Coast Guard, DHS

Subpart 31.25—Load Lines
§ 31.25–1 Load lines required—TB/OCL.

All tank vessels of 150 gross tons or over, or 79 feet in length or greater, navigating the oceans, coastwise waters, and Great Lakes are subject to the regulations in parts 42 to 45, inclusive, subchapter E (Load Lines), of this chapter, as applicable.

[CGFR 69–72, 34 FR 17481, Oct. 29, 1969]

Subpart 31.30—Marine Engineering
§ 31.30–1 Marine engineering regulations and material specifications—TB/ALL.

(a) All tank vessels are subject to the regulations contained in parts 50 to 63, inclusive, of subchapter F (Marine Engineering) of this chapter, whenever applicable, except as such regulations are modified by the regulations in this subchapter for tank vessels.

[CGFR 68–82, 33 FR 18804, Dec. 18, 1968]

Subpart 31.35—Electrical Engineering
§ 31.35–1 Electrical installations, lighting and power equipment, batteries, etc.—TB/ALL.

All tank vessels are subject to the regulations contained in subchapter J (Electrical Engineering) of this chapter except as such regulations are modified by the regulations in this subchapter for tank vessels.

§ 31.35–5 Communications; alarm systems, telephone and voice tube systems, engine telegraph systems, etc.—TB/ALL.

All tank vessels are subject to the regulations contained in subchapter J (Electrical Engineering) of this chapter except as such regulations are modified by the regulations in this subchapter for tank vessels.

Subpart 31.36—Lifesaving Appliances and Arrangements
§ 31.36–1 Lifesaving appliances and arrangements—TB/ALL.

All lifesaving appliances and arrangements on tank vessels must be in accordance with subchapter W (Lifesaving Appliances and Arrangements) of this chapter.

[CGD 84–069, 61 FR 25286, May 20, 1996]

Subpart 31.40—Certificates Under International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea, 1974
§ 31.40–1 Application—T/ALL

The provisions of this subpart shall apply to all tankships on an international voyage. (See § 30.01–6 of this chapter.)


§ 31.40–5 Cargo Ship Safety Construction Certificate—T/ALL.

(a) All tankships on an international voyage are required to have a Cargo Ship Safety Construction Certificate. This certificate shall be issued by the U.S. Coast Guard or the American Bureau of Shipping to certain vessels on behalf of the United States of America as provided in Regulation 12, Chapter I, of the International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea, 1974.

(b) All such tankships shall meet the applicable requirements of this chapter for tankships on an international voyage.


§ 31.40–10 Cargo Ship Safety Equipment Certificate—T/ALL.

(a) All tankships on an international voyage are required to have a Cargo Ship Safety Equipment Certificate.

(b) All such tankships shall meet the applicable requirements of this chapter for tankships on an international voyage.