

Executive Order on the issuance of call signs and identification numbers for ships

Pursuant to section 45 and section 51 of the Danish Act on Radio Frequencies, cf. Consolidated Act no. 151 of 27 January 2021, the Danish Maritime Authority is authorised pursuant to sections 5 and 6 of Executive Order no. 1891 of 9 December 2020 on the delegation of powers to the Danish Maritime Authority:

Scope

Section 1. The Executive Order lays down rules for the issuance and revocation of call signs and identification numbers in maritime radio services.

Call signs and identification numbers

Section 2. The Danish Maritime Authority issues, upon application, call sign certificates where call signs and identification numbers are assigned for use in connection with frequency use in maritime radio equipment on Danish ships.

Subsection 2. Application for a call sign certificate under subsection 1 shall be made using the Danish Maritime Authority's application system.

Subsection 3. Information on call signs, frequencies, addresses, telephone numbers, etc., is registered with the Danish Maritime Authority and provided to the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) and relevant rescue authorities.

Section 3. The Danish Maritime Authority may revoke a call sign or identification number issued pursuant to section 2 if the holder fails to pay the fees due, cf. section 4.

Fees

Section 4. A fee is payable for issuing call signs and identification numbers in maritime radio services.

Subsection 2. The applicable fee is determined in accordance with the rules laid down by the Ministry of Finance on price calculation and is published on the Danish Maritime Authority's website.

Entry into force, etc.

Section 5. The Executive Order shall enter into force on 1 July 2023.

Subsection 2. Executive Order no. 442 of 7 June 2005 on the issuance of call signs and identification numbers for ships and SRC radio tests is repealed.

Subsection 3. Valid call signs and identification numbers issued by the Danish National IT and Telecom Agency before 1 January 2005 remain in force unless revoked by the Danish Maritime Authority.

Subsection 4. SRC licences acquired and examinations passed in accordance with previous rules remain valid.

Section 6. The Executive Order does not apply to Greenland and the Faroe Islands.

The Danish Maritime Authority, 27 March 2023

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