

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1993 No. 3138

The Merchant Shipping (Registration of Ships) Regulations 1993

PART IV

QUALIFICATION AND ENTITLEMENT OF BRITISH FISHING VESSELS TO BE REGISTERED ON PART II OF THE REGISTER

Eligibility

12. The following persons are qualified to be the owners of fishing vessels which are to be registered on Part II of the Register:—

- [^{F1}(a) (i) British citizens; or
(ii) non-United Kingdom nationals exercising their right of freedom of movement of workers or right of establishment;]
- [^{F2}(b) bodies corporate—
 - (i) incorporated in the United Kingdom, or
 - (ii) incorporated in an EEA State with a place of business in the United Kingdom;]
- [^{F3}(c) UK Economic Interest Groupings;]
- (d) a local authority in the United Kingdom.

F1 Reg. 12(a) substituted (1.1.1999) by [The Merchant Shipping \(Registration of Ships\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 1998 \(S.I. 1998/2976\)](#), regs. 1, **5(a)**

F2 Reg. 12(b) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The Merchant Shipping \(Miscellaneous Provisions\) \(Amendments etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2018 \(S.I. 2018/1221\)](#), reg. 2(b), **Sch. para. 1(4)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

F3 Reg. 12(c) substituted (31.12.2020) by [The European Economic Interest Grouping \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2018 \(S.I. 2018/1299\)](#), regs. 1, **63(b)**; 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

Commencement Information

I1 Reg. 12 in force at 21.3.1994, see [reg. 1\(1\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Merchant Shipping (Registration of Ships) Regulations 1993, Section 12.