

Hull(s) sound and free of excessive growth

Propeller(s) clean

Motor(s)

- Serviced and working well
- Cooling water running freely, not blowing too much smoke.
- Diesel tanks topped up
- Spare Jerry cans
- Spare Engine Oil
- Spare Alternator Belt(s)
- Spare Water Pump Belt(s)
- Spare Impeller Kit(s)
- Spare hose clamps
- Spare hoses
- Spare filters

Fresh water

- Tanks topped up with clean drinking water
- Spare Jerry cans (emergency)

Stove

- Stove working and Gas full
- Pots and deep pan with lid
- Fiddles to stop pots sliding at sea
- Can opener, lighter, utensils

Skin Fittings

- clear of barnacles
- Sea cocks operational
- Bungs

Bilge pumps

- Electric
- Float switches operational
- Manual

Electrical

- Batteries Charged and sufficient capacity
- On board charging working
- Solar
- Wind Turbine
- Alternator(s)
- Generator
- Spare batteries and fuses

Auto pilot

- Must work well in all weather
- Spare parts / belts
- Operation and trouble shooting manual

Navigation

- Depth Sounder
- Nav lights (On Hulls or Tri colour, steaming, mast head (Anchor))
- VHF
- AIS (No crucial)
- Plotter (Not Crucial) – I bring my own
- Wind Instruments (Not crucial)

Insurance

Unless the owner is on board and can assume ultimate responsibility, please make sure the vessel is covered and the delivery Captain has been temporarily added on the policy under “the insured” This means that the boat, the owner and the skipper are all covered under the same policy. This should just take a phone call or email. No extra cost. Just say your **mate/friend** David Mitchell is helping you move your boat and you want him added to the list of “the Insured” under your policy.

If I have to take out an additional policy that will be an additional expense.

International arrival (if applicable)

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- Plan for temporary stay, importation or returning vessel
- Port departed from in Australia if applicable.
- Note that the vessel must be free from bio hazards, fire arms and drugs.

Dept. of Agriculture fees and other fees maybe applicable and will need to be paid by the owner

Safety Gear

- In date and complying to the states and territories of Australia)
- PDFs
- EPIRB
- Flare pack
- Life raft or RIB (with oars and pump)
- Fire Extinguishers
- Fire Blanket
- Bucket with Lanyard (x2)
- Life ring or horse shoe
- Floating flashing light
- LED Dolphin torch (X2)
- Spare Water
- First Aid Kit

Rigging

Check standing and running rigging is all in decent condition

Sails

In reasonable to good condition minimum

Docking

- Fenders
- Mooring lines
- boat hook
- spare tie ropes

Anchor

- Appropriate size
- Chain – Min twice length of boat
- Warp 50m minimum
- Spare Anchor, chain and rope (Recommended)

Tools

- Shifters
- Spanners
- Sockets
- Alan keys
- WD 40
- Duct Tape
- Zip ties
- Silicone and corking gun
- Gasket Silicon
- Teflon Tape
- Multi-meter
- Spare wire and crimps
- Hacksaw
- Vice grips
- Multi grips
- Pliers (stub and long nose)
- Sail thread, needles and palm