

Small Ships Register

EXPIRY OF CERTIFICATES OF REGISTRATION

SSR Notice

Notice to Boat Owners

The Small Ships Register would like to inform all boat owners that, as from 1st June 2025, the Certificate of Registration must be renewed not later than one month after its expiry.

Boat owners are advised that failure to comply will result in the **automatic closure of the vessel's registration** under the Small Ships Register. As per **Regulation 3 of the Small Ships Regulations** vessels that are not validly registered may **not be operated or otherwise used within the internal and territorial waters of Malta**.

To resume operation after deregistration, the vessel will need to undergo a full **re-registration process**.

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