



Gibraltar Maritime Administration

HM Government of Gibraltar

Gibraltar Ship Registry – Recognised Countries (STCW)

States recognised by Gibraltar for the purpose of issuing a Recognised Endorsement under Reg. I/10 of the STCW Convention, as amended:

Algeria	Japan
Argentina	Jordan
Australia	Korea, Republic of
Azerbaijan	Latvia
Bangladesh	Lithuania
Belgium	Madagascar
Brazil	Malaysia
Bulgaria	Malta
Canada	Mexico
Cape Verde	Montenegro
Chile	Morocco
China (PRC)	Myanmar
Croatia	Netherlands
Cuba	New Zealand
Cyprus	Norway
Czech Republic	Oman
Denmark	Pakistan
Ecuador	Peru
Egypt	Philippines
Estonia	Poland
Ethiopia	Portugal
Faroe Islands	Romania
Fiji	Russian Federation
Finland	Senegal
France	Serbia
Georgia	Singapore
Germany	Slovenia
Ghana	South Africa
Greece	Spain
Hong Kong	Sri Lanka
Hungary	Sweden
Iceland	Tunisia
India	Turkey
Indonesia	Ukraine
Iran	United Kingdom
Ireland, Republic of Italy	Uruguay
Jamaica	United States of America
	Vietnam

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There are no restrictions on the nationality of seafarers working on board Gibraltar-registered vessels provided they hold the Appropriate Certificates or training documents issued by an STCW party state that is recognised by the Gibraltar Ship Registry. Officers serving on Gibraltar registered vessels require a UK CoC, UK CEC or a Gibraltar Endorsement under Regulation 1/10 of STCW' 95. This does not apply to Ratings.

The working language on board Gibraltar ships is English. It is a requirement that the officers on board a Gibraltar registered ship (both at operational and management level) have an appropriate level of proficiency in the English language, commensurate with the functions the officer is permitted to perform.

Applications for endorsements should be made to maritime.seafarers@gibraltar.gov.gi

EXPLANATORY NOTES:

- This notice is issued by or on behalf of Gibraltar under the responsibility of the United Kingdom as flag-state under the Convention.
- Contact the Seafarers section for further guidance: maritime.seafarers@gibraltar.gov.gi

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