



Harbours Act 1964

1964 CHAPTER 40

[^{F1} Harbour directions

[^{F1}40C Enforcement

- (1) The master of a ship must ensure that harbour directions are complied with.
- (2) Breach of subsection (1) without reasonable excuse is an offence.
- (3) A person guilty of the offence is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 4 on the standard scale.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Ss. 40A-40D and cross-heading inserted (1.10.2013) by [Marine Navigation Act 2013 \(c. 23\), ss. 5\(1\), 13](#); [S.S.I. 2013/254, art. 2](#); [S.I. 2013/1489, art. 3](#); [S.I. 2013/2006, art. 2](#)

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** [S. 40C](#) applied (with modifications) (31.3.2023) by [The Merchant Shipping \(Watercraft\) Order 2023 \(S.I. 2023/35\), arts. 1\(1\), 11\(1\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

Harbours Act 1964, Section 40C is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 28 May 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

- Act modified by [2023 c. 8 s. 9\(7\)](#)