CONSULATE OF PANAMA HOUSTON - TEXAS SEAFARERS SECTION



REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF SEAMAN BOOKS, COURSE ENDORSEMENTS AND DUPLICATES

ENDORSEMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR OFFICER IN CHARGE OF AN ENGINEERING WATCH III/1

OPERATIONAL LEVEL

- 1. <u>Application for Certificates and Endorsements</u> for Seafarers (duly filled out and signed by the applicant with Black Ink).
- **2.** One (1) full color passport photo 4 x 4 centimeters (shoulder and face exposed without hat & white background) Recently taken, no more than six (6) months old, the photo should be pasted on the application form.
- 3. Valid Passport (Copy)
- 4. Valid Medical Fitness Certificate according to Circular MMC 261 P.10
- **5**. Money order or company check payable to **Consulate of Panama.** The cost for the Master License is \$280.00 plus, the cost of the required security endorsement.
- **6.** Certificate of Competence issued (under Regulation I/2 of the Convention STCW'78 as amended) by a country's maritime administration recognized by the International Maritime Organization (IMO)
- 7. Security Training for Seafarers with Designated Security Duties of table A-VI/6-2 of STCw78 as amended (\$40.00); or Ship Security Officer, table A-VI-5 of STCW 78 as amended (\$60.00) (Must endorse with the Panama Maritime Authority)

<u>Duplicate:</u> If <u>stolen or lost</u>, a letter indicating this fact along with a record that a proper complaint was filed with the competent authority **or** a company letter assuming responsibility for the loss and application. If the cause is deterioration or full use of record pages, a letter indicating the fact and a seaman's book copy must be submitted.

The cost for duplicate is \$80.00

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