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**MERCHANT SHIPPING**

**SAFETY**

**The Merchant Shipping (United Kingdom Fishing Vessels :  
Manning) (Guernsey) Order 1981**

*Made* - - - - 16th December 1981

*Laid before Parliament*      11th January 1982

*Coming into Operation*      2nd February 1982

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 16th day of December 1981

Present,

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her by section 47(1) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1979(a), is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (United Kingdom Fishing Vessels: Manning) (Guernsey) Order 1981 and shall come into operation on 2nd February 1982.

2. In this Order and the Schedule hereto, the expression "Guernsey" means the Bailiwick of Guernsey and the territorial waters adjacent thereto.

3. It is hereby directed that, subject to the modifications specified in the Schedule to this Order, the Merchant Shipping (United Kingdom Fishing Vessels: Manning) Regulations 1980(b) shall extend to Guernsey as part of the law there and shall apply to ships registered in Guernsey and to masters and seamen employed in them as they apply to ships registered in the United Kingdom and to masters and seamen employed in them.

*N. E. Leigh,*  
Clerk of the Privy Council.

## SCHEDULE

## MODIFICATIONS IN THE EXTENSION OF THE MERCHANT SHIPPING (UNITED KINGDOM FISHING VESSELS: MANNING) REGULATIONS 1980 TO GUERNSEY AND TO SHIPS REGISTERED THERE

## 1. In Regulation 2:—

(a) after the definition of “ fishing vessel ” there shall be inserted the following definition:—

“ Guernsey fishing vessel ” means a fishing vessel which is a ship to which the definition of “ United Kingdom ship ” in section 21(2) of the Merchant Shipping Act 1979(a) applies, as that section has been modified in its extension to Guernsey ; , and

(b) the definition of “ United Kingdom fishing vessel ” shall be omitted.

2. In Regulations 3, 4 and 5 for the words “ United Kingdom ”, wherever they occur, there shall be substituted the word “ Guernsey ”.

3. For Regulation 6 there shall be substituted the following Regulation:—

“ 6. The States Board of Administration may, with the consent of the Secretary of State, grant exemptions from all or any of the provisions of these Regulations (as may be specified in the exemption) for classes of cases or individual cases on such terms (if any) as they may so specify and may, subject to giving reasonable notice, alter or cancel any such exemption :

Provided that the consent of the Secretary of State shall not be necessary as respects exemptions for Guernsey fishing vessels which do not proceed beyond the territorial waters adjacent to Guernsey.”.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order extends, subject to the modifications specified in the Schedule thereto the Merchant Shipping (United Kingdom Fishing Vessels: Manning) Regulations 1980 to the Bailiwick of Guernsey as part of the law there and applies those Regulations to vessels registered in Guernsey and to masters and seamen employed in them.

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(a) Section 21(2) is modified in its extension to Guernsey by the Merchant Shipping Act 1979 (Guernsey) Order 1981 (S.I. 1981/1810).



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