



QUALSHIP 21

- Full participation in the USCG QUALSHIP 21 program
- Reduced exam Frequency
- Recognition for quality vessels and operators



ALL FLAGS ARE NOT ALIKE

LIBERIAN REGISTRY: A QUALSHIP 21 Flag

The Liberian Registry has earned the privilege to be admitted to the United States Coast Guard's (USCG) QUALSHIP 21 (QS21) program. QS21 recognizes vessels and flag States which have successfully met specified safety, regulatory, and quality requirements when calling at ports in the United States (US).

The QS21 program is a quality recognition program to which only a small percentage of vessels calling at US ports are admitted based on the excellence of their port state control record. The USCG developed QS21 to provide recognition and an incentive for well-run quality vessels, operators, and flag States.

For more information about the QUALSHIP 21 Program:

Visit www.dco.uscg.mil or scan the QR below.



What incentives will Liberian flagged QUALSHIP 21 vessels receive?

Reduced Exam Frequency		
SHIP	FREIGHT SHIP	TANKER
NON-QUALSHIP	1 - 2 Years	Every Year
QUALSHIP*	3 Years	2 Years
	Annual exams of these vessels will be eliminated and replaced with biennial exams	Annual Midperiod Exam of reduced scope

*Captain of the Port may continue to examine these ships when overriding factors are present

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