



LOCAL REGULATIONS CONCERNING ORDER IN AND USE OF HARBOURS AND FAIRWAYS IN STRANDA MUNICIPALITY, MØRE OG ROMSDAL

VALID FROM: 1 January 2015

APPLIES TO: Harbours and sea waters in Stranda Municipality

UNDER THE PROVISION OF: Sections 14 (1) and 42 (1) of the Norwegian Act relating to Harbours and Fairways (LOV-2009-04-17-19).

Adopted by Stranda Municipality on 11 December 2014 under the provision of the Norwegian Act relating to Harbours and Fairways dated 17 April 2009 no. 19, section 14, first paragraph and section 42, first paragraph.

Section 1 Purpose

The Regulations govern order in and use of harbours and fairways in order to ensure efficient and safe harbour operations, good access, safe traffic and proper use and management of fairways.

Section 2 Scope

The Regulations govern public and private harbours and sea waters in Stranda Municipality. In main fairways and secondary fairways, the Regulations only apply within the harbour boundaries in harbours stipulated in the Regulations dated 30 November 2009 no. 1477 concerning fairways and section 2 third paragraph, appendix 1.

Section 3 Requirements when moored in harbours or at quay

When a vessel is moored at a quay, it is not permitted to use any of the vessel's propellers until immediately before the vessel is to leave the quay. The same applies to other types of propulsion and manoeuvring devices. During manoeuvring to or from the quay, the vessel shall be manoeuvred carefully in order to prevent damage caused by the propeller wake.

When a vessel is alongside a quay, any vessel outlets facing the quay and other vessels shall be closed to avoid unnecessary inconvenience or hazards caused by waste water, vapour or the like. In addition, vessels are not permitted to discharge soot or smoke that may cause damage or inconvenience to harbour operations.

The Municipality is entitled to prohibit maintenance work or other operations in the harbour if such prohibition is deemed necessary to ensure efficient and safe harbour operations.

Section 4 Obligation to make use of tugboat assistance, proper mooring, anchoring and moving

The Municipality is entitled to enforce obligations regarding the use of a tugboat or mooring assistance if this is deemed necessary with a view to safe traffic or safe harbour operations.

The Municipality is entitled to enforce obligations regarding mooring or anchoring if this is deemed necessary with a view to safe traffic or safe harbour operations.

The Municipality is entitled to order a vessel to move from an allocated position if this is deemed necessary with a view to safe traffic, safe or efficient harbour operations.

Section 5 Obligation to report damage

Any parties that have caused damage to harbours, harbour installations or devices shall report the damage to the Municipality as soon as possible.

Section 6 Requirement regarding permission to dive

Diving in the following areas requires a special permit from the Municipality:

- a) The area around Hellesylt quay and the tender boat pier: LAT: 62.05.122N – LONG: 006.52.508E
- b) The area around the Hellesylt floating buoy: LAT: 62.05.225N – LONG: 006.52.481E
- c) The area surrounding Geiranger quay, Geiranger cruise terminal and Seawalk: LAT: 62.06137N – LONG: 007.12.298E
- d) The area specified on the map as the anchor positions from Grande and Homlong in to Geiranger centre: LAT: 62-27N – LONG: 005-59E

However, it is permitted to dive in these areas if the purpose is to save lives or assets and where it is not possible to wait for a permit to be issued. In such situations, a report must be submitted to the Municipality as soon as possible regarding the dive.

Section 7 Aircraft

Section 8 Requirements regarding passing vessels

Section 9 Prohibition on snow disposal

It is prohibited to dispose of snow in the following areas:

- a) Geiranger quay: LAT: 62.06137N – LONG: 007.12.298E
- b) Hellesylt quay and Hellesylt ferry quay: LAT: 62.05.225N – LONG: 006.52.481E
- c) Stranda quay: LAT: 62.18.505N and LONG: 006.56.995E

Section 10 Other regulations

Section 11 Special exemptions

In certain, special situations, the Municipality is entitled to award exemptions to sections 3, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10.

Section 12 Consequences and criminal liability

In the event of a breach of the provisions in these Regulations or a breach of resolutions adopted under the provision of these Regulations, the provisions laid down in chapter 10 of the Norwegian Act relating to Harbours and Fairways dated 17 April 2009 no. 19 apply as appropriate.

Significant breaches of sections 4, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 may result in a fine, pursuant to section 62 of the Norwegian Act relating to Harbours and Fairways dated 17 April 2009 no. 19.

Section 13 Date of implementation

The Regulations come into effect on 1 January 2015.

The Regulations dated 24 April 2006 no. 439 concerning order in and use of harbours, Stranda Municipality, Møre og Romsdal, are annulled on the same date.