



Save Time! Register your beacon online at: www.beaconregistration.noaa.gov

Official 406 MHz Ship Security Alert System (SSAS) Beacon Registration Form

Mail or Fax to:
SARSAT Beacon Registration
NOAA NSOF, E/SPO53
1315 East West Hwy
Silver Spring, MD 20910
Fax No. 301-817-4565

SSAS Information

Beacon ID (Unique Identifier Number)

15 digit character ID provided by SSAS manufacturer

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Checksum

Checksum input field

Please affix beacon manufacturer's label here.

SSAS Manufacturer _____

Model No. _____

Purpose of SSAS Registration

- New Registration
 - Change of Registration Information
 - Replacement of Decal Only
 - Renewal of Registration
 - Replacement for a previously registered SSAS
 - Change of Ownership
- Please enter the old unique ID number

Old unique ID number input fields

Owner/Operator Information

Name _____
(Last, First, Middle Initial)

Telephone

Mailing Address _____

Area Code _____ Home Work Cellular Fax Other

City _____ State/Province _____

Area Code _____ Home Work Cellular Fax Other

ZIP (Postal) Code _____ Country _____

Area Code _____ Home Work Cellular Fax Other

E-mail _____

Area Code _____ Home Work Cellular Fax Other

Vessel Information

Usage

- Commercial
- Non-commercial
- Government Military
- Government Non-military

Radio Equipment (Check all that apply)

- VHF
- MF
- HF
- SSB
- Other _____

Type

- Sail: Number of Masts _____
- Power: Fishing Tug Cargo Tanker Pleasure Craft
 Other _____
- Non-power: Life Boat Life Raft Other _____

Vessel Telephone Numbers

Radio Call Sign _____

Cellular _____ MMSI Number _____

INMARSAT _____

Federal / State Registration Number _____

Length Overall (ft) _____ Capacity _____
Crew and Passengers

Vessel Name _____

Homeport _____
Marina/Dock

Vessel Color _____

Survival Craft(s) on Vessel

Life Boat _____ No. of _____
Life Raft _____ No. of _____

City _____ State _____

Additional Data _____

Emergency Contact Information (Please indicate someone other than the owner)

Name of Primary 24-Hour Emergency Contact: _____

Name of Alternate 24-Hour Emergency Contact: _____

Telephone

- Area Code _____ Home Work Cellular Fax Other
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Signature _____

Date _____

Important Notice - Please Read Before Completing Registration

Registration is an important facet for all Cospas-Sarsat 406 MHz emergency beacons. Not only is it required by Federal Regulations but the information you furnish is used by Search and Rescue (SAR) agencies in the event of beacon activation. The registration information is an important tool to assist the United States Coast Guard, United States Air Force, and other SAR agencies in locating and quickly responding to you, your vessel, or your aircraft. Failure to register your beacon may delay a rescue response. Accurate, up-to-date registration information will also be used to conserve resources by helping to eliminate false alert deployments, as an inadvertent activation can be resolved with a phone call when the beacon is properly registered.

There is no charge for beacon registration. This is a service provided by the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

All online registrations will be entered into the National 406 MHz Beacon Registration Database on the same day of entry. Registration forms received via postal mail or fax will be entered within 2 business days of receipt. A confirmation letter with your completed registration information will be sent to you immediately via e-mail or fax (if provided). Confirmation letters sent via postal mail should arrive within two weeks. Once your registration confirmation is received, please review all information. Any changes or updates to your registration information can be done via the internet, fax, e-mail or postal mail. If you do not receive your registration confirmation from NOAA please call 1-888-212-SAVE (7283) or 301-817-4515 for assistance.

After initial registration or renewal you will receive a NOAA Registration Decal by postal mail. This decal may be affixed to the beacon and should be placed in such a way that it is clearly visible. If for some reason you do not receive the registration decal within two weeks, please call NOAA at: 1-888-212-SAVE (7283) or 301-817-4515.

Failure to register, re-register (as required every two years), or to notify NOAA of any changes to the status of your 406 MHz beacon could result in penalties and/or fines being issued under Federal Law. ***More importantly, failure to maintain accurate and complete information could result in a delayed response by rescue forces.*** The owner or user of the beacon is required to notify NOAA immediately of any changes to the registration information at any time. By submitting this registration the owner, operator, or legally authorized agent declares under penalty of law that all information in the registration information is true, accurate, and complete. Providing information that is knowingly false or inaccurate may be punishable under Federal Statutes. Solicitation of this information is authorized by Title 47, Part 87 of the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) and the U.S. Office of Management & Budget (OMB) Control Number: 0648-0295. Additional registration forms can be found on the NOAA-SARSAT Registration website at: www.beaconregistration.noaa.gov.

Please note, NOAA will complement or update your registration information if your registration is outdated and credible information is provided from other sources. NOAA will also seek information from other databases to update and/or complement the existing information for an expired beacon registration. Although the information provided will become a matter of public record, there is no intent to circulate beyond its intended purpose, i.e., to assist SAR agencies in carrying out their mission. Public reporting burden for the collection of this information is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Comments regarding this burden or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden should be sent to:

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Finally, false alerts remain a chief concern for SAR agencies. We ask that you carefully refer to the beacon's user manual for instructions on properly operating, installing, testing, performing required maintenance, and/or stowage of your beacon. We find that these are important factors in reducing the number of false alerts. ***Please use the utmost care at all times!***