

MBS823

## STCW Proficiency in Fast Rescue Boats

| Duration      | 3 days                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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| Target group  | Marine and Offshore                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Prerequisites | A person must be of at least 16 years of age to take the FRB course.<br>A person must hold a training certificate in Proficiency in Survival Craft and<br>Rescue Boats (PSC) (or equivalent under subsection 2.2 of chapter 2 of<br>TP4957) to take this course.<br>All program information, written courseware and classroom presentations,<br>will be conducted in English.<br>ITEMS REQUIRED FOR TRAINING:<br>- When checking in for training, please have your GOVERNMENT ISSUED<br>PHOTO ID with you (ie: Passport or Drivers Licences, etc.)<br>- Shorts, T-Shirt, and Socks for pool exercises<br>- Towels, shower facilities on site<br>- Lock for locker<br>- A change of clothes for Sea Day (in the winter bring warm clothes such as<br>a sweatshirt and sweatpants)<br>PLEASE NOTE: Certificates CANNOT be issued unless valid Government<br>issued ID has been presented on Day 1 of training for all RONC courses,<br>including OPITO approved training.<br>Course activities will involve various physical activities. |
| Objective     | Upon successful completion of all training components, in accordance with<br>the Training Standard, trainees will receive a Transport Canada Training<br>Certificate that is valid for five (5) years.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Contents      | On meeting the minimum standard of competence in fast rescue crafts, a trainee will be competent to handle and take charge of such boats during or after launching in adverse weather and sea conditions. They will be able to operate a fast rescue boat engine. A trainee will know how to properly right a capsized fast rescue boat.<br>Trainees will know the correct use of all locating devices, including communication, navigation and signaling equipment between the rescue boat and a helicopter and the ship; and how to carry out search patterns.<br>This course meets the requirements of Table A-VI/2-2 of the STCW Convention Proficiency in Fast Rescue Boats as well as the requirements of TP 4957 MED Training Courses Section 14 Proficiency in Fast Rescue Boats (FRC).<br>To enable course participants to learn about, understand and become proficient in:<br>1) the construction and outfit of fast rescue boats and individual items of                                                                   |

their equipment;
2) particular characteristics and facilities of fast rescue boats;
3) taking safety precautions during launch and recovery of a fast rescue boat;
4) properly righting a capsized fast rescue boat;
5) properly handling a fast rescue boat in prevailing adverse weather and sea conditions;
6) the navigational and safety equipment in a fast rescue boat;
7) search patterns and environmental factors affecting their execution;
8) assessing the readiness of fast rescue boats and related equipment for immediate use;
9) the maintenance, emergency repairs, normal inflating and deflation of buoyancy compartments of inflated fast rescue boats;
10) properly starting and operating a fast rescue boat engine and its accessories.

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