



Issuing seafarer's license

About the Service

This service allows the customer to obtain a license for seafarers for working onboard ships

Service Process

- Login using UAE PASS account.
- Fill in the required field and attach the required documents.
- Submit the service
- Pay the fees.
- Obtain the service

Expected Time

- One Working Day

Service Fees

- AED 200 - AED 300

Fees Details

- Fee for the following professions (navigation officer/doctor/radio operator/trainee cadet/seafarer/skipper license for a wooden commercial ship/maintenance technician/ tug master / electrician / pleasure boat skipper) 200 AED
- Fee for the following professions (commercial ship master / chief officer / chief engineer / second engineer / dredger captain / maintenance engineer) 300 AED

Target Audience

- Government Entities
- Business Sector

Service Channels

- MOEI website: 24/7

- Smart app: 24/7
- Happiness Service Centers: According to the service center working hours (Dubai, Ras Al Khaimah, Fujairah)

Terms and Conditions

- N/A

Partners

N/A

Exceptional Cases

N/A

FAQ's

- What are the documents required to renew a license to work as a seafarer? A copy of the sailor's record.A copy of the marine safety certificates.A copy of the seafarer's certificates, as applicableA copy of the passport + residence permit in case the ship operates in the territorial waters onlyA copy of the seafarer's medical fitness certificate
- What should I do if I'm not able to print the electronic application from the Ministry's e-services website? This problem occurs when the browser blocks pop-up pages. To solve this problem, you must disable the pop-up blocker from your browser

Required Documents

The required documents issued by approved authorities require a stamp, taking into consideration that the digital stamp is acceptable.

- Letter from the company
- Copy of Seafarer certificates as appropriate
- Seaman ID
- Passport copy + residence for those working on ships operated in UAE territorial waters only
- Copy of seafarers medical fitness certificate
- Service Code:MOEI-10048
- Service Type:G2B , G2G

Related Services

Cancelation of Seafarer's license

Replacement for a lost or damaged Seafarer's license

Renewal of Seafarer's License

Having trouble?

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