NATIONAL LIFEBOAT OPERATOR AND LIFEBOAT OPERATOR LIMITED (Formerly Lifeboatman and Lifeboatman Limited)

REFERENCE #:

NAME:

§ 12.407 & 12.409

DATE:

General Requirements	Reference: 46 CFR	Division / Branch Responsible		✓
Verify Application CG-719B Complete		REC	PQEB	
Verify U.S. Citizenship OR alien admitted for permanent residence	10.221	SSEB	PQEB	
Verify MMLD set to "Y" for SSEB screening	10.211	SSEB	PQEB	
Minimum Age 18	12.407/409	PQ	EB	
Verify Medical Certificate in MMLD:	10.301/10.302	MEB		
Original - Must hold a valid Medical Certificate or be approved for				
Medical Certificate.				
Renewal, ROG, New Endorsement - Must hold an unexpired Medical Certificate or submit a Medical Certificate application				
Drug testing compliance (within 6 months)	10.231	RI	EC	
Note: Only required for first LB endorsement unless also renewing			1	
Mariner Fees (in MMLD)	10.219	PQEB	INTs	
Ensure all appropriate fees have been paid prior to issuance		Eval Exam		
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Sea Service Requirements		15540		
LIFEBOAT OPERATOR or	46 CFR	# of Days		
LIFEBOAT OPERATOR – LIMITED				
180 days service in any <u>department</u> of vessels AND successful completion of an approved course, OR	12.407/12.409			
360 days service in any <u>department</u> of vessels on ocean, coastwise, inland, and Great Lakes routes, AND	12.407/12.409			
Practical Demonstration of Abilities		Assessment, Letter, or Course		
Lifeboat Operator	46 CFR			
Prove to the satisfaction of the Coast Guard, by actual practical	12.407(b)(3)			
demonstration of abilities, knowledge of seamanship and the ability to carry out effectively all the duties that may be required of a Lifeboat Operator as listed in 46 CFR 12.407.	12.407(b)(4) 12.407(b)(5)			
Applicants may qualify by:	NVIC 04-14			
 Completion of the PSC assessments marked as <i>Both</i> AND <i>PSC</i> and not also marked as <i>Exam</i> contained in NVIC 04-14 or Completion of a Coast Guard approved course. 				
Reminder : If the Practical Demonstration of Abilities was not provided, this must be included in the ATT letter in addition to the written Examination. Many courses meet both practical demonstration and written exam.				

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Practical Demonstration of Abilities Lifeboat Operator- Limited	46 CFR	Assessment, Letter or Course	
Prove to the satisfaction of the Coast Guard, by actual practical demonstration of abilities, knowledge of seamanship and the ability to carry out effectively all the duties that may be required of a Lifeboat Operator – Limited as listed in 46 CFR 12.409.	12.409(b)(3) 12.409(b)(4) 12.409(b)(5)		
Applicants may qualify by:	NVIC 04-14		
 Completion of the PSC-limited assessments marked only as <i>Both</i> AND <i>LTD</i> and not also marked as <i>Exam</i> contained in NVIC 04-14, or, Completion of a Coast Guard approved course. Reminder: If the Practical Demonstration of Abilities was not provided, this must be included in the ATT letter in addition to the written Examination. Many courses meet both practical demonstration and written exam. 			
EXAMS See Exam Guide	Reference:		
Course completion certificate that meets both the Practical Demonstration of Abilities and written examination must have been completed within 1-year of the application date to meet all examination requirements.	12.407/12.409	PQEB	
Exam codes & credential testing comments entered in MMLD Reminder: If the Practical Demonstration of Abilities was not provided, this must be included in the ATT letter in addition to the written Examination.	12.407(b) 12.409(b)	PQEB	
Exam scores entered in MMLD		REC PQEB	

Comments:		

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