



**Australian Government**  
**Australian Maritime Safety Authority**

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**Marine Order 21 (Safety and emergency arrangements) Amendment 2019**

I, Michael Kinley, Chief Executive Officer of the Australian Maritime Safety Authority, make this Marine Order under subsection 342(1) of the *Navigation Act 2012*.

2019

**[DRAFT ONLY — NOT FOR SIGNATURE]**  
Chief Executive Officer

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**1 Name of Marine Order**

This Marine Order is *Marine Order 21 (Safety and emergency arrangements) Amendment 2019*.

**2 Commencement**

This Marine Order commences on .

**3 Amendment of *Marine Order 21 (Safety and emergency arrangements) 2016***

Schedule 1 amends *Marine Order 21 (Safety and emergency arrangements) 2016*.

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## Schedule 1 Amendment

### [1] Subparagraph 2(b)(i)

*omit*

Regulation 21

*insert*

Regulations 19-1 and 21

### [2] Paragraph 23(2)(a)

*substitute*

(a) assign to seafarers emergency duties, including damage control duties; and

### [3] Schedule 1, clause 6

*omit*

A damage control drill

*insert*

(1) A damage control drill for a vessel

### [4] After Schedule 1, clause 6

*insert*

(2) However, if the vessel is a passenger vessel, the following are also required for the damage control drill:

- (a) any seafarer with damage control duties must report to the seafarer's muster station and prepare for duties in the muster list;
- (b) any bilge pump must be operated and its alarm and automatic starting system checked;
- (c) any communication link to shore based support must be tested;
- (d) stability assessments must be conducted for the simulated damage conditions by using:
  - (i) damage control information; and
  - (ii) if fitted — an on board damage stability computer; and
  - (iii) if the vessel has a communication link to shore based support — the activated link at least once a year.

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### Note

1. All legislative instruments and compilations of legislative instruments are registered on the Federal Register of Legislation under the *Legislation Act 2003*. See <https://www.legislation.gov.au>.

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