

# NATIONAL CHIEF MATE OF STEAM & MOTOR OF UNLIMITED TONNAGE UPON OCEANS OR NEAR COASTAL WATERS § 11.405

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ REFERENCE #: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>General Requirements</b>	<b>Reference: 46 CFR</b>	<b>✓</b>
Must have US Citizenship.	10.221(a)(1)	
Must be at least Age 21.	11.201	
Medical Certificate requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Original - Must hold a valid Medical Certificate or <b>be approved</b> for Medical Certificate.</li> <li>• Renewal, ROG, New Endorsement or Modification - Must hold an unexpired Medical Certificate or submit a Medical Certificate application.</li> </ul>	10.301/10.302	
Must be Drug Testing Compliant.	10.235/10.231	
Mariner Fees must be paid.	10.219	
<b>Sea Service Requirements</b>	<b>Reference: 46 CFR</b>	
<b>Recency</b> – 90 days in the past 3 years on vessels of appropriate tonnage	11.201	
<b>CHIEF MATE</b>	<b>46 CFR</b>	
360 days of service as OICNW on Ocean/NC Great lakes steam or motor vessels while holding an endorsement as 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mate.	11.405	
<b>NOTE: Service towards an Oceans, NC endorsement will be credited as follows:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Service on GL will be credited day for day.</li> <li>2. Service on inland waters, other than GL, may substitute for up to 50% of the total required service.</li> <li>3. Service on vessels to which STCW applies (inland or NC) will be credited day for day.</li> </ol>	11.401	
<b>Unlimited Tonnage</b>	<b>46 CFR</b>	
All required service is on vessels of 100 GRT or more <b>AND</b>		
50% of the required service is on vessels 1600 GRT or more or a tonnage limitation may apply (see below).	11.402	
<b>A Tonnage Limitation</b> may be issued if 50% of the required service is not on vessels 1600 GRT or more; however, <b>ALL</b> required service <b>MUST</b> be on vessels 100 GRT or more).	<b>46 CFR</b>	
Limited to max tonnage on which 25% of experience is obtained rounded up to the nearest 1,000 GRT, <b>OR</b>	11.402	
Limited to 150% tonnage which 50% of service is obtained rounded up to the nearest 1,000 GRT, <b>WHICHEVER IS GREATER</b> . When the calculated limitation equals or exceeds 10,000 GRT, the applicant is issued an endorsement without a tonnage limitation.		

<b>Sail or Auxiliary Sail</b>	<b>46 CFR</b>	
360 days of deck service on sail or auxiliary sail vessels. <b>(Note: Tonnage for Sail or Auxiliary Sail endorsements must be calculated separately)</b>	11.401	
<b>Unlimited Tonnage</b> - 360 days of deck service on sail or auxiliary sail vessels of 100 GRT or more, AND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 180 days on sail or auxiliary sail vessels of 1600 GRT or more, or</li> <li>- A tonnage limitation may be issued if 50% of the required service is not on vessels of 1600 GRT or more), <b>AND,</b></li> </ul>		
Complete CG exam module for Auxiliary Sail or approved Auxiliary Sail course	11.201	
<b>Other Requirements</b>	<b>Reference:</b>	
First Aid (completed within 1 year) (original only)	11.201	
CPR (must be valid) (original only)	11.201	
Approved Basic Fire Fighting Course within 5 years of application date (unless previously met) Valid STCW BT is acceptable.	11.201	
Advanced Fire Fighting Course within 5 years of application date (unless previously met) Valid STCW Advanced Firefighting is acceptable.	11.201	
<b>EXAMS</b> See Exam Guide	<b>Reference:</b>	
Examination	11.903	
A person holding this endorsement may qualify for an STCW endorsement, according to § 11.307.		

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