

Maritime Security (MARSEC) Awareness Training Certification

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Young Brothers, LLC (“YB”) operates on a facility regulated by the U.S. States Coast Guard, as such all frequent visitors of YB are required to have both a Transportation Worker’s Identification Credential (“TWIC”) and have valid Maritime Security (“MARSEC”) Awareness Training Certification.

Transportation Worker’s Identification Credential (“TWIC”)

The Transportation Workers Identification Credential (“TWIC”) is a requirement of the TWIC Program which is a joint rulemaking with the Transportation Security Administration (“TSA”) and the US Coast Guard (“USCG”) to standardize identification procedures for personnel needing unescorted access to secured areas of Maritime Transportation Security Act (“MTSA”) regulated facilities and vessels in order to reduce risk and mitigate effects of a transportation security incident (“TSI”).

The expectation is that individuals who frequently access secure areas in the course of their employment will obtain TWICs. These populations include: non-credentialed mariners in vessel crew; longshoremen; drayage truckers; facility employees who work in a secure area; truckers bringing cargo onto a facility or picking up cargo at a facility; surveyors; agents; chandlers; port chaplains; and other maritime professionals. This list is not exhaustive and other populations may be included.

The TSA, through a local third-party contractor will issue a tamper-resistant “Smart Card” containing the individual’s biometrics (fingerprints) to allow for a positive link between the card itself and the individual. Visit the TWIC website at <https://universalenroll.dhs.gov/> for more information. The current cost of a TWIC is \$125.25, is valid for 5-years and also has a Credential Identification Number (“CIN”) that can be used as a TSA Pre-Check number in the Known Traveler Number (“KTN”) field when making airline reservations (new perk effective 7/8/2020).

Maritime Security (“MARSEC”) Awareness Training Certification

As part of Young Brothers’ Facility Security Plan (“FSP”) and under 33 CFR 105.215, security training is required for all personnel that come to a Young Brothers facility frequently. This training includes the following:

- Relevant provisions of the FSP,
- The meaning & consequential requirements of the different MARSEC Levels,
- Recognition & detection of dangerous substances & devices,
- Recognition of characteristics & behavioral patterns of persons who are likely to threaten security,
- Techniques used to circumvent security measures,
- TWIC procedures
- Consequences of non-compliance and violations

Training Location:

All MARSEC training classes are hosted by our security contractor, PST, LLC and held virtually via Zoom. You will receive the meeting invitation once you have successfully registered online via their website link at: <https://www.pstpacific.com/booktraining>

**Classes require a minimum of 3 people to proceed as scheduled. If the minimum class requirements are not met, you will be notified based on the information you provide in the online registration form and alternate classes will be offered.*

Training Cost:

First Time - \$50.00/person plus tax

Refresher - \$25.00/person plus tax

You will be receiving an invoice from our contractor directly based on the billing information you provide when registering with the online form

Certification of Completion:

Upon completion of training, a **MARSEC Card** good for five (5) years along with a printed certificate will be issued to the attendee and mailed to the billing address provided via the online registration information provided

Please email tiff@htbyb.com with any questions or concerns. Mahalo!