

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 113

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE IMMIGRATION ACT, CHAP. 18:01

REGULATIONS

MADE BY THE MINISTER UNDER SECTION 44 OF THE IMMIGRATION ACT
AND SUBJECT TO NEGATIVE RESOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT

THE IMMIGRATION (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2021

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Immigration (Amendment) Citation
Regulations, 2021.

2. In these Regulations, “the Regulations” means the Immigration Interpretation
Regulations. GN 178/1974

3. Regulation 2 of the Regulations is amended by inserting after the Regulation 2
definition of “Permanent Secretary”, the following new definition: amended

“ “pleasure craft” means a ship, however propelled, that is used
exclusively for pleasure and does not carry passengers or
cargo for hire or reward, but does not include a ship that
is provided for the transport or entertainment of lodgers
at any institution, hotel, boarding house, guest house or
other establishment;”.

4. Regulation 32 of the Regulations is amended by inserting after Regulation 32
subregulation (2), the following new subsections: amended

“ (2A) Subregulation (2) shall not apply to the master of a ship
that is a pleasure craft.

(2B) The master of every ship that is a pleasure craft
arriving at any port of entry in Trinidad and Tobago from any
foreign port shall forthwith after the arrival of the pleasure craft
and before examination of all persons on board the pleasure craft,
submit to the immigration officer in charge, a declaration form
in the form set out as Form 59.

(2C) A declaration form under subregulation (2B)—

(a) shall be submitted to the immigration officer in
charge; and

(b) may be submitted to the Chief Immigration Officer
in electronic form.”.

Regulation 33
amended

5. Regulation 33 of the Regulations is amended by inserting after subregulation (3), the following new subsection:

“ (3A) Subregulation (2)(a) and (b) and subregulation (3) shall not apply to the local representative or master of a pleasure craft.

(3B) The local representative or master of a ship that is a pleasure craft leaving Trinidad and Tobago for any other country shall submit a declaration form in the form set out as Form 60, to an immigration officer.

(3C) The local representative or master of a ship that is a pleasure craft departing from Trinidad and Tobago shall, if so required by the immigration officer in charge at the port of departure, give the approximate time that the passengers and crew will be on board and also the approximate time of departure of the pleasure craft in the form referred to in subregulation (3B) and cause the crew and passengers to present themselves on the pleasure craft or at a place to be determined by the immigration officer with their passports and other documents required for inspection.

(3D) A declaration form under subregulation (3B)—

(a) shall be submitted to the immigration officer in charge; and

(b) may be submitted to the Chief Immigration Officer in electronic form.”

Regulation 51
amended

6. Regulation 51 of the Regulations is amended by inserting after subregulation (3), the following new subregulations:

“ (3A) Subregulation (3) shall not apply to the owner or master of a ship that is a pleasure craft.

(3B) Where an immigration officer is satisfied that—

(a) a transportation company; or

(b) the owner or master,

operating a pleasure craft which has arrived in Trinidad and Tobago, does not fall within the provisions of section 38 of the Act, he shall grant clearance to the pleasure craft and shall issue or cause to be issued to the master of the pleasure craft, the clearance certificate set out as Form 60, and such certificate shall be valid for a period of twenty-four hours.”

7. The Regulations are amended in the First Schedule by inserting after Form 58, the following new forms: First
Schedule
amended

“REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

**IMMIGRATION ACT, CHAP. 18:01
CUSTOMS ACT, CHAP. 78:01**

IMMIGRATION/ CUSTOMS AND EXCISE/ HARBOUR MASTER PLEASURE CRAFT
ARRIVAL DECLARATION FORM

**(IMMIGRATION ACT FORM 59)
(CUSTOMS ACT FORM C91)**

*(Immigration Act, Section 32)
(Customs Act, Sections 164A and 264)*

For Official Use	For Official Use
Customs Rotation Ref. No. Date: Time:	Immigration Ref. No. Date: Time:
Maritime Services Division Ref. No. Date: Time:	Ministry of Agriculture... Animals. Landing Permit No. Date: Time: Plants Date: Time:
Arrival: Date Time Port Previous Ports/Countries 6 months prior to arrival Next Port/Country	
Name of Vessel Owner's or Owners' Name Address Master's Name Address	
Type of Vessel: <input type="checkbox"/> Multi Hull <input type="checkbox"/> Mono Hull <input type="checkbox"/> Power <input type="checkbox"/> Sail <input type="checkbox"/> Sloop <input type="checkbox"/> Ketch <input type="checkbox"/> Other..... Registration No. IMO No. Country of Registry..... Date of Registration..... Home Port..... Length..... Width..... Gross tonnage..... Hull Material: <input type="checkbox"/> Aluminium <input type="checkbox"/> Fiberglass <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Wood <input type="checkbox"/> Steel <input type="checkbox"/> Other Colour..... Outboard Motor(s): Quantity..... Brand..... HP..... Inboard Motor(s): Quantity..... Brand..... HP.....	
Activity: <input type="checkbox"/> Pleasure <input type="checkbox"/> Repairs <input type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Returning National <input type="checkbox"/> Other..... Berth request: <input type="checkbox"/> Anchorage <input type="checkbox"/> Marina <input type="checkbox"/> Boatyard Where:.....	
Arrival: Duration of voyage from last port..... No. of crew (including Master)..... No. of passengers/crew for Trinidad & Tobago..... No. of passengers/crew in Transit.....	

CREW AND PASSENGER LIST (Master first)

Surname	First Name	Sex M/F	Position on board	Nationality	Passport No.	Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Crew or person who joined since international voyage began or within past thirty days, whichever is shorter, including all ports/countries visited in this period
1.								
2.								
3.								
4.								
5.								

STOWAWAYS LIST

Surname	First Name	Nationality	Port of Embarkation
1.			
2.			
3.			

Cash in excess of US \$5,000.00 or its equivalents Uncustomed/prohibited goods Stores/Quantity: Spirits..... Wine..... Cigarettes..... Other..... Livestock/Quantity: Dogs..... Cats..... Birds..... Other..... Cargo discharged for delivery Import Permit No. Fruits, plants, plant material, planting material, seeds, plant pest, pathogens, plant products, soil or vegetables Import Permit No. Narcotics/Quantity/Description..... Firearms, as defined by the Firearms Act (1970): No. of Handgun/s..... Brand name/s..... Serial No/s..... No. of Shotguns/s..... Brand name/s..... Serial No/s..... No. of Flare Guns..... Brand name/s..... Serial No/s..... Any Other Firearms*..... Brand name/s..... Serial No/s..... *Firearm' means any lethal barreled weapon from which ammunition can be discharged or any prohibited weapon, and includes any component part of any such weapon and any accessory to any such weapon designed or adapted to diminish the noise or flash caused by firing the weapon, but does not include any air rifle, air gun, or air pistol, of a type prescribed by Order made by the President and of a caliber so prescribed. Ammunition, including flares/Quantity/Description..... Detention Receipt No. Date.....

MARITIME DECLARATION OF HEALTH

To be completed and submitted to the competent authorities by the masters of ships arriving from foreign ports.

Valid Sanitation Control Exemption/Control Certificate carried on board? Yes... No...

Issued at..... Date.....

Re-inspection required? Yes... No...

Has ship/vessel visited an affected area identified by World Health Organization? Yes... No...

Port and date of visit.....

List ports of call from commencement of voyage with dates of departure, or within past thirty days, whichever is shorter:
.....

HEALTH QUESTIONS

- (1) Has any person died on board during the voyage otherwise than as a result of accident? Yes... No...
If yes, state particulars in attached schedule.
Total no. of deaths.....
- (2) Is there on board or has there been during the international voyage any case of disease which you suspect to be of an infectious nature? Yes... No...
If yes, state particulars unattached schedule.
- (3) Has the total number of ill passengers during the voyage been greater than normal/expected? Yes... No...
How many ill persons?.....
- (4) Is there any ill person on board? Yes... No...
If yes, state particulars in attached schedule.
- (5) Was a medical practitioner consulted? Yes... No...
If yes, state particulars of medical treatment or advice provided in the Schedule.
- (6) Are you aware of any condition on board which may lead to infection or spread of disease? Yes... No...
If yes, state particulars in the Schedule.
- (7) Has a sanitary measure (e.g. quarantine, isolation, disinfection or decontamination) been applied on board? Yes..... No.....
If yes, specify type, place and date.....
- (8) Have any stowaways been found on board? Yes... No...
If yes, where did they join the ship (if known)?
- (9) Is there a sick animal or pet on board? Yes... No...

Note: In absence of a surgeon, the master should regard the following symptoms as grounds for suspecting the existence of a disease of an infectious nature-

- (a) fever, persisting for several days or accompanied by-
 - (i) prostration;
 - (ii) decreased consciousness;
 - (iii) glandular swelling;
 - (iv) jaundice;
 - (v) cough or shortness of breath;
 - (vi) unusual bleeding; or
 - (vii) paralysis;
- (b) with or without fever-
 - (i) any skin rash or eruption;
 - (ii) severe vomiting (other than sea sickness);
 - (iii) severe diarrhoea; or
 - (iv) recurrent convulsions.

SCHEDULE TO MARITIME DECLARATION OF HEALTH

Name	Class or Rating	Age	Sex	Port, date joined	Nature of illness	Date of onset of symptoms	Reported to a port medical officer?	Disposal of case ¹	Drugs, medicines or other treatment given to patient	Comments

¹State (1) whether the person recovered, is still ill or died; and (2) whether the person is still on board, was evacuated (including the name of the port or airport), or was buried at sea."

DECLARATION:

I....., Master of Vesselhereby declare that all information and particulars supplied on this form are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Signature of Master Date..... Countersigned..... <div style="text-align: center; margin-left: 100px;"> Ship's surgeon (if carried) </div>

For Official Use

CUSTOMS APPROVAL	IMMIGRATION APPROVAL
HARBOUR MASTER APPROVAL	MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE APPROVAL

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

IMMIGRATION ACT, CHAP. 18:01

CUSTOMS ACT, CHAP. 78:01

IMMIGRATION CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE FORM/ CUSTOMS AND MARITIME SERVICES DIVISION
DEPARTURE DECLARATION FORM

**(IMMIGRATION ACT FORM 60)
(CUSTOMS ACT FORM C90)**

*(Immigration Act, Section 51)
(Customs Act, Sections 164A and 264)*

For Official Use	For Official Use	For Official Use
Customs Rotation Ref. No.	Immigration Reg. No.	Harbour Master Reg. No.
Date:	Date:	Date:
Time:	Time:	Time:

Departure: Expected Date..... Time..... Port of Departure

Previous Port/Country.....

Name of Vessel.....

Owner's or Owners' Name.....

Address.....

Master's Name.....

Address.....

Type of Vessel: Multi Hull Mono Hull Power Sail Sloop Ketch Other.....

Registration No. IMO Number Country of Registry.....

Date of Registration.....

Home Port..... Length..... Width..... Gross tonnage.....

Hull Material: Aluminum Fiberglass Plastic Wood Steel Other Colour.....

Outboard Motor(s): Quantity..... Brand..... HP.....

Inboard Motor(s): Quantity..... Brand..... HP.....

Activity: Pleasure Repairs Storage Returning National Other.....

Berth request: Anchorage Marina Boatyard Where:.....

Expected duration of voyage from last port..... No. of crew (including Master).....

No. of passengers/crew for Trinidad & Tobago..... No. of passengers/crew in Transit.....

CREW AND PASSENGER LIST (Master first)

Surname	First Name	Sex M/F	Position on board	Nationality	Passport No.	Date of Birth	Place of Birth
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
5.							

Cash in excess of US \$5,000.00 or its equivalents

Stores/Quantity: Spirits..... Wine..... Cigarettes..... Other.....

Livestock/Quantity: Dogs..... Cats..... Birds..... Other.....

Narcotics/Quantity/Description.....

Firearms, as defined by the Firearms Act (1970):

No. of Handgun/s..... Brand name/s.....

Serial No/s.....

No. of Shotguns/s..... Brand name/s.....

Serial No/s.....

No. of Flare Guns..... Brand name/s.....

Serial No/s.....

Any Other Firearms*..... Brand name/s.....

Serial No/s.....

* "Firearm" means any lethal barreled weapon from which ammunition can be discharged or any prohibited weapon, and includes any component part of any such weapon and any accessory to any such weapon designed or adapted to diminish the noise or flash caused by firing the weapon, but does not include any air rifle, air gun, or air pistol, of a type prescribed by Order made by the President and of a caliber so prescribed.

Ammunition including flares/Quantity/Description.....

Detention Receipt No.

Date.....

DECLARATION:

I,, Master of Vessel.....

hereby declare that all information and particulars supplied on this form are true and correct.

Signature of Master.....

Date.....

(USE THIS BOX FOR COASTWISE ENDORSEMENTS ONLY)

CLEARED FROM..... FOR..... DATE.....

TIME.....OFFICER.....

ENTERED AT FROM..... DATE.....

TIME.....OFFICER.....

CLEARED FROM FOR..... DATE.....

TIME.....OFFICER.....

ENTERED AT FROM..... DATE.....

TIME.....OFFICER.....

PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED for the vessel.....
(Name of pleasure craft)

Cleared from... .. Date... .. Time... ..
(Name of Port) (DDMMYY) (2400HRS)

to depart from Trinidad & Tobago bound for.....
(Country of destination)

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CUSTOMS APPROVAL	IMMIGRATION APPROVAL	MSD APPROVAL
		Navigational Aids Dues paid: _____

Note: The Master may depart any port in Trinidad and Tobago within twenty-four (24) hours, having complied with all the requirements of the written laws of Trinidad and Tobago in respect of the departure of vessels. "

Dated this 19th day of April, 2021.

S. YOUNG
Minister of National Security