

**CHAPTER 21 -
SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO RECREATIONAL VESSELS**

21-1 General

21-1 Recreational craft shall meet the following requirements:

[(a)] Articles 21.02 and 21.03 shall apply to the construction, equipment *and manning*¹ of recreational craft.

[(b) Article 1-1.2 (ii) is not applicable.]

~~Article 21-2~~

~~Application of Part II~~

21-2.1 Recreational craft shall meet the following requirements:

(i) from Chapters 3 and 4:

Article 3-1.1, Article 3-1.2, first paragraph, Articles 3-4.1.1, 3-4.1.2, 3-4.1.3 and 4-4.3.7 ~~and Article 8-1.3.1~~

(ii) Chapter 5²;

(iii) from Chapter 6:

Article 6-1.1 and Article 6-8;

(iv) from Chapter 7:

Article 7-1.5³, Article 7-2⁴, Articles 7-3.1 and 7-3.2, Article 7-1.1, Article 7-1.6, Article 7-6.7⁵ [if there is a wheelhouse designed for radar navigation by one person];

(v) from Chapters 8 **and 8B**:

Article 8-1.1.1, first paragraph, ~~first sentence~~, 8-1.1.3 and 8-1.1.4, ~~Articles 8-1.1.1, first paragraph, second sentence~~, Article 8-1.1.6, 8-1.3.1 and 8-1.3.2, Article 8-1.4, Article 8-1.5.1, Article 8-1.5.2 second sentence, Article 8-1.5.6, Article 8-1.5.9, Article 8-1.5.10, Article 8-1.5.11, Article 8-1.5.12, Article 8-1.5.13 second sentence, Article 8-1.6.1, Article 8-1.6.2, Article 8-1.6.5, Article 8-1.6.7, Article 8B-1.5, Article 8B-1.2⁶ and Article 8B-8⁷;

(vi) from Chapter 9:

¹ See RVBR Article 21.01

² Applicable provisions

³ pro: necessity of hearing navigational signals; contra: costs of measurements of sound levels

⁴ the steering position is not fixed and not always in the middle of the ship

⁵ if there is a wheelhouse designed for radar navigation by one person (as a reminder)

⁶ correcting: oil collecting.....

⁷ Should be checked with the latest amendments of the Directive EC 94/25

Article 9-1.1.1, *mutatis mutandis*;

(vii) from Chapter 10:

Article 10-1.2.1, the last paragraph **or** Article 10-1.2.2, Articles 10-1.3.1 and 10-1.3.3, Article 10-1.2.3, Article 10-1.1.3, Article 10-1.1.2, Article 10-1.5.1, the last sentence, Article 10-1.4.1 and 10-1.4.2, Article 10-1.4.3, Article 10-1.4.4, Article 10-2.1, first, second and twelfth **bullet points**, Article 10-1.4.5, Article 10-2.1 third, seventh, ninth and tenth **bullet points**, Article 10-3.1, subparagraphs (i), (ii), (iv), however, there shall be at least two fire extinguishers on board; Article 10-3.2 and Article 10-3.5. 10-3.7 and 10-3.8, ~~Article 10-3.6, Article 8-2.6~~, Articles 10-5.4.2 and 10-5.4.3; **a fixed fire-extinguishing installation, if fitted, shall comply with Article 10-3.6, and an automatic fire detection system – with Article 8-2.6.**

—~~(h) Chapter 13;~~

(viii) Chapter 14;

(ix) **[from Chapter 22B:**

Article 22B-5.1].

21-2.2 For recreational craft (between 20 m and 24 m) subject to Directive 94/25/EC of 16 June 1994 on recreational craft,^{89/} first inspection and periodical inspections only extend to:

- (i) Article 6-8, if there is a rate-of-turn indicator;
- (ii) Article 7-1.5, Article 7-2, Article 7-3.1, and Article 7-6.7 if there is a wheelhouse designed for radar navigation by one person;
- (iii) Articles 8-1.1.3 and 8-1.1.4, Article 8-1.3.1, Article 8-1.1.6, Article 8-1.5.10, the last sentence, Article 8-1.6.2 and Article 8B-8;
- (iv) Article 10-1.2.1, the last paragraph, Article 10-1.2.2, Articles 10-1.3.1 and 10-1.3.3, Article 10-1.2.3, Article 10-1.4.4, Article 10-2.1, first and second subparagraphs 1, 2, Article 10-1.4.5, Article 10-2.1 subparagraphs third, seventh, ninth, tenth, Article 10-3.1, subparagraphs (ii) and (iv); 10-3.2 and Article 10-3.5, Articles 10-5.4.2 and 10-5.4.3;

~~Chapter 13;~~

(v) from Chapter 14:

(aa) Article 14-12;

(bb) Article 14.13; the acceptance test after putting into service of the liquefied gas installation shall be carried out in accordance with the requirements of

⁸ This Directive is intended for recreational craft to be placed on the European Community market

⁹ OJ L 164, 30.6.1994, p. 15. Directive as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1882/2003.

Directive 94/25/EC, and an acceptance report shall be submitted to the inspection body;

(cc) Articles 14.14 and 14.15; the liquefied gas installation shall be in accordance with the requirements of Directive 94/25/EC;

(dd) Chapter 14 entirely, if the liquefied gas installation is fitted after placing on the market of the recreational craft.

Article 21-3¹⁰

Applicability of Chapter 23

21-3.1 Chapter 23 is not applicable. The crew shall consist of:

(a) a certified boatmaster;

(b) a person who can help with ship's manoeuvring.

¹⁰ RVBR Article 21.03