

Full Name

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APPLICATION FOR THE ISSUE OR RENEWAL OF A PILOTAGE EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE

Please read the notes on page 4 and complete the following in BLOCK CAPITALS.

Name of Ship	Port of Registry	Gross Tonnage	LOA in metr
1			
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2			
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4			
5			



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I submit my application for the Grant by Examination/Annual Renewal (delete as appropriate) for a Pilotage Exemption Certificate.

Full Name		
Nationality	Date of Birth	
Address	Name and Address of Shipping Company	
Telephone Number	Telephone Number	
Name and Address of Local Agent (if applicable)		
Maximum length and draft of vessel(s) for which ex	cemption is applied	
Type and nature of cargo of vessel(s) for which exe	mption is applied	
Applicant's grade of Certificate of Competency		
Number of Certificate of Competency		
Date of issue of Certificate of Competency		
Experience of the pilotage area of Cowes (CHA) wit	hin the past twelve months.	
Please list vessels and owners and number of visits	•	
Experience of the Pilotage area of Cowes (CHA) prior to the past twelve months.		
Please list vessels and owners and number of visits		



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DECLARATION

I hereby declare that the above information is correct and I confirm the following:

I have studied and am familiar with:

- International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea Merchant Shipping (Distress Signals and Prevention of Collisions) Regulations 1996, as amended.
- The Cowes local sea area in respect of Pilotage, including the following:

Boarding points	■ Buoyage
■ Lights	■ Courses
■ Tides	Moorings
Commercial Traffic	■ Berths
Depths	 Timings from call points to Chain Ferry and Harbour entrance
Events & Yacht races	Speed limit

- Cowes Harbour General Directions (and other local regulations). www.cowes.co.uk
- The relevant Notice to Mariners for the Ports of Cowes and Southampton. <u>www.sotonvts.co.uk</u>
- The Cowes Harbour Emergency Plan
- The Dangerous Goods in Harbour Areas Regulations 2016 (where applicable).
- The Cowes Harbour Commission (CHA) Pilotage Arrangements Directions and Schedules.
- I have a satisfactory working knowledge of the English language.

Signed	. Date	
STATEMENT BY SHIPS OWNERS OR APPOI	NTED AGENT	
I have known the applicantprofessional conduct at sea has been entire above are correct and I recommend the gr	rely satisfactory. To the best of my kno	wledge the details giver
Signed	Date	



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Details of any existing Pilotage Exemption Certificate for other CHA's		
Linearing Authority (CIIA)		
Licensing Authority (CHA)		
Certificate Number		
Date Granted		
Expiry Date		
Licensing Areas		

NOTES

- 1. Pilotage Exemption Certificates are granted only by examination.
- 2. The conditions for the grant of a Pilotage Exemption Certificate are laid down in Schedules 1 and 2 of the Cowes Pilotage Arrangements.
- 3. All applications should be accompanied by an appropriate medical certificate of fitness and eyesight. The applicant should submit a certificate e.g. ENG 1, ML5 or equivalent appropriate for their certificate of competency.
- 4. Applications for renewals must be submitted at least 1 month in advance of the expiry date.
- 5. Applications for Grant by Examination will be informed of the date of examination.
- 6. THE APPROPRIATE FEE SHOULD ACCOMPANY ALL APPLICATIONS. (PILOTAGE SCHEDULE OF FEES SCHEDULE 7), PAYABLE TO **COWES HARBOUR COMMISSION**, AS FOLLOWS:

Grant of a Pilotage Exemption Certificate by Examination £262.50

Annual renewal of a Pilotage Exemption Certificate £89.00