

**§ 28.150**

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**§ 28.150 Emergency Position Indicating Radio Beacons (EPIRBs).**

Each vessel must be equipped with an emergency position indicating radio beacon (EPIRB) as required by 46 CFR part 25, subpart 25.26.

NOTE: Each vessel which uses radio communication equipment must have a Ship Radio Station License issued by the Federal Communications Commission, as set forth in 47 CFR part 80.

**§ 28.155 Excess fire detection and protection equipment.**

Installation of fire detection and protection equipment in excess of that required by the regulations in this subchapter is permitted provided that the excess equipment does not endanger

the vessel or individuals on board in any way. The excess equipment must, at a minimum, be listed and labeled by an independent, nationally recognized testing laboratory and be in accordance with an appropriate industry standard for design, installation, testing, and maintenance.

**§ 28.160 Portable fire extinguishers.**

(a) Each vessel must meet the requirements of part 25, subpart 25.30 of this chapter.

(b) Each vessel 65 feet (19.8 meters) or more in length must be equipped with the minimum number, location, and type of portable fire extinguishers specified in table 28.160.

TABLE 28.160—PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS FOR VESSELS 65 FEET (19.8 METERS) OR MORE IN LENGTH

Space	Classification	Quantity and location
Safety areas, communicating corridors .....	A-II .....	1 in each main corridor not more than 150 feet (49.2 meters) apart. (May be located in stairways.)
Pilothouse .....	C-I .....	2 in vicinity of exit.
Service spaces, galleys .....	B-II or C-II .....	1 for each 2,500 square feet (269.1 sq. meters) or fraction thereof suitable for hazards involved.
Paint lockers .....	B-II .....	1 outside space in vicinity of exit.
Accessible baggage and storerooms .....	A-II .....	1 for each 2,500 square feet (269.1 sq. meters) or fraction thereof located in the vicinity of exits, either inside or outside the spaces.
Work shops and similar spaces .....	A-II .....	1 outside the space in vicinity of exit.
Machinery spaces; Internal combustion propelling machinery.	B-II .....	1 for each 1,000 brake horsepower or fraction thereof but not less than 2 nor more than 6.
Electric propulsion motors or generator unit of open type.	C-II .....	1 for each propulsion motor generator unit.
Auxiliary spaces .....	B-II .....	1 outside the space in the vicinity of exit.
Internal combustion machinery .....	B-II .....	1 outside the space in the vicinity of exit.
Electric emergency motors or generators .....	C-II .....	1 outside the space in the vicinity of exit.

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**§ 28.165 Injury placard.**

Each vessel must have posted in a highly visible location accessible to the crew a placard measuring at least 5 inches by 7 inches (127 millimeters by 178 millimeters) which reads:

Notice

Report All Injuries

United States law, 46 United States Code 10603, requires each seaman on a fishing vessel, fish processing vessel, or fish tender vessel to notify the master or individual in charge of the vessel or other agent of the employer regarding any illness, disability, or injury suffered by the seaman when in service to the vessel not later than seven days

after the date on which the illness, disability, or injury arose.

**Subpart C—Requirements for Documented Vessels That Operate Beyond the Boundary Lines or With More Than 16 Individuals On Board, or for Fish Tender Vessels Engaged in the Aleutian Trade**

**§ 28.200 Applicability.**

Each documented commercial fishing industry vessel must meet the requirements of this subpart in addition to the requirements of subparts A and B of this part if it: