§ 308.203 Amount insured under interim binder.

The amount insured shall be the amount stated in the application, but not in excess of $750 per gross ton of the vessel.

§ 308.204 Additional war risk protection and indemnity insurance.

 Owners or charterers may obtain, on an excess basis, additional war risk protection and indemnity insurance in such amounts as desired and such insurance shall not inure to the benefit of the Maritime Administrator, as underwriter.

§ 308.205 Reporting casualties and filing claims.

All casualties occurring after insurance under a binder has attached shall be reported promptly to, and all claim documents filed with “Office of Marine Insurance, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation.”

§ 308.300 Insured amount—application.

An applicant for Second Seamen’s war risk insurance shall not state the amount of insurance desired, which shall be as provided in § 308.303.

§ 308.301 [Reserved]

§ 308.302 Issuance of interim binder; terms and conditions.

Upon acceptance of an application, an interim binder in form as set forth in § 308.3 will be issued and there shall be deemed to be incorporated therein by reference all the terms, conditions, and warrants contained in the application for Second Seamen’s war risk insurance (set forth in § 308.3) and the Second Seamen’s War Risk Policy (1955) (set forth in § 308.306) to the same extent as if such application and policy were made a part of the binder. The binder fee (not refundable) shall be $75 per application for American vessels and $150 per application for foreign-flag vessels. All fees are payable in U.S. funds by check to the order of “Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation.”

§ 308.303 Amounts insured under interim binder.

The amounts insured are the amounts specified in the Second Seamen’s War Risk Policy (1955) or as modified by shipping articles, collective bargaining agreements or other applicable employment agreements which are in effect as of the date of a casualty involving the subject vessel. Upon the attachment of this binder, the number of crew members and modified benefits payable as of that date shall be declared immediately to the Underwriting Agent that issued the binder. Any subsequent changes shall be likewise declared.

§ 308.304 Reporting casualties and filing claims.

All casualties occurring after insurance under a binder has attached shall be reported promptly to, and all claim documents filed with, “Maritime Administration, Attention: Chief, Office of Marine Insurance.”

§ 308.305 [Reserved]


The standard form of Second Seamen’s War Risk Policy Form MA–242 may be obtained from MARAD’s underwriting agent or MARAD.