<u>NOTE TO QUALIFIED ASSESSOR(S)</u>: In performing your function as a Qualified Assessor, you may only use your initials to indicate you have personally witnessed the demonstration of skill or ability by the person being assessed. The Assessment Guidelines in Enclosure (2) will provide satisfactory evidence of meeting the standard of competence specified in Section A-VI/2-1 of the STCW Code. The use of these Assessment Guidelines is not mandatory and an alternative means of having achieved the standards of competence in the STCW Code will be considered as described in paragraph 10 of this NVIC. In accordance with 46 CFR 10.402, alternative Assessment Guidelines must be submitted to the National Maritime Center and approved before use.

STCW Competence	Knowledge, Understanding, and Proficiency	Task No.	Task Name	Assessor's Initials	Date
Take charge of a lifeboat during and after launch	Construction and outfit of survival craft and individual items of their equipment	1.1.A <i>BOTH</i>	Items in a survival craft and survival craft limitations	EXAM	
	Particular characteristics and facilities of survival craft	1.2.A <i>BOTH</i>	Survival craft construction	EXAM	
	Various types of devices used for launching survival craft	1.3.A <i>BOTH</i>	Types and locations of survival craft launching devices	EXAM	
		1.3.B <i>BOTH</i>	Gravity davits	EXAM	I
		1.3.C <i>BOTH</i>	Free fall launching equipment	EXAM	l
		1.3.D <i>BOTH</i>	Single point davits	EXAM	l
	Methods of launching survival craft into a rough sea	1.4.A <i>BOTH</i>	Command launching a lifeboat		
		1.4.B <i>PSC</i>	Command launching a rescue boat		
		1.4.C <i>LTD</i>	Launching a survival craft into rough seas	EXAN	

Notes:

- **BOTH** The assessment is required for both PSC and PSC-Limited endorsements.
- *PSC* The assessment is only required for a PSC endorsement.
- *LTD* The assessment is only required for a PSC-Limited endorsement.
- *EXAM* The "Assessor's Initials" column indicates the assessment is satisfied by successful completion of a Coast Guard administered examination for a Lifeboatman or Lifeboatman-Limited endorsement or a course approved or accepted to substitute for the Coast Guard examination.
- COURSE The "Assessor's Initials" column indicates the assessment is satisfied if the candidate successfully completes approved or accepted Basic Training or presents evidence of maintaining the standards of competence in Basic Training.

STCW Competence	Knowledge, Understanding, and Proficiency	Task No.	Task Name	Assessor's Initials	Date
Take charge of a survival craft or rescue boat during	Methods of recovering survival craft	1.5.A <i>PSC</i>	Command recovery and stowage of a lifeboat		
and after launch		1.5.B <i>BOTH</i>	Command recovery and stowage of a survival craft		
	Action to be taken after leaving the ship	1.6.A <i>LTD</i>	Actions after clearing the ship's side	EXAN	
	Methods of launching and recovering survival craft in a rough sea	1.7.A <i>LTD</i>	Prepare and launch a rescue boat		
		1.7.B <i>LTD</i>	Operate a rescue boat during launch		
		1.7.C <i>LTD</i>	Act as a member of rescue boat crew during launch		
		1.7.D <i>LTD</i>	Act as a member of rescue boat crew during recovery		
		1.7.E <i>LTD</i>	Operate a rescue boat during recovery		
	Dangers associated with use of on-load release devices	1.8.A <i>BOTH</i>	On-load release devices	EXAM	l
	Knowledge of maintenance procedures	1.9.A <i>BOTH</i>	Survival craft maintenance	EXAM	l
Operate a survival craft engine	Methods of starting and operating a survival craft	2.1.A <i>PSC</i>	Start and operate a lifeboat engine		
	engine and its accessories	2.1.B <i>LTD</i>	Start and operate a rescue boat engine		
Manage survivors and survival craft after abandoning ship	Handling survival craft in rough weather	3.1.A <i>PSC</i>	Command lifeboat operation		
		3.1.B <i>PSC</i>	Handle a lifeboat under oars		
	Use of painter, sea anchor and all other equipment	3.2.A <i>PSC</i>	Use lifeboat equipment		

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Manage survivors and survival craft after	Apportionment of food and water in survival craft	3.3.A <i>BOTH</i>	Apportionment of food and water	EXAM	I	
abandoning ship	Action taken to maximize detectability and location of survival craft	3.4.A <i>BOTH</i>	Rigging radar reflector and SART	EXAM	I	
	Method of helicopter rescue	3.5.A <i>BOTH</i>	Helicopter rescue from a rescue boat or lifeboat	EXAM		
		3.5.B <i>BOTH</i>	Helicopter rescue from a life raft and the water	EXAM		
	Effects of hypothermia and its prevention; use of protective covers and garments, including immersion suits and thermal protective aids	3.6.A <i>BOTH</i>	Hypothermia	EXAM	l	
	Use of rescue boats and motor lifeboats for marshalling life rafts and rescue of survivors and persons in the sea	3.7.A BOTH	Use of survival craft after abandoning ship	EXAM		
	Beaching survival craft	3.8.A <i>BOTH</i>	Landing a survival craft	EXAM		
Use locating devices, including communication	Radio life-saving appliances carried in survival craft,	4.1.A <i>BOTH</i>	Operation of an EPIRB			
and signaling apparatus and pyrotechnics	including satellite EPIRBs and SARTs	4.1.B <i>BOTH</i>	Operation of a SART			
	Pyrotechnic distress signals	4.2.A <i>BOTH</i>	Use of pyrotechnic distress signals			
Apply first aid to survivors	Use of the first-aid kit and resuscitation techniques	5.1.A <i>BOTH</i>	First Aid	COURS	SE	

ASSESSOR AND VESSEL INFORMATION

Qualified Assessors should provide all information below, including their Mariner Reference Number.

Vessel Name	Gross Tonnage (Note GRT or GT)	Dates of Service				Sample	Assessor	Assessor
		From	То	Assessor Name	Assessor Signature	Initials of Assessor	Mariner Ref. No.	Shipboard Position
M/V Scurius	8,892 GRT	7/7/2014	11/14/2014	Robert Onderbroek	Robert Onderbroek	RØ	1234567	Chief Mate