



Virgin Islands Shipping & Maritime Authority

MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT 2001

PROPOSED NAME FOR A BRITISH SHIP

NOTE: PLEASE COMPLETE SECTIONS 1 & 2 IN BLOCK LETTERS

SECTION 1

1. VESSEL DETAILS

Proposed Name of Ship and alternative name(s) in order of preference (in case your first choice cannot be authorized)	1	
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NOTE: once a name has been approved it may not be possible to change to an alternative name.

If the ship is new please give:

Name of builder	
Address of builder	
Yard number allocated to this ship	

If the ship is not new and if the ship has been at any time on the British Register please give:

the last British name	
if available the official number	

If the ship is not British, please give:

Name	
Nationality	
IMO/Official Number	

Please complete:

Tonnage (GRT)					
Length					
Method of propulsion	Steam <input type="checkbox"/>	Motor <input type="checkbox"/>	Sail <input type="checkbox"/>		
Port of registry					
Type of vessel	Pleasure <input type="checkbox"/>	Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Passenger <input type="checkbox"/>	Cargo <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>
Intended date of registry					
Intended Port of Registry	ROAD HARBOUR <input type="checkbox"/>	GORDA SOUND <input type="checkbox"/>	WHITE BAY <input type="checkbox"/>		

SECTION 2

2. DETAILS OF OWNER(S)

Please enter below the names, addresses and nationalities of all the owners of the ship. If you need more space, please make another copy of this page and continue. Your own details should be entered last.

Name			Name	
Address			Address	
Nationality			Nationality	

Name			Name	
Address			Address	
Nationality			Nationality	

Name of Applicant			Address of Applicant	
Signature of Applicant				
Telephone No.				
E-mail			Date	

SECTION 3

3. To be completed by Registrar only

I certify that the name	
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is not already the name of a registered British Ship, or so similar to a registered name as to be calculated to deceive and has/not been allowed.

If the ship is not registered within 6 months (180 days) of the date of this certificate, this authority will be considered to have lapsed. The authority may however be renewed for another such period upon application to the Registrar.

Registrar of Shipping			Date of Certificate	
Port of Registry			Signature of Registrar	

When you have completed sections 1 & 2, please return to
 Virgin Islands Shipping and Maritime Authority
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 Road Town, Tortola, Virgin Islands
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