

[(6) have a minimum of 5 years' experience in the maritime industry working on vessels in the deck department as a licensed master or mate on tugs or inspected vessels, of which at least 2 years' experience shall be operating a ship assist harbor tug as a licensed master;

(7) (2) complete THE TRAINING PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE BOARD, INCLUDING the following training requirements [determined by the Board, including]:

(i) observation from the bridge of a vessel of a minimum of 300 dockings or undockings in the Port of Baltimore, with at least 25% occurring at night; and

(ii) [performing] SUCCESSFUL PERFORMANCE OF a minimum of 250 dockings, shiftings, or undockings in the Port of Baltimore under the supervision of a licensed docking master[, ] with at least 25% occurring at night[, at least 100 of which shall be performed in the 24 months preceding the applicant's application to the Board, with at least 25% occurring at night]; and

[(8)] (3) meet the physical requirements for the UNLIMITED docking [pilots] MASTER license, as determined by the Board[, and submit to an annual physical examination.]; AND

(4) POSSESS SUFFICIENT ABILITY, SKILL, AND EXPERIENCE FOR A 37-FOOT-DRAFT LIMITED DOCKING MASTER LICENSE AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD THROUGH OBSERVATION OF THE APPLICANT'S PERFORMANCE PROVIDING SUPERVISED DOCKING MASTER SERVICES.

(b) (1) Verification of the training trips required under subsection [(a)(7)] (A)(2) of this section shall be attested to and signed by a licensed docking master.

(2) For an applicant who has completed 250 dockings, shiftings, or undockings required for licensure as a docking master on or before October 1, 2000, independent verification of the number of dockings shall be provided to the Board by the applicant.

(C) TO QUALIFY FOR A 43-FOOT-DRAFT LIMITED DOCKING MASTER LICENSE, AN APPLICANT SHALL:

(1) SATISFY THE LICENSING AND ACCREDITATION REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION;

(2) HOLD A 37-FOOT-DRAFT LIMITED LICENSE FOR AT LEAST 1 YEAR;

(3) MEET THE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE UNLIMITED DOCKING MASTER LICENSE, AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD; AND

(4) POSSESS SUFFICIENT ABILITY, SKILL, AND EXPERIENCE FOR A 43-FOOT-DRAFT LIMITED DOCKING MASTER LICENSE AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD THROUGH OBSERVATION OF THE APPLICANT'S PERFORMANCE WHILE PROVIDING DOCKING MASTER SERVICES.