
Washington USL&H Assigned Risk Plan

Insurance for United States Longshore & Harbor Workers' Act

Maritime Employers' Liability (MEL)

Employers may be exposed to liabilities under general maritime law and federal statutes. For example, the master or crew members of a vessel may have legal rights under maritime law and federal laws governing seamen. These liabilities are not covered under the USL&H Act.

An employer may, under limited circumstances, add a Maritime Employers' Liability (M.E.L.) endorsement to a policy issued through the Washington USL&H Assigned Risk Plan.

For an employer to be eligible for a maritime employer's liability endorsement, the coverage provided must be incidental to the USL&H coverage provided through the Washington USL&H Assigned Risk Plan.

*For additional information
refer to the "Endorsements" link on the WARP web site*