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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT

NO. R. 44

23 JANUARY 2017

**MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1951 (ACT NO. 57 OF 1951)**

**Merchant Shipping (Radio Installations) Amendment Regulations, 2016**

The Minister of Transport has, in terms of section 356 (1) of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1951 (Act No. 57 of 1951), made the regulations in the Schedule.



**MS DIPUO PETERS, MP**

**MINISTER OF TRANSPORT**

**DATE:** 27/11/2016

**SCHEDULE**

1. In these regulations, “the Regulations” means The Merchant Shipping (Radio Installations) Regulations (2002) published by, Government Notice No. R 506 on the 26<sup>th</sup> April 2002 and Government Notice No. R 457 on the 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2013, as amended.

**Amendment of Regulation 22**

2. Regulation 22 of the Regulations is hereby amended by the insertion after subregulation (2) of the following subregulation:—

“(2A) Additional requirement for certain ships to which this Part applies, being—

- (a) a class D fishing vessel;
- (b) a cargo ship of less than 100 gross tonnage making a voyage less than 40 nautical miles from shore,

and must be provided with the satellite EPIRB of the kind referred to in regulation 10(1) (f).”

**Short title and commencement**

3. These regulations are called The Merchant Shipping (Radio Installations) Amendment Regulations, 2016, and shall come into operation on the date published in the Gazette.