

**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR  
NO. 07-8-83**

**SUBJECT: Issuance of Temporary Permit to operate radio stations on board private aircrafts to and/or pleasure crafts to foreigners temporarily stationed in the Philippines.**

Consequential to the massive effort of the government to hasten the industrial and economic development of the country, a number of foreign specialists, technicians and engineers have been engaged or employed in many commercial and government projects. Considering that some of these foreigners temporarily residing in the Philippines have been allowed by government agencies concerned to use and operate private aircrafts and/or pleasure crafts during their stay in the country, they may be allowed to operate the radio stations on board their crafts subject to the following conditions:

1. The radio stations shall be installed and operated in accordance with the relevant provision of Act 3846, as amended, the implementing regulations promulgated thereunder and this circular.
2. The use of the stations shall be limited for safety and distress purposes only.
3. The technical requirements prescribed for ship-low power stations shall be applicable.
4. The operation of the radio stations shall be authorized on frequency sharing only.
5. The radio stations permit shall be issued on a temporary basis only unless sooner revoked or cancelled.
6. The applicant shall be a member of a local organization, duly recognized by the Philippine government for civil aviation or maritime purposes only.
7. For the organization of radio stations on board private aircrafts and/or pleasure crafts, the following requirements shall be complied with:
  - 7.1 Properly accomplished information sheet.
  - 7.2 Application for permit to Purchase/Possess transceiver(s)
  - 7.3 Application for construction permit for the ship station.
  - 7.4 Application for temporary permit to operate the aircraft and/or ship station.
  - 7.5 Favorable endorsement from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA) following representation of the concerned Embassy, for the grant of the radio authorization by NTC.
  - 7.6 Certificate of ownership of the craft from the PCC/NAT.



The registered foreign owners of small crafts under the category of this Circular shall not be required to obtain radio operator certificates. However, for persons other than the foreign owners who will operate radio stations on such crafts, they shall be required to obtain the appropriate operator certificates in accordance with existing radio regulations. Foreigners allowed to operate ship radio stations under this Circular shall willingly abide with the conditions of licensing as stipulated herein.

SSS-USB/HF	EMISSION	USAGE
2182KHZ	J3E	Distress Call, distress traffic, urgency signal and messages , and safety signal.
4125''	J3E	Supplementary distress & safe purposes.
62115.5	J3E	Distress and safety purposes.
8238.4''	J3E	PCG Auxiliary Squadron cost station.
<b>VHF-FM</b>		
156.3 MHz	F3E	SSB working frequency.
156.8''	F3E	Intership communications & for safety purposes
156.6''	F3E	Distress, safety, and general calling PCG/ Harbormaster calling/working frequency.
<b>SSB-HF</b>		
3023 KHz	J3E	Search and rescue operations with aircraft stations.
5680''		
121.5 MHz	F3E	Distress and safety-operations with aircraft stations
123.1 MHz	F3E	Auxiliary to 121.5.MHz
243.0''	F3E	Search and rescue operations with aircrafts.

For this purpose, the NTC shall collect from each applicant the following fees for the licensing of the station.

	Ship Stations	Aircraft Stations
Filing	P150.00	P150.00
Permit to Possess per Transceiver	45.00	45.00
Permit to Purchase, Sell Or transfer per transceiver	100.00	100.00
Construction permit	250.00	250.00
Inspection	300	300.00
Temp. Permit to Operate station	600	600.00



The temporary permit to operate radio station issued by the NTC under this Circular shall have an effectivity period of six (6) months unless sooner revoked or cancelled.

For strict compliance.

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Commissioner

