

3 Day Company Security Officer Training Course

ISPS Code & Australian MTOFS Act & Regulations 2003. To the requirements of IMO Model Course 3.20 (2012).

This interactive classroom course is delivered by Scott McEwan AFNI, a former shipping industry executive with 50 years of maritime industry involvement. His specialising in implementation of the ISPS Code and its associated codes, legislation and regulations commenced late in 2003, when the Code was conceived.

Aims

To provide essential knowledge to those who may be designated by the operator of a ship, MODU or self-navigating FPSO / FSU, to perform the duties of a Company Security Officer with responsibility for preparing ship security assessments, development and implementation of the company's security policy and assisting the company's Ship Security Officers to properly implement and maintain their security plan.

Topics covered include:

- Practical understanding of the ISPS Code & Australia's MTOFS Act & Regulations 2003
- Roles & responsibilities of governments and industry
- Security threats and vulnerabilities in port and at sea incl cyber
- Access controls for ships, port and offshore facilities, security zones, identification systems
- General risk assessment principles – risk, threat and vulnerability – ISO 31000
- Ship security assessments – initial preparation and revision
- Ship security plans – development, maintenance
- Compliance verification - audits and record-keeping
- Security threat mitigation and responses
- Additional security measures for ships in high risk areas – BMP5 – voyage planning
- Weapons and improvised explosive devices – methods of concealment and recognition
- Critical communication of sensitive information
- Encouraging security awareness and vigilance – training, drills and exercises
- Incident reporting obligations
- Harmonising the CSO and DPA roles
- Effective liaison with ship, port and / or offshore facility security officers
- Declaration of Security – correct usage and verification of undertakings

Who should attend

This course is for persons who will be required to perform the duties of a security officer as defined in the ISPS Code Part A/11.2 and MTOFS Reg 1.10. The course is also suitable for transport security inspectors (maritime) and law enforcement officers.

Entry standards

A basic understanding of ship, port or offshore safety management systems would be helpful. However, there are no specific pre-qualification requirements.

Locations & size

Courses are delivered at Pelagus's venues or in-house with class size limited to 8. Training at regional ports is our speciality.

Course schedules are on the attached Registration Form and www.pelagus.com.au/training-schedule

Price

\$3,280 + GST per person at Pelagus' venue. This includes all course material and refreshments. Group discounts are available. Travel expenses to regional ports apply.

Course duration

The course tuition time is 18 hours. An additional 4 hours is allocated for exercises, discussion and exam. Days 1 & 2: 08:00 – 17:00, Day 3: 08.00 – 15.30.

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Registration

Family name	Capt/Mr/Mrs/Ms/Other		
Given name(s)	DOB		
Job title	ID: MSIC, DL or P'port (Please indicate type & nr)		
Company	Purchase Order Ref		
Address			
Business activity			
Tel		Mobile	
E-mail			
Course Locations	Please indicate your preferred dates.		Next course venue
Brisbane	04-06 Aug	20-22 Oct	CBD TBA
Darwin	08-10 Sep	24-26 Nov	CBD TBA
Melbourne	11-13 Aug	13-15 Oct	Level 7, 570 St Kilda Rd
Perth / Fremantle	29 Sep-01 Oct	01-03 Dec	Holiday Inn Perth
Sydney	15-17 Sep	17-19 Nov	Level 5, Edgecliff Centre
Other ports	On demand		
Note: Additional travel expenses may be charged for regional locations. Dates are subject to change.			
Fee	Payment options (Please indicate your preference)		
\$A 3,280 + GST	☐ Credit Card - Visa or MC (1.5% surch.) ☐ Direct Deposit		
Registered address			
Unit 93 632 St Kilda Rd Melbourne VIC 3004	Tel +61 (0) 3 9996 0585 Mob +61 (0) 407 264 100 E-mail info@pelagus.com.au		
Registration terms and conditions			
1. Confirmation of a Pelagus venue & dates is not always possible until 5 working days before course commencement. 2. Fees are payable 5 working days before course commencement, unless otherwise agreed. 3. 25% of the fee may be charged if there is a cancellation within 5 working days of course commencement. 4. 100% of the fee may be charged if there is a cancellation within 2 working days of course commencement. 5. Fee valid for registrations received by 31 Dec 2026.			

I accept the above conditions.

Signature: Date:

Full Name: