

# PRIVACY THRESHOLD ANALYSIS (PTA)

This form serves as the official determination by the DHS Privacy Office to identify the privacy compliance requirements for all Departmental uses of personally identifiable information (PII).

A Privacy Threshold Analysis (PTA) serves as the document used to identify information technology (IT) systems, information collections/forms, technologies, rulemakings, programs, information sharing arrangements, or pilot projects that involve PII and other activities that otherwise impact the privacy of individuals as determined by the Chief Privacy Officer, pursuant to Section 222 of the Homeland Security Act, and to assess whether there is a need for additional Privacy Compliance Documentation. A PTA includes a general description of the IT system, information collection, form, technology, rulemaking, program, pilot project, information sharing arrangement, or other Department activity and describes what PII is collected (and from whom) and how that information is used and managed.

Please complete the attached Privacy Threshold Analysis and submit it to your component Privacy Office. After review by your component Privacy Officer the PTA is sent to the Department's Senior Director for Privacy Compliance for action. If you do not have a component Privacy Office, please send the PTA to the DHS Privacy Office:

Senior Director, Privacy Compliance
The Privacy Office
U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Washington, DC 20528
Tel: 202-343-1717

# PIA@hq.dhs.gov

Upon receipt from your component Privacy Office, the DHS Privacy Office will review this form and assess whether any privacy compliance documentation is required. If compliance documentation is required – such as Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA), System of Records Notice (SORN), Privacy Act Statement, or Computer Matching Agreement (CMA) – the DHS Privacy Office or component Privacy Office will send you a copy of the relevant compliance template to complete and return.



# **Privacy Threshold Analysis (PTA)**

# Specialized Template for Information Collections (IC) and Forms

The Forms-PTA is a specialized template for Information Collections and Forms. This specialized PTA must accompany all Information Collections submitted as part of the Paperwork Reduction Act process (any instrument for collection (form, survey, questionnaire, etc.) from ten or more members of the public). Components may use this PTA to assess internal, component-specific forms as well.

Form Number: CG-854

**Form Title:** Temporary Certificate of Inspection

**Component:** U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) Office: CG-REG

## IF COVERED BY THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT:

**Collection Title:** Small Passenger Vessels -- Title 46 CFR Subchapters K and T

**OMB Control** 1625-0057 OMB Expiration July 31, 2017

**Number:** Date:

**Collection status:** Extension Date of last PTA (if N/A

applicable):

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# **SPECIFIC IC/Forms PTA QUESTIONS**

# 1. Purpose of the Information Collection or Form

The purpose of the form is to certify that a vessel meets safety requirements. These requirements apply to certain vessels engage in commerce. The Coast Guard issues certificates as proof of compliance with the requirements.

CG Form 854 contains basic business contact information which may include the name and address of the vessel owner if owned by an individual.

The authority for the issuance of this form is 46 U.S. Code 3305 and 3306.

2.	Describe the IC/Form	
a.	Does this form collect any	⊠ Yes
	Personally Identifiable	☐ No
	Information" (PII <sup>1</sup> )?	
b.	From which type(s) of	oxtimes Members of the public
	individuals does this form	☑ U.S. citizens or lawful permanent
	collect information?	residents
	(Check all that apply.)	$\square$ Non-U.S. Persons.
		☐ DHS Employees
		☐ DHS Contractors
		$\square$ Other federal employees or contractors.
C.	Who will complete and	$\square$ The record subject of the form (e.g., the
	submit this form? (Check	individual applicant).
	all that apply.)	$\square$ Legal Representative (preparer, attorney, etc.).
		$\square$ Business entity.
		If a business entity, is the only
		information collected business contact
		information?
		□ Yes

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Personally identifiable information means any information that permits the identity of an individual to be directly or indirectly inferred, including any other information which is linked or linkable to that individual regardless of whether the individual is a U.S. citizen, lawful permanent resident, visitor to the U.S., or employee or contractor to the Department.



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	□ No	
	$\square$ Law enforcement.	
	☑ DHS employee or contractor.	
	$\square$ Other individual/entity/organization <b>that is</b>	
	<b>NOT the record subject</b> . <i>Please describe</i> .	
	Click here to enter text.	
<b>d.</b> How do individuals	X Paper.	
complete the form? <i>Check</i>	☐ Electronic. (ex: fillable PDF)	
all that apply.	$\square$ Online web form. (available and submitted via	
	the internet)	
	Provide link:	
<b>e.</b> What information will DHS of		
	mation (i.e. vessel characteristics, name/address of ship	
owner, and signature of USCG official).		
	Security number (SSN) or other element that is stand-	
alone Sensitive Personally Identifiable Information (SPII)? No.		
☐ Social Security number ☐ DHS Electronic Data Interchange		
☐ Alien Number (A-Number)	Personal Identifier (EDIPI)	
☐ Tax Identification Number	☐ Social Media Handle/ID	
□ Visa Number	☐ Known Traveler Number	
$\square$ Passport Number	$\square$ Trusted Traveler Number (Global	
☐ Bank Account, Credit Card, o		
financial account number	$\square$ Driver's License Number	
□ Other. <i>Please list:</i>	$\square$ Biometrics	
<b>g.</b> List the <i>specific authority</i> to	o collect SSN or these other SPII elements.	
N/A.		
	e used? What is the purpose of the collection? Describe	
	the minimum amount of information necessary to	
accomplish the purpose of the	ne program.	
N/A		



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	Are individuals provided notice at the time of collection by DHS (Does the records subject have notice of the collection or is form filled out by third party)?	<ul> <li>☐ Yes. Please describe how notice is provided.</li> <li>Click here to enter text.</li> <li>☒ No.</li> </ul>
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3. How will DHS store th	e IC/form responses?
a. How will DHS store the original, completed IC/forms?	<ul> <li>□ Paper. Please describe.</li> <li>□ Click here to enter text.</li> <li>□ Electronic. Please describe the IT system that will store the data from the form.</li> <li>□ Click here to enter text.</li> <li>□ Scanned forms (completed forms are scanned into an electronic repository). Please describe the electronic repository.</li> <li>■ Forms that the Coast Guard creates are maintained in Marine Information for Safety and Law Enforcement (MISLE) database.</li> </ul>
<b>b.</b> If electronic, how does DHS input the responses into the IT system?	<ul> <li>Manually (data elements manually entered).</li> <li>Please describe.</li> <li>A scanned form is uploaded into the vessel-specific file in MISLE.</li> <li>Automatically. Please describe.</li> <li>Click here to enter text.</li> </ul>
c. How would a user search the information submitted on the	☐ By a unique identifier. <sup>2</sup> <i>Please describe</i> . If information is retrieved by personal identifier, please submit a Privacy Act Statement with this PTA.  Click here to enter text.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Generally, a unique identifier is considered any type of "personally identifiable information," meaning any information that permits the identity of an individual to be directly or indirectly inferred, including any other information which is linked or linkable to that individual regardless of whether the individual is a U.S. citizen, lawful permanent resident, visitor to the U.S., or employee or contractor to the Department.



forms, <i>i.e.</i> , how is the	oxtimes By a non-personal identifier. <i>Please describe</i> .
information	A search is accomplished using vessel specific
retrieved?	information.
<b>d.</b> What is the records	A record is retained for the life of the vessel; NARA
retention	retention schedule number N1-026-05-015.
schedule(s)? <i>Include</i>	
the records schedule	
number.	
e. How do you ensure	As records are maintained in the MISLE database,
that records are	disposal/deletion is in accordance with the business
disposed of or deleted	rules for the database.
in accordance with	
the retention	
schedule?	
f. Is any of this informatio	n shared outside of the original program/office?
	ed with other DHS components or offices. Please describe.
Click here to enter text.	
$\square$ Yes, information is share	ed external to DHS with other federal agencies, state/local
partners, international part	mers, or non-governmental entities. Please describe.
Click here to enter text.	
No. Information on this	form is not shared outside of the collecting office.



Please include <u>a copy of the referenced form and Privacy Act Statement</u> (if applicable) with this PTA upon submission.



#### PRIVACY THRESHOLD REVIEW

#### (TO BE COMPLETED BY COMPONENT PRIVACY OFFICE)

Privacy Office: Date submitted to DHS Privacy Office:	pril 4, 2017
Office:	
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Officer to approve component control c	☐ Yes. Please include it with this PTA submission.  X No. Please describe why not.  orm/certificate is an administrative document ompleted by a USCG official and does not collect aformation directly from an individual. The farine Information for Safety and Law inforcement (MISLE) is the data repository for his information.

Please include recommendation below, including what existing privacy compliance documentation is available or new privacy compliance documentation is needed.

CG Form 854 (Temporary Certificate of Inspection) is a certificate used to certify that a vessel meets safety requirements.

Authorized USCG officials populate this certificate with vessel characteristics, name/address of ship owner, and signature of USCG official. Vessel characteristics and name/address of ship owner are retained and retrieved from the Marine Information for Safety and Law Enforcement (MISLE) system.

DHS/USCG/PIA-008 and DHS/USCG-013 provides coverage for this collection.



# PRIVACY THRESHOLD ADJUDICATION

# (TO BE COMPLETED BY THE DHS PRIVACY OFFICE)

DHS Privacy Office Reviewer:	Michael Capparra
PCTS Workflow Number:	1141497
Date approved by DHS Privacy Office:	4/10/17
PTA Expiration Date	4/10/20

## **DESIGNATION**

Privacy Sensitiv	e IC or	Choose an item. If "no" PTA adjudication is complete.	
Form:		, '	
<b>Determination:</b>		☐ PTA sufficient at this time.	
		☐ Privacy compliance documentation determination in progress.	
		☐ New information sharing arrangement is required.	
		☐ DHS Policy for Computer-Readable Extracts Containing SPII	
		applies.	
		☐ Privacy Act Statement required.	
		☐ Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA) required.	
☐ System		☐ System of Records Notice (SORN) required.	
		☐ Specialized training required.	
		☐ Other. Click here to enter text.	
DHS IC/Forms Review:		Choose an item.	
Date IC/Form		Click here to enter a date.	
Approved by PRIV:			
IC/Form PCTS Click here to enter text.		Click here to enter text.	
Number:			
Privacy Act		oose an item.	
Statement:	Click h	ere to enter text.	
PTA:	No syst	No system PTA required.	



	Click here to enter text.
PIA:	System covered by existing PIA
	If covered by existing PIA, please list:
	DHS/USCG/PIA-008 Marine Information for Safety and Law
	Enforcement (MISLE)
	If a PIA update is required, please list: Click here to enter text.
SORN:	System covered by existing SORN
	If covered by existing SORN, please list:
	DHS/USCG-013 - Marine Information for Safety and Law
	Enforcement (MISLE)
	If a SORN update is required, please list: Click here to enter text.

## **DHS Privacy Office Comments:**

### Please describe rationale for privacy compliance determination above.

The DHS Privacy Office finds that CG-854 (Temporary Certificate of Inspection) is a privacy-sensitive collection. The Temporary Certificate of Inspection is used to certify that a vessel meets safety requirements to engage in commerce. The form collects business contact information, which may include the name and address of the vessel owner, if it is owned by an individual.

The Privacy Office finds that PIA coverage is provided by DHS/USCG/PIA-008 Marine Information for Safety and Law Enforcement (MISLE), which assess the privacy risks associated with the Coast Guard's use of PII in support of marine safety, security, environmental protection and law enforcement programs. PRIV also finds that SORN coverage is provided by DHS/USCG-013 - Marine Information for Safety and Law Enforcement (MISLE), which outlines the Coast Guard's collection and maintenance of information in order to establish a safety, security and law enforcement performance history of vessels, facilities, people and organizations engaged in marine transportation, including enforcement action, that can be used to identify and address safety, security and environmental risks and to establish vessel eligibility for documentation as a U.S. flag vessel.