fee is refundable only if the candidate has reported any cause for absence no later than the second last working day before the exam date, or presents a medical certificate or similar documentation.

When a new theoretical exam must be taken because the candidate has not passed the exam or because of non-legitimate absence, an additional fee is payable for each exam.

A fee is payable for the issue of boating licence if the theoretical exam is not required, including the replacement and exchange of boating licence. A fee for a new boating licence is payable even if the replacement takes place after an order.

Additional fees may be payable for theoretical exams taken abroad and for the issue of boating licences abroad. An additional fee may be charged for each exam taken abroad.

Added by Regulation of 26 January 2010 No. 67.

Section 6

Fee rates for the theoretical boating exam, the issue of boating licence and the International Certificate for Operators of Pleasure Craft (ICC)

The following fee rates (in NOK) shall be used for the theoretical exam and the issue of boating licences:

Theoretical exam and initial issue of boating licence and the International Certificate for Operators of Pleasure Craft, separately or jointly	NOK 874
Additional fee for new theoretical exam	NOK 461
Issue of boating licence or the International Certificate for Operators of Pleasure Craft in the case of replacement, exchange, without taking the theoretical exam and to persons holding the boating licence	NOK 494

When taking the theoretical exam abroad and when boating licences are issued abroad, an additional fee of up to NOK 358 may be charged.

Added by Regulations of 26 January 2010 No. 67, 22 December 2010 No. 1797, 5 January 2012 No. 16, 24 May 2012 No. 451, 11 January 2013 No. 31, 19 December 2013 No. 1617 (in force on 1 January 2014), 19 December 2014 No. 1856, 15 December 2015 No. 1673 (in force on 1 January 2016), 20 December 2016 No. 1748 (in force on 1 January 2017), 18 December 2017 No. 2199 (in force on 1 January 2018), 20 December 2018 No. 2194 (in force on 1 January 2019), 20 December 2019 No. 2117 (in force on 1 January 2020), 23 December 2020 No. 3161 (in force on 1 January 2021), 21 December 2021 No. 3821 (in force on 1 January 2022), 20 December 2022 No. 2453 (in force on 1 January 2023), 22 December 2023 No. 2317 (in force on 1 January 2024).

Section 7

Fee rates for the issue of the Certificate for Deck Officer Class 5 Pleasure Craft The following fee rates (in NOK) shall be used for the issue of the Certificate for Deck Officer Class 5 Pleasure Craft:

Initial issue of the Certificate for Deck Officer Class 5 Pleasure Craft	NOK 985
Issue of a duplicate Certificate for Deck Officer Class 5 Pleasure Craft	NOK 494

Added by Regulation of 24 May 2012 No. 451. Amended by Regulations of 11 January 2013 No. 31, 19 December 2013 No. 1617 (in force on 1 January 2014), 19 December 2014 No. 1856, 15 December 2015 No. 1673 (in force on 1 January 2016), 20 December 2016 No. 1748 (in force on 1 January 2017), 18 December 2017 No. 2199 (in force on 1 January 2018), 20 December 2018 No. 2194 (in force on 1 January 2019), 20 December 2019 No. 2117 (in force on 1 January 2020), 23 December 2020 No. 3161 (in force on 1 January 2021), 21 December 2021 No. 3821 (in force on 1 January 2022), 20 December 2022 No. 2453 (in force on 1 January 2023), 22 December 2023 No. 2317 (in force on 1 January 2024).

Section 8

Fees for the processing of applications for high-speed licence

Fee rate for the processing of applications for high-speed licence	NOK 430	

Added by Regulation of 24 June 2022 No. 1202 (in force on 1 July 2022), amended by Regulation of 20 December 2022 No. 2453 (in force on 1 January 2023), 22 December 2023 No. 2317 (in force on 1 January 2024).

Section 9

Entry into force

These Regulations enter into force on 1 January 2010. As from the same date, the Regulations of 23 November 2007 No. 1319 on fees for the issue of certificates and endorsements to maritime personnel are repealed.

Amended by Regulations of 26 January 2010 No. 67 (formerly section 5), 24 May 2012 No. 451 (formerly section 7), 24 June 2022 No. 1202 (in force on 1 July 2022, formerly section 8).