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PART III

MASTERS AND SEAMEN

Manning, qualifications, training and uniform

53 Medical treatment on board ship.

Where a United Kingdom ship does not carry a [^{F1}registered medical practitioner] among the seamen employed in it the master shall make arrangements for securing that any medical attention on board the ship is given either by him or under his supervision by a person appointed by him for the purpose.

Textual Amendments

F1 Words in s. 53 substituted (16.11.2009 as notified in the Gazettes) by [The Medical Act 1983 \(Amendment\) Order 2002 \(S.I. 2002/3135\)](#), art. 1(2)(3), [Sch. 1 para. 12](#) (with Sch. 2)

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