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GUIDELINES ON REQUIRED SAFETY EQUIPMENT FOR VESSELS MEASURING BETWEEN 10 TO 24 METRES IN LENGTH

I, PAUL M. UNAS, General Manager of the National Maritime Safety Authority, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 54 of the *Merchant Shipping Act* (Chapter 242), and all other powers me enabling, give notice of the following guidelines on safety equipment for vessels measuring between 10 to 24 metres in length:

Table 1: Seagoing Non-Passenger Vessel, between 10 to 15 metres in length, for use in restricted water operations within a limit of 50 nautical miles seaward from designated smooth or partially smooth waters.

R	EQUIRE	ED EQUII	PMENT	OR APP	ARATUS			WHAT TO PROVIDE
Life Rafts	-ym	inni.	****	ine	Since		me.	Inflatable Coastal Life raft(s) for 100% of allowable crew and other persons on board OR Buoyant apparatus for 100% compliment.
Life Buoys	D							2 Life buoys (1 with a light and 1 with a buoyant line).
Life Jackets	i	1444	****	****	1,75071	****	1985	Coastal Life Jacket with a light for 100% of allowable crew and any other persons on board.
Distress Signals	****	6400	****	****				2 x Parachute distress rockets.
	See	cees	****		71111	1111	in	2 x Red hand-held flares.
	5	2000						I x Orange hand-held smoke flare.
Emergency Lightin	ng (han	d-held)	****	****	See	****	****	1 x Battery operated.
Radio Equipment								1 x 406 EPIRB
	****	12944	****	****		1000		1 x VHF DSC Transceiver
								1 x Portable VHF Transceiver for survival craft.
Fire Fighting Appa	aratus	1++4+		****		1115	-444	Portable extinguishers - 1 x Dry powder - 1 x Foam/9 litres - 1 x CO2
			7111	1115	****	1000	P414	Fire buckets - 2 only
			****	****	****	(***		Fire axe - 1 only
	••••		****			***		Fire blanket - 1 only at entrance of gallery

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	de cha						
ire Fighting	Apparatus-	-contin	nued				Portable emergency fire pump

Table 2: Seagoing Non-Passenger Vessel, between 15 to 24 metres in length, for use in Papua New Guinea coastal waters.

R	EQUIRI	ED EQUII	PMENT	OR APP	ARATUS	3		WHAT TO PROVIDE
Life Rafts						çii.	eve	Inflatable Coastal Life raft(s) for 100% of allowable crew and other persons on board OR Rigid life raft for all persons on board.
Life Buoys	(interest	****	****			****	1,111	2 Life buoys (1 with light and 1 with a buoyant line).
Life Jackets	****	444	****	1	Time:	3444	486	Adult SOLAS life jacket with a light for 100% of allowable crew and any other persons on board fitted with light.
Distress Signals	Steen.	19996		****		****	****	2 x Parachute distress rockets.
		12000						4 x Red hand-held flares.
		1,4444						2 x Orange hand-held smoke flare.
Emergency Lightin	ng (han	d-held)	****	****	****	****	****	2 x Battery operated torches with spare bulb and battery.
Radio Equipment	****	****						1 x 406 EPIRB
		14,000			1446			1 x Portable VHF Transceiver
		1,000		1444				1 x MF / HF Transceiver with 2 MH2 DSC watch-keeping receiver.
Fire Fighting Appa	aratus		****			444	1988	Portable extinguishers
								- 1 x Dry powder
								 1 x Foam/9 litres, must be of type suitable for the type of fuel, battery or cargo carried on board.
			Free)we				Fire buckets
								- 2 only
	****	24447				····:		Fire axe
								- 1 only
	****	erre.	2222	1222	(reject	390	inne	Fire blanket
								- I only at entrance of gallery
	****	Arms	Links	****			****	Portable emergency fire pump
								- 1 only with suction and fire hose

Table 3: Seagoing Passenger Vessel, between 10 to 24 metres in length, for use in all operational areas up to and including Offshore Operations. Offshore Operations must be operations within a limit of 200 nautical miles to seaward of the coast.

F	EQUIR	ED EQU	IPMENT	OR APP	ARATUS	S		WHAT TO PROVIDE
Life Rafts	****		7444)	leses.	aver	****	····	Inflatable Coastal Life raft(s) for 100% of allowable crew and other persons on board OR Rigid life raft with capacity for all persons on board.
Life Buoys		****	See Sec.		7777	****	++++	2 Life buoys (1 with a light and I with a buoyant line).
Life Jackets	rine.		inc	1999).	****	****		Adult SOLAS life jacket with a light for 100% of allowable crew and any passenger on board, plus a child size SOLAS life jacket with a light for each passenger less than 32kg or 10% of the total vessel capacity whichever is the greatest.
Distress Signals						****	****	4 x Parachute distress rockets.
		****						4 x Red hand-held flares.
						-	300	2 x Orange hand-held smoke flare.
On-board communications and alarm systems							im	Public address system (If no effective means of addressing passengers in time of emergency).
Emergency Lighting (hand-held)					3494	um,	****	2 x Battery operated torches with spare bulb and battery.

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REQUIRED EQUIP	MENT C	R APPA	RATUS					WHAT TO PROVIDE	
Radio Equipment		·		52				1 x 406 EPIRB	
			****	teer	****			1 x VHF DSC Transceiver	
				****				1 x MF / HF Transceiver with 2 MHz DSC watch-keeping receiver.	
Fire Fighting Appa	ratus			.244)				Portable extinguishers	
								- 1 x Dry powder	
								- 1 x Foam/9 litres or must be of type suitable for the type of fuel,	
								battery or cargo carried on board.	
			****		1000	2225	****	Fire buckets	
								- 2 only	
		9+67	Juni	****	11111	1884	A+66.1	Fire axe	
								- 1 only	
	2004		14444	(*)	****	****	****	Fire blanket	
								- 1 only at entrance of gallery	
				****				Portable emergency fire pump	
								- 1 only with suction and fire hose	

Dated this 20th day of December, 2016.

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