



Maritime Security Instructions 2025/03 (revision 1)

Conditions of Entry United States of America (USA)

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No.	Relevant documents	Status
1	Maritime Authority Suriname Act (S.B. 1998 no. 37)	Active
2	Maritime Security Act (S.B. 2004 no. 90)	Active
3	Maritime Security Instructions 2025/01 (revision 1)	Active
4	Guide to maritime security and the ISPS Code, Edition 2021 (Ebook ISBN: 978-92-801-1740-0)	Active
5	Port Security Advisory (PSA 4-25). https://www.federalregister.gov/d/2025-16845	As of 17 September 2025
6	Maritime Security Instructions 2025 /03	Expired & replaced by 2025/03 (revision 1)

The Maritime Authority Suriname is the Maritime Administration and Designated Authority of Suriname (vide art. 8 and 9 of the Maritime Security Act, S.B. 2004 no. 90).

The guidelines as established in the "Instruction on Maritime Security no. 2025/03 (revision 1)" are issued in accordance with Article 9 paragraph 3 of the Maritime Security Act, S.B. 2004 no. 90. in conjunction with the provisions of Port Security Advisory PSA 4-25 (vide appendix).

Conditions of Entry USA

If Suriname is 1 (one) of the last five ports before a ship calls at the USA, the ship is obliged to take extra security measures in Suriname as mentioned in part C of PSA 4-25. These security measures include:

- 1. that the ship must implement security measures equivalent to security level 2 in accordance with the security plan;
- 2. ensure that any access to the ship is guarded and that the guards have a full view of the outside of the ship (both on the land side and the water side);
- 3. carry out the Declaration of Security (DoS) procedure;

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- 4. documenting all security measures in the ship's security logbooks; and
- 5. reporting the security measures taken to the competent authorities in U.S.A (Coast Guard).

Based on the above, security level 2 applies to the Surinamese port facility when visited by the above-mentioned ships in accordance with the approved security plan. Furthermore, the port facility must sign a DoS with the ship in accordance with "Maritime Security Instructions 2025/01 revision 1(revision 1)".

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