RULE 30 - Anchored Vessels and Vessels Aground - International

- 1. A vessel at anchor shall exhibit where it can best be seen:
 - 1. in the fore part, an all-round white light or one ball,
 - 2. at or near the stern and at a lower level than the light prescribed in subparagraph (i), an all-round white light.
- 2. A vessel of less than 50 metres in length may exhibit an all-round white light where it can best be seen instead of the lights prescribed in paragraph (a) of this Rule.
- 3. A vessel at anchor may, and a vessel of 100 metres and more in length shall, also use the available working or equivalent lights to illuminate her decks.
- 4. A vessel aground shall exhibit the lights prescribed in paragraph (a) or (b) of this Rule and in addition, where they can best be seen:
 - 1. two all-round red lights in a vertical line;
 - 2. three balls in a vertical line.
- 5. A vessel of less than 7 metres in length, when at anchor, not in or near a narrow channel, fairway or anchorage, or where other vessels normally navigate, shall not be required to exhibit the lights or shape prescribed in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this Rule.
- 6. A vessel of less than 12 metres in length, when aground, shall not be required to exhibit the lights or shapes prescribed in subparagraphs (d)(i) and (ii) of this Rule.