

STCW ABLE SEAFARER-DECK §12.603

NAME: _____ REFERENCE #: _____ DATE: _____

General Requirements	Reference: 46 CFR §	✓
CG-719B Application	10.209 / 10.225 10.231	
TWIC (Identification, Fingerprints, Citizenship, SSN, etc.)	10.203 / 10.207 10.209 / 10.225 10.231	
Photograph (Supplied by TSA)	10.209	
Verify MMLD set to "Y" for SSEB Screening.	10.211 / 10.214	
Medical Certificate in MMLD	10.301 / 10.302	
Sea Service Letters or Discharges (MUST verify vessels in MISLE) Entered on Spreadsheet (Optional)	10.232	
Sea Service Requirements	Reference: 46 CFR §	
Seafarers may be considered to have qualified for this endorsement if they: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Meet the requirements for certification as a RFPNW; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • While qualified as an RFPNW, have seagoing service in the deck department of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 540 days; or • 360 days and have completed approved training <p>Note: Not necessary to hold the endorsement for RFPNW but ALL training/assessment and sea service required for RFPNW must be completed before accruing the sea service towards AS-D.</p>	12.603, NVIC 14-14	
Assessments <i>(only needed if qualifying under option 1)</i>		
Provide evidence of meeting the Standards of Competence specified in Table A-II/5 of the STCW Code	12.603 NVIC 14-14	
Until January 1, 2017 , seafarers may be considered to have qualified for this endorsement if they: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Have served as a watch standing AB or as an RFPNW for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 360 days within the last 5 years prior to application, OR <p>Note: Mariners who qualify for AS-D under this option will also receive RFPNW if not previously endorsed.</p>	12.603, NVIC 04-14 NVIC 02-14	
3. Seafarers holding a rating endorsement as able seaman before January 1, 2017 , will be eligible for this endorsement upon showing evidence of: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Holding an endorsement as RFPNW, and 2. Having satisfactorily completed approved training in: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Proficiency in Survival Craft or ii. Proficiency in Survival Craft - Limited 		
Applicant's who hold or qualify for an STCW with Regulations II/1, II/2 meet all requirements for this endorsement. (No further training or assessments required.)		
Other Requirements	46 CFR	
Age 18	12.603	
Approved Training	46 CFR	
Basic Training (or continued competency)	12.602	
Proficiency in survival craft (Limited or Full)	12.603	

