



EILANDGEBIED ST. MAARTEN NEDERLANDSE ANTILLEN

INFORMATION REGARDING APPLICATION FOR CHARTERBOAT LICENSE

You are herewith informed that the Department of Permits and Licensing will be pursuing the implementation of the Island Ordinance of March 1984 pertaining to the Transportation of persons by sail or motor vessel - "Vergunningsverordening vaartuigen 1984". The following information is required:

1. The applicant's first, middle and last name, date of birth address and nationality (**article 4 sub a**);
2. If the applicant is an entity, the judicial form, name of the entity and where the company is registered; the names, date and place of birth and nationality of the board of directors (**article 4 sub b**);
3. if, the director is of foreign nationality a copy of the residence permit and a passport picture (**article 4 sub c**);
4. Information regarding the Vessel: name, dimensions, the trademark and the maximum passengers capacity (**article 4 sub d**);
5. If the applicant is not the owner of the Vessel: name, date, place of birth of the owner as well as his/her declaration that the applicant is empowered by him/her to operate the vessel(**article 4 sub e**);
6. If the license holder will not be the captain of the vessel: name, date and place of birth, nationality of the captain. This information must also be supplied of the crewmembers. If they are of foreign nationality, copies of the residence permits(**article 4 sub f**);
7. Copy of the insurance policy where the crew and passengers are insured against eventual accident or lost of life (**article 4 sub g**);
8. A copy of the certificate of proficiency of the captain(**article 9 sub b**);
9. A certificate of good conduct of the license holder(**article 12 sub f**)
10. A certificate of good conduct of the captain;
11. A certificate issued by or on behalf of the Harbormaster indicating that the vessel meets all safety requirements(**article 6**);

You are required to indicate which of the following activities apply to your company:

- a) "Bareboat" operation consisting of fishing charters;
- b) Organizing of trips covering more than one nautical mile of the coast of St Maarten with the sole purpose to transport the passengers to the neighboring islands;
- c) Organizing of trips within one nautical mile of the island of St Maarten and or within the Simpsonbay Lagoon.

Please give this matter your immediate attention.