

**§ 196.37-9**

**§ 196.37-9 Carbon dioxide alarm.**

(a) All carbon dioxide alarms shall be conspicuously identified: "WHEN ALARM SOUNDS—VACATE AT ONCE. CARBON DIOXIDE BEING RE-LEASED."

**§ 196.37-10 Fire extinguishing system branch lines.**

(a) The branch line valves of all fire extinguishing systems shall be plainly and permanently marked indicating the spaces served.

**§ 196.37-13 Fire extinguishing system controls.**

(a) The control cabinets or spaces containing valves or manifolds for the various fire extinguishing systems shall be distinctly marked in conspicuous red letters at least 2 inches high: "CARBON DIOXIDE FIRE APPARATUS," or "FOAM FIRE APPARATUS," etc., as the case may be.

**§ 196.37-15 Firehose stations.**

(a) Each fire hydrant shall be identified in red letters and figures at least 2 inches high "FIRE STATION NO. 1", "2", "3", etc. Where the hose is not stowed in the open or behind glass so as to be readily seen, this identification shall be so placed as to be readily seen from a distance.

**§ 196.37-20 Self-contained breathing apparatus and gas masks.**

(a) Lockers or spaces containing self-contained breathing apparatus shall be marked "SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS".

**§ 196.37-23 Hand portable fire extinguishers.**

(a) Each hand portable fire extinguisher shall be marked with a number and the location where stowed shall be marked with a corresponding number at least ½ inch high. Where only one type and size of hand portable fire extinguisher is carried, the numbering may be omitted.

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**§ 196.37-25 Emergency lights.**

(a) All emergency lights shall be marked with a letter "E" at least ½ inch high.

**§ 196.37-33 Instructions for changing steering gear.**

(a) Instructions in at least ½ inch letters and figures shall be posted in the steering engine room, relating in order, the different steps to be taken in changing to the emergency steering gear. Each clutch, gear, wheel, lever, valve, or switch which is used during the changeover shall be numbered or lettered on a metal plate or painted so that the markings can be recognized at a reasonable distance. The instructions shall indicate each clutch or pin to be "in" or "out" and each valve or switch which is to be "opened" or "closed" in shifting to any means of steering for which the vessel is equipped. Instructions shall be included to line up all steering wheels and rudder amidship before changing gears.

**§ 196.37-35 Rudder orders.**

(a) At all steering stations, there shall be installed a suitable notice on the wheel or device or in such other position as to be directly in the helmsman's line of vision, to indicate the direction in which the wheel or device must be turned for "right rudder" and for "left rudder".

**§ 196.37-37 Markings for lifesaving appliances, instructions to passengers, and stowage locations.**

Lifesaving appliances, instructions to passengers, and stowage locations must be marked in accordance with subchapter W (Lifesaving Appliances and Arrangements) of this chapter.

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**§ 196.37-47 Portable magazine chests.**

(a) Portable magazine chests shall be marked in letters at least 3 inches high: