

Offshore Special Regulations 4.07.1 a) – Flashlight(s) and Searchlight(s)

Remove requirement for Searchlight from category 4 and 5

A submission from the Working Party Reviewing OSR Categories 4 and 5

Purpose or Objective

To delete from OSR Category 4 an inappropriate regulation.

Proposal

Amend OSR 4.07.1 a) to make it applicable to OSR Categories MoMu0, 1, 2, 3 only:

4.07.1 a)	A watertight, high-powered searchlight, suitable for searching for a person overboard at night and for collision avoidance with spare batteries and bulbs, and	** MoMu0, 1, 2, 3
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Current Position

4.07.1 a)	A watertight, high-powered searchlight, suitable for searching for a person overboard at night and for collision avoidance with spare batteries and bulbs, and	**
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Reason

1. It is inappropriate to require a high-powered searchlight for searching for a person overboard or for collision avoidance in a category 4 short race held in daylight.

See Working Party Report Item 6(d)
