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**MERCHANT SHIPPING  
SAFETY**

**The Fishing Vessels (Safety of 15–  
24 Metre Vessels) Regulations 2002**

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**THE FISHING VESSELS (SAFETY OF 15–  
24 METRE VESSELS) REGULATIONS 2002**

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THE SCHEDULE — AMENDMENT OF OTHER LEGISLATION

*Amendment of the Fishing Vessels (Safety Provisions) Rules 1975*

1. The Fishing Vessels (Safety Provisions) Rules 1975 shall be amended...
2. Subject to the following paragraphs, in each Rule the words...

3. In Rule 1(2)— (a) in sub-paragraph (a), for “Rule 1A”...
4. In Rule 1(5), in the definition of “Machinery space”—
5. After Rule 1A there shall be inserted— 1B United Kingdom...
6. In Rule 5— (a) paragraphs (2) and (3)(a)(i) shall be...
7. In Rule 8, the words “and provided further that” to...
8. For the heading to Rule 16A, there shall be substituted...
9. For the heading to Rule 20A, there shall be substituted...
10. In Rules 25, 27 and 30— (a) in the heading...
11. Rules 26, 28, 31, 37, 42, 42A, 43(6), 46, 54B,...
12. In Rule 34— (a) in paragraph (3), the words “of...
13. In Rule 36— (a) for the heading there shall be...
14. In Rule 41— (a) for the heading there shall be...
15. For the heading to Rule 41A, there shall be substituted...
16. In Rule 45— (a) in the heading, the words “of...
17. In Rule 49— (a) in the heading, the words “—vessels...
18. In Rule 51, in the sub-heading to paragraph (3) the...
19. For the heading to Rule 54A, there shall be substituted...
20. In Rule 56— (a) in paragraph (4), the words “in...
21. In Rules 57(11) and 58(10), for “every vessel of 24.4...
22. In Rule 60— (a) sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (2) shall...
23. For the heading to Rule 60A, there shall be substituted...
24. In Rule 62, the words “and in other vessels of...
25. For the heading to Rule 63A, there shall be substituted...
26. For the heading to Rule 65A, there shall be substituted...
27. In Rule 65B— (a) at the beginning there shall be...
28. For the heading in Rule 72A, there shall be substituted...
29. In Rules 78 and 103, in the heading and in...
30. In Rule 87— (a) in paragraph (1), the words “of...
31. For the heading to Rule 106A, there shall be substituted...
32. In Rule 111(4), the words “of 24.4 metres in length...
33. In Rule 121— (a) in paragraph (1), the words “of...
34. In Rule 124, the words “76(3)(a), 77(5)(a),” and “79(b)” shall...
35. In Rule 125A, for “Rules 78(3)(a) and 79(b)” there shall...
36. In Rule 126B, the words “for fishing vessels of 24...

***Amendment of the Merchant Shipping (Crew  
Accommodation) (Fishing Vessels) Regulations 1975***

37. The Merchant Shipping (Crew Accommodation) (Fishing Vessels) Regulations 1975 shall...
38. In regulation 1(2), after the definition of “Register” there shall...
39. In regulation 2(1), for “24.4 metres or more in length”...
40. In regulation 2(2)— (a) in sub-paragraph (a), the words “of...
41. In regulation 3(1), for “24.4 metres or over in length”...
42. In the sub-heading to regulation 6(7), and in the heading...
43. In the sub-heading to regulation 6(8) and in the heading...
44. In the headings to regulations 10A, 15A and 29A, and...
45. In the heading to regulation 25B, the words “of 18...
46. In regulation 36— (a) in the heading the words “of...

***Amendment of the Fishing Vessels (Life-Saving Appliances) Regulations 1988***

47. The Fishing Vessels (Life-Saving Appliances) Regulations 1988 shall be amended...

48. In regulation 2(4), for “United Kingdom fishing vessels of 12...
49. In regulation 5(1), the words “of 12 metres in length...
50. For the heading, before regulation 5A, there shall be substituted...
51. Regulation 5A shall be omitted.
52. Before regulation 5C the heading “Recovery of persons overboard” shall...

***Amendment of the Merchant Shipping (Radio) (Fishing Vessels) Regulations 1999***

53. The Merchant Shipping (Radio) (Fishing Vessels) Regulations 1999 shall be...
54. In regulation 3(1)— (a) after the definition of “length” there...
55. In the heading to Part III, for “12 metres or...

***Amendment of the Fishing Vessels (Code of Practice for the Safety of Small Fishing Vessels) Regulations 2001***

56. The Fishing Vessels (Code of Practice for the Safety of...
57. In regulation 2, for the definition of “length” there shall...
58. In regulation 3, for “of less than 12 metres in...
59. At the beginning of regulation 6, for “A vessel” there...

Explanatory Note