

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR  
GAZETTE**  
No. 3921 of 29 March, 2012

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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 38 OF 2012.

**GIBRALTAR MERCHANT SHIPPING (REGISTRATION) ACT 1993**

**GIBRALTAR MERCHANT SHIPPING (PLEASURE YACHTS)  
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2012**

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 2 and 38 of the Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Registration) Act 1997 and all other enabling powers, the Government has made the following Regulations—

**Title.**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Pleasure Yachts) (Amendment) Regulations 2012.

**Amendments to the Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Pleasure Yachts) Regulations 1997.**

2. The Gibraltar Merchant Shipping (Pleasure Yachts) Regulations 1997 are amended by—

(1) replacing regulation 4(1)(c) with the following—

“(c) a pleasure yacht shall include a ship of 24 metres or over in length which—

(i) is used exclusively for pleasure and recreational purposes by the owner or owners; or

(ii) is let out or chartered by the owner or owners for hire or reward, to be used by the hirers or charterers for pleasure or recreational purposes. In such case the owner or owners shall comply with such directions and conditions in relation to registration or continued registration as the Maritime Administrator may impose.”

(2) after regulation 76(3)(d) inserting—

“(e) any directions or conditions imposed under regulation 4(1)(c)(ii);”.

Dated 29th March, 2012.

NEIL COSTA,  
Minister for the Port and Shipping.

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**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

These regulations provide that the Marine Administrator may impose conditions for registration on pleasure yachts of 24 metres or over intended to be used for charter.

