

What are the penalties involved with misuse of an MSIC?

Question

If you misuse your MSIC, or fail to adhere to any of your obligations as an MSIC holder, you may be fined or found guilty of an offense. What are the penalties?

Answer

See below table:

Provisions	Penalties	References (from the Maritime Transport and Offshore Facilities Security Act 2003 and associated Regulations)	Provisions	Penalties	References (from the Maritime Transport and Offshore Facilities Security Act 2003 and associated Regulations)
If you don't report the loss or damage of your card to the issuing body within 7 days ...	\$1800 fine	Regulation 6.08R	You cannot bring a weapon on to a site ...	\$18000 fine and up to 7 years in jail	Section 120 of the Act
If you don't display your card correctly ...	\$900 fine for a first offence and \$1800 for a second offence	Regulation 6.07J	If you're appointed to escort a visitor and you fail to monitor them continuously ...	\$900 fine	Regulation 6.07L
If you don't need your card you must return it to the organisation that issued it within 30 days.	\$900 fine	Regulation 6.08 P	If your MSIC is stolen you must report the loss to the police and provide a copy of their report to the issuing authority within seven days of becoming aware of the theft. If you don't ...	\$1800 fine	Regulation 6.08R
If your card has expired you must return it to the organization that issued it within 30 days.	\$1800 fine	Regulation 6.08Q	If you are in a Maritime Security Zone and apparently not displaying a valid MSIC, a law enforcement officer or a maritime security inspector may show his or her own identity card and direct you to show a valid MSIC....	\$1800 fine	Regulation 6.08S
You cannot share or lend out your card ...	\$900 fine for all involved for a first offence and \$1800 for a second offence.	Regulation 6.07J	If you have a prohibited item (which includes a replica of a weapon) in a Maritime Security Zone ...	\$3600 fine and/or imprisonment for 2 years	Section 127 of the Act
If you fail to report all information related to a maritime-security-related offence not later than 7 days after the date of the conviction ..	\$3600 fine	Regulation 6.08LB			