

Every candidate for the issue of Certificate of competency as Chief Engineer Officer on ships of propulsion power of between 750Kw and 3000Kw engaged on near coastal voyages shall:

- (a) Hold certificates of competency or an endorsement as second engineer officer on ships of propulsion power of between 750Kw and 3000Kw engaged on near coastal voyages;
- (b) have completed approved seagoing service of not less than twelve months as an officer in-charge of as an engineering watch on international voyages or as a Second Engineer Officer on ships of propulsion power of between 750Kw and 3000Kw engaged on near coastal voyages;
- (c) pass an examination conducted by the chief examiner meeting the standard of competency specified in section – A-III/3 in the STCW Code for Certificate of competency- Chief Engineer officer, limited to ships of propulsion power of between 750KW and 3000KW engaged on near coastal voyages.