

# Physical measurement of vessels less than 15 meters ceases as of 1 January 2010

Regulations amending Regulations 30 July 1992 No. 593 concerning the registration of vessels in the Norwegian Ordinary Ship Register (NOR) was approved in Council on 11 December 2009: Physical measurement of vessels that are to be registered ceases as of 1 January 2010. Accordingly, "Certificates of Identity" will no longer be issued by the Norwegian Maritime Directorate (NMD). Note: For fishing vessels the scheme continues as before.

Vessels' measurements are instead to be documented upon registration in the NOR by means of one or more of the following documents:

- Builder's Certificate from the builder.
- Approved CE documentation/ Declaration of Conformity Note! Must be submitted for all CE-obliged vessels, see details below \*
- Declaration from manufacturer
- Fishing vessels: measurements to be documentation by the NMD
- Other suitable documentation that the Registrar may find sufficient.

## CALL SIGN/ RADIO call sign

- The boats that do not have this already, will be assigned one by the NOR in connection with registration
- Radio Call sign assigned by Telenor can now be used by registration in the NOR

## THE NORWEGIAN MARITIME DIRECTORATE IS STILL REGULATORY AUTHORITY FOR THE VESSELS

- Please note that the owners of commercial and fishing vessels obliged for certification are responsible for contacting the Directorate themselves.
- The NMD is also the regulatory authority for CE-documents. Upon registration in NOR, certified copies of "Declaration of conformity" for CE-obliged boats and engines\* will have to be submitted for control of data, identification of the vessel and to ensure that such documentation exists.

\* ) The CE requirement is applicable to all pleasure boats made available or used in the European Economic Area as of 16 June 1998 and engines made available or used in the European Economic Area as of 1 January 2006.

At registration, we kindly ask for the "Notification for registration of NOR vessels not subject to mandatory registration", KR-0012, amended as of October 2009, to be used. Thank you.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT US

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## QUESTIONS ABOUT CE-MARKING?

Contact the Norwegian Maritime Directorate,  
[www.sdir.no](http://www.sdir.no)

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