



Merchant Shipping (Load Lines) Act 1967

1967 CHAPTER 27

An Act to make further provision as to load lines and related matters; to increase penalties under certain provisions of the Merchant Shipping Acts 1894 to 1965 relating to passenger steamers; and for purposes connected with the matters aforesaid. [10th May 1967]

Whereas a Convention entitled “the International Convention on Load Lines” (in this Act referred to as “the Convention of 1966”) was signed in London on 5th April, 1966:

And whereas it is intended that the Convention of 1966 shall replace the Convention set out in Schedule 2 to the^{M1} Merchant Shipping (Safety and Load Line Conventions) Act 1932:

And whereas it is expedient to enable effect to be given to the Convention of 1966:

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 Power to modify Act conferred by [Merchant Shipping Act 1979 \(c. 39\), s. 22\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- C2 Power to amend Act conferred by [Merchant Shipping Act 1979 \(c. 39, SIF 111\), s. 41](#)
- C3 Functions of Board of Trade now exercisable by Secretary of State by virtue of [S.I. 1970/1537, art. 2\(1\)](#) and [S.I. 1983/1227, art. 2\(4\)](#)
- C4 Act modified by [Merchant Shipping Act 1988 \(c. 12, SIF 111\), s. 47\(2\)\(b\)](#), (with s. 58(4), Sch. 8 para. 1) and by [S.I. 1989/1991, art. 10](#)
- C5 Act excluded by [S.I. 1989/1991, arts. 11–14](#)

Commencement Information

- I1 Act partly in force at Royal Assent see [s. 34\(3\)\(4\)](#); Act wholly in force at 21. 7. 1968.

Marginal Citations

- M1 [1932 c. 9.](#)

General provisions

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Merchant Shipping (Load Lines) Act 1967. (See end of Document for details)

Textual Amendments

F1 Ss. 1-25 repealed (1.1.1996) by 1995 c. 21, ss. 314(1), 316(2), **Sch. 12** (with s. 312(1), Sch. 14 para. 1)

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Exemptions

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Subdivision load lines and deck cargo

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Miscellaneous and supplementary provisions

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Textual Amendments

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27 Miscellaneous supplementary provisions.

^{F27}(1)

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Textual Amendments

F27 S. 27(1)(3)(5) repealed (1.1.1996) by 1995 c. 21, ss. 314(1), 316(2), **Sch. 12** (with s. 312(1), Sch. 14 para. 1)

F28 S. 27(2) repealed (1.5.1994) by 1993 c. 22, s. 8(4), **Sch. 5 Pt. II**; S.I. 1993/3137, art. 3(2), **Sch. 2**.

F29 Ss. 11(2), 27(4) repealed by Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (c. 39), **Sch. 7 Pt. II**

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Textual Amendments

F30 S. 28 repealed (1.5.1994) by 1993 c. 22, s. 8(4), **Sch. 5 Pt.II**; S.I. 1993/3137, art. 3(2), **Sch.2**.

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Textual Amendments

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SCHEDULES

^{F37}SCHEDULE 1

Textual Amendments

F37 Sch. 1 repealed (1.1.1996) by 1995 c. 21, ss. 314(1), 316(2), **Sch. 12** (with s. 312(1), Sch. 14 para. 1)

^{F38}SCHEDULE 2

Textual Amendments

F38 Sch. 2 repealed (1.1.1996) by 1995 c. 21, ss. 314(1), 316(2), **Sch. 12** (with s. 312(1), Sch. 14 para. 1)

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