



Australian Government

**Seafarers Safety, Rehabilitation
and Compensation Authority**

EXEMPTIONS GRANTED PURSUANT TO S20A OF THE SEAFARERS ACT DURING 2022–23

The following table lists all exemptions granted under s20A of the Seafarers Act between 1 July 2022 and 31 December 2022. This list is updated on a quarterly basis.

Last updated: 16 January 2023

Employer	Vessel	Vessel Type	Date granted/ Decision made	Reason(s)	Exemption Start Date	Exemption End Date
Paspaley	<i>Paspaley 4</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Roslynne</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Clare II</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Odin II</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Montoro</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Nalena Bay</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Joseph Conrad (Marilynne)</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Roebuck Two</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Vivienne</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Christine</i>	Maintenance	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023
Paspaley	<i>Fast 4</i>	Fishing	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Jun 2023

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P&O Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>MV Wunma</i>	Self Discharging Bulk Carrier	1 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jul 2022	30 Sep 2022
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Ginga</i>	Tug	21 Jul 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	25 Jul 2022	7 Aug 2022
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Warang</i>	Tug	21 Jul 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	27 Jul 2022	12 Aug 2022
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Fortitude</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Kotor</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Kythira</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Zarka</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Mary</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT May</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Mermaid</i>	Catamaran	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Monto</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Paluma</i>	Catamaran	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023

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Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Wambiri</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Camel</i>	Barge	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Moreton</i>	Barge	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Hanson</i>	Barge	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Bay Lass</i>	Survey Vessel	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Cape Mac</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Flinders Bay</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Keppel Bay</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>King Bay</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Twofold Bay</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Nautilus</i>	Tug	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Transporter</i>	Launch/ Survey Vessel	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>Robbie Cook</i>	Power/ Monohull	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Eden</i>	Monohull	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Pacific Tug (Aust) Pty Ltd	<i>PT Norfolk</i>	Barge	28 Jul 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023

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Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Oryx</i>	Tug	4 Aug 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	7 Aug 2022	31 Aug 2022
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Nana</i>	Tug	8 Aug 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	10 Aug 2022	31 Aug 2022
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Stockton</i>	Tug	26 Aug 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	26 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Macquarie</i>	Tug	26 Aug 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	26 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Stokes</i>	Tug	26 Aug 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	26 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Palmerston</i>	Tug	26 Aug 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	26 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Nana</i>	Tug	26 Aug 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	26 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Edwina</i>	Tug	26 Aug 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	26 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Mataranka</i>	Tug	26 Aug 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	26 Aug 2022	30 Jun 2023

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Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Larrakia</i>	Tug	29 Aug 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	31 Aug 2022	30 Sep 2022
P&O Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>MV Wunma</i>	Self Discharging Bulk Carrier	6 Sep 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Oct 2022	30 Jun 2023
International Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>Mataranka</i>	Tug	6 Sep 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	6 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2022
International Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Stockton</i>	Tug	6 Sep 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	6 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2022
Coral Expeditions Group	<i>Coral Geographer</i>	Passenger Vessel	28 Sep 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	26 Sep 2022	30 Jun 2023
Coral Expeditions Group	<i>Coral Discoverer</i>	Passenger Vessel	28 Sep 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	26 Sep 2022	30 Jun 2023
Coral Expeditions Group	<i>Coral Adventurer</i>	Passenger Vessel	28 Sep 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	26 Sep 2022	30 Jun 2023
International Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>Tom Tough</i>	Tug	12 Oct 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	20 Oct 2022	30 Nov 2022

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International Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Edwina</i>	Tug	12 Oct 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	17 Oct 2022	30 Nov 2022
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Walan</i>	Tug	26 Oct 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	2 Nov 2022	30 Nov 2022
Sea Swift Pty Ltd	<i>Biquele Bay</i>	Landing Craft	2 Nov 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	2 Nov 2022	30 Apr 2023
Sea Swift Pty Ltd	<i>Malu Chief</i>	Landing Craft	2 Nov 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	2 Nov 2022	30 Apr 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Swift</i>	Tug	3 Nov 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	14 Nov 2022	30 Nov 2022
P&O Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>MV Aburri</i>	Bulk Carrier	16 Nov 2022	The prescribed ship/s are operating within a territory only.	17 Nov 2022	30 Jun 2023
Inco Ships Pty Ltd	<i>ICS Silver Lining</i>	Cargo	25 Nov 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	1 Dec 2022	30 Apr 2023
Inco Ships Pty Ltd	<i>ICS Silver Spirit</i>	Cargo	25 Nov 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	1 Dec 2022	30 Apr 2023
Inco Ships Pty Ltd	<i>ICS Reliance</i>	Tanker	25 Nov 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	1 Dec 2022	30 Apr 2023

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Inco Ships Pty Ltd	<i>ICS Allegiance</i>	Tanker	25 Nov 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	1 Dec 2022	30 Apr 2023
Inco Ships Pty Ltd	<i>Accolade II</i>	Cargo	25 Nov 2022	The unavailability of workers compensation insurance under the Seacare scheme.	1 Dec 2022	30 Apr 2023
Sea Swift Pty Ltd	<i>Territorian</i>	Landing Craft	25 Nov 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	5 Dec 2022	28 Feb 2023
Svitzer Australia Pty Ltd	<i>Svitzer Swift</i>	Tug	28 Nov 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	30 Nov 2022	15 Dec 2022
International Maritime Services Pty Ltd	<i>Tom Tough</i>	Tug	28 Nov 2022	The prescribed ships' proposed voyage does not constitute a regular trading or operating pattern and is incidental to the primary operations of the ship.	30 Nov 2022	9 Dec 2022
University of Tasmania	<i>FTV Bluefin</i>	Fishing vessel	22 Dec 2022	Insurance available at lower cost than the Seacare scheme	1 Jan 2023	31 Dec 2023