



South African Maritime Safety Authority

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Period of Validity of Written Qualifications

TO SAMS EXAMINERS, PRINCIPAL OFFICERS, MARITIME EDUCATION & TRAINING PROVIDERS, SHIP OPERATORS & OWNERS AND SEAFARERS

Marine Notice No 33 of 2012 is cancelled.

Summary

This marine notice informs parties involved on the period of validity of written qualifications.

- 1 In terms of regulation 9 of the Merchant Shipping (Safe manning, Training and Certification) Regulations 2013, a Syllabus Committee shall interpret the syllabi set out in the code (The South African Maritime Qualifications Code) and keep the Code under review.
- 2 A ruling is hereby given that a pass in any subject of a theoretical component of a Certificate of Competency shall remain valid.
- 3 If the Committee referred to in 1 above, makes any changes to any syllabus in the Code subsequent to the examination referred to, the candidate shall study the amended syllabus. The candidate shall be required to demonstrate competency in accordance with the amended Code upon application for revalidation or a new CoC.

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