

NATIONAL GRANDFATHERING MASTER & MATE (PILOT) OF TOWING VESSELS § 11.463

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General Requirements	Reference: 46 CFR	Ü
CG-719B Application	10.209 /10.225 10.231	
TWIC (Identification, Fingerprints, Citizenship, SSN, etc.)	10.203 /10.207 10.209 /10.225 10.231	
Photograph (supplied by TSA)	10.209	
Verify MMLD set to "Y" for SSEB Screening	10.211 / 10.214	
Medical Certificate in MMLD	10.301/10.302	
Drug Testing Compliance (within 6 months)	10.209 /10.225 10.231	
Mariner Fees (in MMLD)	10.219	
Ensure all appropriate fees have been paid		
Sea Service Letters or Discharges (MUST verify vessels in MISLE) Entered on Spreadsheet (Optional)	10.232	
Sea Service Requirements	Reference 46 CFR	
<p>Mariners who met the training and service requirements for towing vessels before May 21, 2001, and have maintained a valid Coast Guard-issued credential may obtain a towing endorsement if they meet the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Demonstrate at least 90 days of towing service completed prior to May 21, 2001. 2. Provide evidence of successfully completing the apprentice mate exam, its predecessor exam, or a superior exam*(see note below). 3. Meet the renewal requirements in § 10.227(e)(6)(i) (May be met Maneuvering and Handling portion (Part D) of TOAR) of this subchapter. 	11.463	
<p>Mariners who operated towing vessels in the offshore oil and mineral industry prior to October 15, 2010, may obtain a towing endorsement until December 24, 2018 as follows:</p> <p>Mariners who held officer endorsements as operator of uninspected towing vessels (OUTV) or mate or master of inspected self-propelled vessels may qualify for a towing endorsement if they meet the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provide evidence of at least 90 days of service on towing vessels in the offshore oil and mineral industry completed prior to October 15, 2010. 2. Provide evidence of successfully completing the apprentice mate (steersman) examination, its predecessor exam, or a superior exam* (see note below). 3. Meet the renewal requirements in § 10.227(e)(6) of this subchapter. 	11.463	

Mariners who operated towing vessels in the offshore oil and mineral industry prior to October 15, 2010, may obtain a towing endorsement until December 24, 2018 as follows: Mariners who have NOT held operator of uninspected towing vessels (OUTV) or mate or master of inspected self-propelled vessels may qualify for a Master of Towing Vessel endorsement if they meet the following: 1. Provide evidence of at least 1440 days of service on towing vessels in the offshore oil and mineral industry completed prior to October 15, 2010. 2. Successfully complete the appropriate apprentice mate (steersman) exam.	11.463	
Mariners who operated towing vessels in the offshore oil and mineral industry prior to October 15, 2010, may obtain a towing endorsement until December 28, 2018 as follows: Mariners who have NOT held operator of uninspected towing vessels (OUTV) or mate or master of inspected self-propelled vessels may qualify for a Mate of Towing Vessel endorsement if they meet the following: 1. Provide evidence of at least 1080 days of service on towing vessels in the offshore oil and mineral industry completed prior to October 15, 2010. 2. Successfully complete the appropriate apprentice mate (steersman) exam.	11.463(e)	
Other Requirements		
Age 21 (Master of T/V)	11.201	
Age 19 (Mate (Pilot) of T/V)	11.201	
Approved Basic Fire Fighting Course within 5 years of application date (unless previously met)	11.201(h)(3)(ii)	
OCEANS ONLY - Approved Basic and Advanced Fire Fighting Course within 5 years of application date (unless previously met)	11.201(h)(2)(ii)	
Exams See Exam Guide		
Exam codes & credential testing comments entered in MMLD	11.903	
Exams administered - Circle appropriate exam guide used Prior to March 24, 2014 After March 24, 2014		
Exam Scores Entered in MMLD		
NOTE TO EVAL: A person requesting Master of T/V may qualify for an STCW endorsement, according to §§ 11.307, 11.311, 11.313, and 11.315 of this part.		
NOTE TO EVAL: A person requesting Mate of T/V may qualify for an STCW endorsement, according to §§ 11.309, 11.317, 11.319, and 11.321 of this part.		

Note: 11.463(f) - Deck officers serving on the following seagoing vessels must hold the appropriate STCW endorsement.

- (1) A towing vessel on an oceans voyage operating beyond near-coastal waters.
- (2) A towing vessel on an international voyage.
- (3) A towing vessel of 200 GRT or more on a domestic, near-coastal voyage

*Note: Superior Exam - An exam for endorsements authorizing service on vessels greater than 200 GRT. A mariner who holds or has previously held an endorsement for Mate or Master Not More Than 200 Gross Tons or higher, or as Operator of Uninspected Towing Vessels (OUTV) will be considered to meet this requirement

Comments:
