

**NATIONAL MASTER OF SELF-PROPELLED VESSELS LESS THAN 500/1600
GRT
UPON OCEANS OR NEAR COASTAL WATERS § 11.412 & 11.418**

NAME: _____ REFERENCE #: _____ DATE: _____

General Requirements	Reference: 46 CFR	✓
CG-719B Application	10.209/10.225/ 10.231	
Must have US Citizenship.	10.221	
Must be at least Age 21.	11.201	
Medical Certificate Requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Original - Must hold or be approved for Medical Certificate. • Renewal, ROG, New Endorsement - Must hold an unexpired Medical Certificate or submit a Medical Certificate application. 	10.301/10.302	
Must be Drug Testing Compliant.		
Mariner Fees must be paid.	10.219	
Sea Service Requirements	Reference: 46 CFR	
Recency – 90 days in the past 3 years on vessels of 50 GRT for Master 500 GRT and vessels of 100 GRT for Master 1600 GRT. Engine Department experience on vessels of the appropriate tonnage may be used for recency..	11.201 11.410	
MASTER LESS THAN 1600	46 CFR	
1440 total days of service, in any position or department, on Ocean, Near Coastal or Great Lakes waters, OF WHICH <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Service on inland waters, other than GL, may substitute for up to 720 days of the total required service., AND 2. 720 days of service on vessels of more than 100 GRT, AND 3. 720 days of service MUST have been as a master, mate; master or mate (pilot) of towing vessels, or equivalent position while holding an endorsement as master, mate, master or mate (pilot) of towing vessels, AND 4. 360 days of the service as master, mate, or equivalent position, must have been on vessels of more than 100 GRT; OR 	11.412	
360 days of service as master/mate or master/mate T/V's on Ocean or Near Coastal waters on vessels of more than 100 GRT while holding a license or MMC as mate less than 1600 GRT OC or master/ mate T/V's.	11.412	
Mariner holding an endorsement as Chief Mate Oceans/NC self-propelled vessels 1,600 GRT or more is eligible for this endorsement without further exam.	11.412	
2 nd Mate Oceans/NC of 1600 GRT or more is eligible for this endorsement upon completion of a limited examination.	11.412	
Chief Mate NC or Oceans of Unlimited Tonnage is eligible for this endorsement without service or examination.		

MASTER LESS THAN 500	46 CFR	
1080 days of service on Ocean, Near Coastal or Great Lakes waters, OF WHICH 1. Service on inland waters, other than GL, may substitute for up to 540 days of the total required service., AND 2. 720 days of service MUST have been as a master, mate, or equivalent position while holding an endorsement as master, mate, or operator of uninspected passenger vessels, AND 3. 360 days of the service as master, mate, or equivalent position, must have been on vessels over 50 GRT; OR	11.418	
360 days of service on Ocean or Near Coastal service on vessels more than 50 GRT as master, mate, master or mate of self-propelled or towing vessels while holding a license or MMC as mate less than 500 GRT OC, OR	11.418	
Hold a license or MMC as Master or Mate of towing vessels NC or OC, AND , provide 360 days of service as a Master or Mate of Ocean or N/C Towing Vessels AND completion of a limited examination (<i>Limited exam allowed for any Master of T/V with or without tonnage limitation</i>)	11.418	
NOTE: Any service towards an OC, NC or STCW 500/1600 endorsement will be credited as follows: 1. Service on GL will be credited day for day. 2. Service on inland waters, other than GL, may substitute for up to 50% of the total required service. 3. Service on vessels to which STCW applies will be credited day for day.	11.401	
Sail or Auxiliary Sail	46 CFR	
360 days on appropriately sized sail or auxiliary sail vessels, – Master Less than 500 GRT – All required service over 50 GRT – Master Less than 1600 GRT – All required service over 100 GRT, AND ,	11.401	
Complete CG exams or Approved course	11.201	
Other Requirements	46 CFR	
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	
EXAMS See Exam Guide	46 CFR	
Examination	11.201	
A person holding Master 1600 may qualify for an STCW endorsement, according to § 11.311.		
A person holding Master 500 may qualify for an STCW endorsement, according to § 11.309, 11.317, 11.319 and 11.321.		

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