

DECLARATION OF ELIGIBILITY

To register a British Ship under Part 3 of the Shipping (Jersey) Law 2002 (excluding Fishing Vessels)

Part 3 of the register is for merchant and pleasure vessels

* For Part 3 registration, the property in a ship is divided into 64 shares

* A share can be jointly owned by no more than 5 people

SECTION 1 : DETAILS OF THE SHIP

IS THIS AN APPLICATION TO REGISTER A MERCHANT VESSEL? OR A PLEASURE VESSEL? (please tick the appropriate box)

Name/proposed name of ship _____ Official number (if any) _____ Length (metres) _____

SECTION 2 : LEGAL OWNERSHIP (the 64 shares in the ship are legally owned as follows)

* A ship can be registered on Part 3 if the majority interest (ie 33 shares) is owned by persons qualified to be owners of British ships. Please refer to the Notes overleaf.

* For ships to be registered on Part 3, please list the qualified owners first and draw a line under them, before entering the unqualified owners.

*Owner No.	Mr. Mrs., Miss, Other	Surname / Company name / Limited Liability Partnership name	Forename(s) / Registered Office	Address/Companies must enter their principal place of business	Nationality / Country of Incorporation	Status (See notes Pg.2)	No. of shares held outright	No. of shares held jointly	With owner number

*Please number each owner consecutively.

SECTION 3 : REPRESENTATIVE PERSON / MANAGING OWNER

* If none of the owners making up the majority interest is resident in Jersey, a Representative Person must be appointed. (A body corporate is treated as resident if it has a place of business in Jersey).

* A representative person is either an individual resident in Jersey or a body corporate which has a place of business in Jersey (A list of Representative Persons is available from the Registrar).

* If the vessel is to be jointly owned by more than one owner, either resident individuals or companies having their principal place of business in Jersey, one of them must be appointed as the managing owner. This must be one of the owners in the majority interest.

either: **I / We appoint the following to be the ship's Representative person**

Full Name / Company Name _____

Address / Place of Business in Jersey _____

NB. If there is a change to the details in this section, the Registrar must be informed within 7 days of the change occurring.

or: **I / We appoint the following to be the ship's managing owner** (applicable only to joint owners being either Jersey residents or body corporates having a place of business in Jersey).

Full Name / Company Name _____

SECTION 4 : DECLARATION (must be signed by all those named in section 2)

I / We declare that:

- * the information given by me / us in this form is true to the best of my / our knowledge and belief;
- * I am / we are the legal owner(s) of the shares as set out in section 2 of this form;
- * the ship is not fishing for profit;
- * to the best of my / our knowledge and belief, a majority interest in the ship is owned by persons qualified to be owners of British ships, and the ship is otherwise entitled to be registered under part 3 of the Law.

NB. For companies and European Economic Interest Groups, an authorised officer of each of the companies or groupings must sign this form.

Notes on status – qualified owners are:

Owner No.	Signature	Date

(a) an individual ordinarily resident in Jersey; (b) an individual carrying on business in Jersey; (c) a body corporate incorporated in a British Island, in a British Overseas Territory, in a member state of the British Commonwealth of Nations or in a member state of the European Community; (d) a body corporate carrying on business in Jersey; (e) a Committee of the States of Jersey;	(f) a British citizen; (g) a British Overseas Territory citizen; (h) an individual who under the British Nationality Act 1981 is a British subject; (i) a British National (Overseas) within the meaning of that Act; (j) a British protected person within the meaning of that Act; (k) an individual who under the Hong Kong (British Nationality) Order is a	British National (Overseas); (l) an individual not otherwise mentioned in this paragraph who is a citizen of a member state of the British Commonwealth of Nations; (m) an individual not otherwise mentioned in this paragraph who is a citizen of a member state of the European Community; (n) a corporation sole established by an enactment.
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When completed you should send this form, together with the appropriate fee and supporting documents to:
The Registrar of British Ships, Maritime House, La Route du Port Elizabeth, St. Helier, Jersey JE1 1HB.
 Tel: 01534 448128 Fax: 01534 448158

Continue on a separate page if necessary and tick box.