

Restricted Smoking Onboard Vessels

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Smoking of tobacco is highly injurious to health & company discourages crew members from smoking.

It is the responsibility of smoker to ensure strict compliance to onboard smoking regulations so that other crew members are not exposed to passive smoking.

GUIDELINES FOR DESIGNATING SMOKING AREAS ONBOARD

- 1. Smoking is only permitted in the designated common areas onboard.
- 2. Master can designate **maximum 2 common** areas onboard to permit smoking. Port & terminal requirements must be complied with if more stringent.
- 3. Company strongly discourages designating Engine control room and Bridge as smoking areas. However, vessel's safety committee may review the extraordinary circumstances, such as pilotage and designate Bridge as smoking area for short duration upon Master's approval.
- 4. The common designated area should be properly ventilated.
- 5. Extraction fans as mechanical means of ventilation are effective and should be considered.
- 6. Entrance doors should be fitted with automatic closing device to ensure they are kept closed at all times except when entering or leaving the smoking area.
- 7. The designated smoking areas should be well separated from food handling and dining areas.
- 8. Sufficient number of self-extinguishing ash trays, safety match boxes should be available in the designated areas. Mechanical lighters are prohibited.
- 9. Crew members entering the designated smoking area should be aware of health hazards and act responsibly.

ONBOARD THIS VESSEL, YOU ARE ONLY ALLOWED TO SMOKE IN FOLLOWING COMMON AREAS

At Sea / anchorage	In Port / Alongside berth/STS
1. _____	1. _____
2. _____	2. _____

Above regulations also apply to electronic e-cigarettes.