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Please allow approximately 21 days for your certificate to be issued. Regrettably we are unable to respond to requests to check the progress of your application within the first 14 days of this period.

#### PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY IN CAPITAL LETTERS.

MR/MRS/MISS:	
FORENAME:	
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DECLARATION OF SECRECY IN THE	E OPERATION OF RADIO APPARATUS
(Read the following declaration carefully before	ore completion and signature.)
I	do solemnly and sincerely declare that I will not
means of any radio apparatus operated by m	t of any message which I may transmit or receive by ne or which may come to my knowledge in connection addition, I declare that all of the information that I have y knowledge.
SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT:	

The information on this form is being collected on the authority of The Maritime and Coastguard Agency (MCA) and is to be processed for the purpose of issuing a Short Range Certificate. Authority for disclosure remains with the RYA. This information may be made available to The Office of Communications (Ofcom) and The Maritime and Coastguard Agency (MCA) in the United Kingdom.

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# APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION FOR THE CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCE IN RADIOTELEPHONY GMDSS SHORT RANGE CERTIFICATE (SRC)

The examination takes the form of a practical and written test on radiotelephone voice procedures, operation of a Class D DSC controller and regulations governing the use of a VHF Marine band radiotelephone in the Global Maritime Distress and Safety System, with particular emphasis on distress and urgency procedures.

#### THE SHORT RANGE CERTIFICATE

This certificate authorises the holder to use a radiotelephone on the VHF international frequencies of the Maritime Mobile band including channel 70 for digital selective callings. The SRC is intended for use in vessels of under 300 gross registered tons which voluntarily fit GMDSS equipment.

### OTHER RADIO OPERATOR QUALIFICATIONS

The Short Range Certificate does not authorise the holder to use MF or HF equipment or act as radio operator on a vessel which is required by law to be fitted with radio equipment for participation in the GMDSS.

Details of exams for the Long Range Certificate for voluntarily-fitted MF and HF equipment and for the General Operator Certificate, for vessels over 300 tons, are available from: Wray Castle Ltd, AMERC NAC, Bridge Mills, Stramongate, Kendal LA9 4UB Tel: 01539 742745.

#### **ELIGIBILITY TO SIT THE EXAM**

Candidates of any nationality or residency are eligible to take the UK SRC exam provided they are 16 years old or older on the day of the exam. There is no age limit on the attendance of an SRC training course.

Exam candidates should have one of the following three qualifying criteria prior to the exam taking place:

- 1. Satisfactorily completing a recognised classroom based SRC course, delivered through a RYA recognised training centre.
- 2. Satisfactorily completing the RYA's online SRC course, delivered through an RYA recognised training centre.
- 3. Holding an acceptable non-GMDSS maritime radio operators certificate such as the RYA's Restricted VHF certificate.

Candidates should contact their local RYA recognised training centre for course and exam details. Candidates following option three are strongly recommended to attend some form of coaching/training at an RYA recognised centre prior to taking the exam.

#### **PHOTOGRAPH**

All applicants must provide, at the time of the exam, a passport size (45mm high by 35mm wide) colour photograph with their name clearly printed on the back.

#### **EXAMINATION FEES**

An examination fee of £76 is payable to the RYA. Payment details must be completed prior to the commencement of the examination.

#### **FAST TRACK SERVICE**

For an additional charge we can guarantee a three working day turnaround from the date we receive your application (free of charge to RYA Life Members). If you require this service please clearly mark your application 'FAST TRACK' and we will con tact you for additional payment. Please see www.rya.org.uk/go/fast-track for the current fees. Please note: applications cannot be upgraded to Fast Track after they have been received by the RYA.



Exam Candidate:	_
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## **PAYMENT DETAILS**

Name of Principal/Chief Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature:

Courses and examinations are available at any RYA Training Centre recognised for Short Range Certificate Training.	
Payments may be made by cheque or the centre may pay on account.	
Please indicate the method of payment:	
Note: Candidates wishing to pay by debit or credit card should use the <u>online exam payment system prior to the exam</u>	
www.rya.org.uk/exam-payments	
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1. Cheques must be made payable to the RYA	
2. Payment on training centre account (To be completed by the Principal/Chief Instructor)	
Training Centre Name:	

I confirm that the above named centre holds a credit account with the RYA that may be used for this payment.