

# NATIONAL TONNAGE AND HORSEPOWER LIMITATION REMOVAL

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

General Requirements	Reference: 46 CFR	✓
Must have U.S. Citizenship	10.221	
Medical Certificate Requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renewal - Must hold or <b>have application</b> for Medical Certificate.</li> <li>• ROG, New Endorsement or Modification – Must hold an unexpired Medical Certificate or submit a Medical Certificate application.</li> </ul>	10.301/10.302	
Mariner fees must be paid:		
SEA SERVICE REQUIREMENTS TONNAGE	46 CFR	
(1) 180 days on vessels of 1,600 GRT or more in the highest grade endorsed, all tonnage limitations will be removed, <b>OR,</b>	11.402	
(2) 180 days of service on vessels of 1,600 GRT or more in <b>“any”</b> capacity as an <b>“officer”</b> <u>other than</u> the “highest grade endorsed,” all tonnage limitations for the grade in which the service is performed will be removed and the next higher grade endorsement will be raised to the tonnage of the vessel on which the majority of the service was performed, <b>OR,</b>	11.402	
(3) Total cumulative service before and/or after the limitation was issued may be used to remove or raise all tonnage limitations by recalculating the original total required service: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All required service must be on vessels of 100 GRT or more; and</li> <li>• 50% of the required service on vessels of 1,600 GRT or more</li> <li>• Recency is applicable, <b>OR</b></li> </ul>	11.402  MSM VOL III Chapter 1	
(4) 360 days of service as <b>able seaman</b> on vessels of 1,600 GRT or more <b>while holding</b> a license as third mate, all tonnage limitations on the third mate’s license will be removed.	11.402	
SEA SERVICE REQUIREMENTS HORSEPOWER	46 CFR	
(1) 180 days on vessels of 4,000 HP or more in the highest grade endorsed, all horsepower limitations will be removed, <b>OR,</b>	11.503	
(2) 180 days of service on vessels of 4,000 HP or more as an engineer officer in <b>“any”</b> capacity <u>other than</u> the “highest grade endorsed,” all horsepower limitations for the grade in which the service is performed will be removed and the next higher grade endorsement will be raised to the horsepower of the vessel on which the majority of the service was performed, <b>OR,</b>	11.503	
(3) Total cumulative service before and/or after the limitation was issued may be used to remove or raise all horsepower limitations by recalculating the original total required service: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50% of the required service on vessels of 4,000 HP or more</li> <li>• Recency is applicable, <b>OR</b></li> </ul>	11.503  MSM VOL III Chapter 1	
(4) 360 days of service on vessels of 4,000 HP or more as <b>oiler</b> or <b>junior engineer while holding</b> third assistant engineer or assistant engineer (limited), all horsepower limitations on the third assistant engineer’s endorsement will be removed, <b>OR,</b>	11.503	
(5) 180 days of service on vessels of 4,000 HP or more as <b>oiler</b> or <b>junior engineer while holding</b> second assistant engineer, all horsepower limitations on the third assistant engineer’s endorsement will be removed.	11.503	

**Note 1.** Tonnage Requirements. No applicant holding any national endorsement as master or mate of vessels less than 1,600 GRT, less than 500 GRT, or less than 25-200 GRT may use these options to increase the tonnage of their endorsement.

**Note 2.** Horsepower Requirements. No applicant holding any national endorsement as Designated Duty Engineer may use these options to increase the horsepower of their endorsement.