



Australian Government

Australian Maritime Safety Authority

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Marine Safety (Masters or crew without certificates) Exemption 2025

I, Kaylene Dale, Chief Executive Officer of the Australian Maritime Safety Authority (the National Marine Safety Regulator under section 9 of the *Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law*), make this instrument under subsection 143(1) of the *Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law*.

Dated 11 June 2025

Kaylene Dale

Chief Executive Officer

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is *Marine Safety (Masters or crew without certificates) Exemption 2025*.

2 Duration

This instrument commences 1 July 2025 and ceases to have effect at the end of 30 June 2030.

3 Definitions

In this instrument:

Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law — see Schedule 1 to the *Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law Act 2012*.

Note ***National Regulator*** is defined in the *Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law* — see section 6.

national law means the Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law set out in Schedule 1 to the *Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) National Law Act 2012*.

4 Exemption

- (1) This instrument applies to a person who performed duties or functions on 30 June 2013 on a domestic commercial vessel without any certification in accordance with the law of a State or the Northern Territory.
- (2) The person is exempt from the requirement to hold a certificate of competency under the national law if that certificate is required for performance of those duties or functions mentioned in subsection (1).

5 Conditions

- (1) The person must comply with the national law other than to the extent to which the person is exempt.
 - (2) Before 1 January 2018, the person must tell the National Regulator in writing:
 - (a) the person's name, address, phone number and email address (if any); and
 - (b) the duties or functions that the person was entitled to perform on 30 June 2013 on domestic commercial vessels; and
 - (c) the duties or functions that the person continues to perform on domestic commercial vessels.
 - (2) Paragraph (2)(b) does not apply to a person who complied with subsection 5(2) of *Marine Safety (Vessels or crew without certificates) Exemption 2013*.
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