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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2023 No. 1216**

**The Merchant Shipping (Small Workboats  
and Pilot Boats) Regulations 2023**

**PART 1**

**Preliminary**

**Provisions disapplied**

**5.—**(1) The Regulations listed in the first column of the table in Schedule 1 (statutory instruments disapplied) do not apply to a vessel which meets the conditions set out in paragraph (2) to the extent specified in the third column of that table.

(2) The conditions are that the vessel—

- (a) has been surveyed and issued with a certificate in accordance with these Regulations, and
- (b) in the case of a vessel the keel of which was laid or which was at a similar stage of construction on or after 7th August 2014, complies with the standards set out in—
  - (i) Annex 1 to Marine Guidance Note MGN 601(M)(1) where the vessel is less than 200 tons, or
  - (ii) Annex 1 to Marine Guidance Note MGN 602(M)(2) where the vessel is 200 tons or more but less than 500 tons.

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(1) MGN 601(M) is available at the following address: [MGN 601 MLC Crew accommodation for small vessels < 200GT - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](#).

(2) MGN 602(M) is available at the following address: [MGN 602 MLC Substantial equivalence for accommodation for 200GT to < 500GT vessels - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](#).