



South African Maritime Safety Authority

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Marine Notice No. 14 of 2018

Determination of Charges – Fishing Engineers

TO ALL SEAFARERS, EMPLOYERS, EXAMINERS, PRINCIPAL OFFICERS

Summary

This Marine Notice seeks to clarify the Charges levied by the South African Maritime Safety Authority (SAMSA) to seafarers applying for Fishing Certificates of Competency as provided for in the Merchant Shipping (Safe Manning, Training and Certification) Regulations, 2013, as amended (the Regulations).

1. The Determination of Charges for the SAMSA issued on 26 September 2017 provides for SAMSA to determine charges as follows;

“...delivers a service where no direct charge is available, the Chief Executive Officer, or a person appointed by Him/Her, may determine the charge as they deem fit. Such a charge shall be distributed to the Authority’s clients and stakeholders using a Marine Notice, and thereafter published in a Government Gazette.”
2. The SAMSA currently does not have a Chief Executive Officer, the next Senior Person within SAMSA is the Chief Operations Officer who has allocated the responsibility to the Chief Financial Officer and the Chief Examiner
3. The Regulations provides for SAMSA to provides services for Certificates of Competency, which are not covered in the Determination as stated above, as follows;
 - 3.1. Second Engineer (Fishing)
 - 3.2. Chief Engineer (<3 000 kW Fishing)
 - 3.3. Chief Engineer (Fishing)
4. Accordingly, the Chief Financial Officer, in consultation with the Chief Examiner, have determined the Charges as follows;
 - 4.1. The Charges shall be subject to determinations 4(3) and 46 (5) – (7)
 - 4.2. The following charges apply

Item	Certificate	Charge	
		Examination	Revalidation
(1)	Second Engineer (Fishing)	R 1 520 – 00	R 690 – 00
(2)	Chief Engineer (<3 000 Kw Fishing)	R 2 120 – 00	R 690 – 00
(3)	Chief Engineer (Fishing)	R 2 590 – 00	R 690– 00

5. The SAMSA shall, at the next review of the Determinations, include the above charges in the determination of charges.
6. Enquiries regarding the contents of this e-mail may be directed to the Office of the Chief Examiner, via e-mail to exams@samsa.org.za

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