

Marriage solemnisations or receptions onboard MPA-licensed pleasure craft

1. Marriage solemnisations or receptions may only be held on board MPA-licensed pleasure craft in compliance with the requirements of the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures)(Control Order) Regulations 2020. Please refer to the following weblink ([LINK](#)) for further information on solemnisations and receptions.

2. MPA licensed pleasure craft owner/operators are required to seek approval from the owners of the premises where the craft are berthed (e.g. marinas) if the solemnisation and/or reception is held when the pleasure craft is berthed. Please refer to the following table for more information on MPA-licensed pleasure craft holding solemnisation and/or receptions.

Venue	Marriage Solemnisations	Wedding Receptions
MPA licensed pleasure craft (license prefix "SZ")	<p>Maximum of 10 persons⁸ provided that (a) the total number of persons on board does not exceed the craft's licensed carrying capacity at all times, and (b) applicable safe management measures can be implemented onboard.</p> <p>MPA-licensed SZ pleasure craft are not allowed to engage in commercial hire in the Port of Singapore. Owners/operators who wish to hold marriage solemnisations on board MPA-licensed SZ pleasure craft must obtain MPA's written approval (email: pms@mpa.gov.sg) before the date of the solemnisation.</p>	Not allowed
MPA licensed pleasure craft (license prefix "SZH")	<p>Maximum of 50 persons⁹ provided that (a) the total number of persons on board does not exceed the craft's licensed carrying capacity at all times, (b) applicable safe management measures can be implemented on board.</p> <p>For solemnisations and receptions with more than 20 persons, the persons should be split into a group of up to 20 (called the "wedding party,") with the remainder split into groups of 5. The "wedding party" should maintain a 1 metre distance from the smaller groups of 5. The groups of 5 should also maintain a 1 metre distance from other groups at all times. There must be no intermingling or mixing between groups.</p> <p>For wedding receptions, pre-event testing is required for the wedding party.</p>	

⁸ 8 guests and the couple, excluding the solemniser, and other persons onboard for the purposes of providing authorised services, such as event vendors and crew employed to operate the craft

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