



# BOSTON MARINE SOCIETY

*Oldest Marine Society in the World*

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Captain \_\_\_\_\_,

Captain \_\_\_\_\_ has been proposed and has applied for membership to the Boston Marine Society, giving your name as a reference. We would appreciate learning from you the extent of your acquaintance with the applicant and any additional information regarding the character of said applicant that would assist us in acquiring a better and more accurate understanding of this candidate, both professionally and personally.

Please complete the following questionnaire to the best of your ability, elaborating where appropriate and return it to the Boston Marine Society, Att: Capt. \_\_\_\_\_, Chairman of the Membership Committee.

All information given to us will be held in strict confidence and will be for the sole use of the membership committee.

With appreciation,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman, Membership Committee

Are you related to the applicant?\_\_\_\_\_ If so, what relation?\_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the applicant?\_\_\_\_\_

Have you worked with the applicant in a supervisory or peer capacity?\_\_\_\_\_

How would you describe the applicant's working relationships with others in the marine industry? \_\_\_\_\_

Please elaborate on the history of your relationship with the applicant, both professionally and personally, addressing his/her specific assets and skills and why you believe this applicant should be considered for membership to the Boston Marine Society.

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Any additional comments you feel may be relevant to the Membership Committee concerning the applicant. \_\_\_\_\_

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signed \_\_\_\_\_