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MCA Oral Examinations Fort Lauderdale 2011

Fort Lauderdale is once again to host MCA Oral examinations.

The MCA has confirmed that Oral examinations will take place in Fort Lauderdale.

The Exams are scheduled for twice a year in April and November and will allow students to complete their MCA deck courses and undertake the examinations without the need to travel to the UK or Europe. Following the recent British Government budget cuts, there has been some concern about the MCA being able to offer oral examinations overseas, however the MCA has confirmed that it is perfectly willing to send an examiner to Fort Lauderdale twice a year. The Fort Lauderdale Oral dates will be coordinated jointly by International Yacht Training Fort Lauderdale and Maritime Professional Training. Places are expected to be limited but comprehensive oral preparation will be made available to candidates.

"We are delighted to be able to confirm that the MCA will attend Fort Lauderdale as it has proved very frustrating for our students to have to fly back to the UK for their oral exams." said Mike French of IYT Fort Lauderdale.

"Fort Lauderdale is known as the hub for obtaining a job on a yacht so it was very important to both IYT and MPT to work together to sponsor the MCA traveling here for the exams. It is crucial that yachting professionals have an opportunity to get high quality training as well as their exams in the same location that they will be securing a new position. This saves owners, captains and crew time and money and allows them to have greater choice and flexibility in their career advancement, said Amy Beavers of MPT, USA.

About International Yacht Training

International Yacht Training - Fort Lauderdale was established in 1998 and is the world's leading provider of yacht training services. IYT provides training to yacht crew at all stages of their careers.

IYT Fort Lauderdale has trained over 14,000 candidates in the last 11 years many of whom are now operating at command level and sending their crews to IYT.

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