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LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS

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Note:

Unless otherwise indicated, missing and destroyed structures are presumed to be in the immediate vicinity, possibly beneath the surface. Mariners should proceed with caution.

References:

Light List, Volume VI, Pacific Coast and Pacific Islands, 2009 Edition (COMDTPUB P16502.6).

U.S. Coast Pilot 7, Pacific Coast : California, Oregon, Washington, Hawaii, Pacific Islands 2009 (41st Edition).

Navigation information having been of immediate concern to the mariner, and promulgated by the following broadcasts, have been incorporated in this notice when still significant:

COMCOGARD SECTOR HONOLULU HI BNMs: 267-09 to 273-09

COMCOGARD SECTOR GUAM BNMs: 178-09 to 180-09

ABBREVIATIONS

A through H

ACOE - Army Corps of Engineers
ADRIFT - Buoy Adrift
AICW - Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway
AI - Alternating
B - Buoy
BKW - Breakwater
bl - Blast
BNM - Broadcast Notice to Mariner
bu - Blue
C - Canadian
CHAN - Channel
CGD - Coast Guard District
C/O - Cut Off
CONT - Contour
CRK - Creek
CONST - Construction
DBN/Dbn - Daybeacon
DBD/DAYBD - Dayboard
DEFAC - Defaced
DEST - Destroyed
DISCON - Discontinued
DMGD/DAMGD - Damaged
ec - eclipse
EST - Established Aid
ev - every
EVAL - Evaluation
EXT - Extinguished
F - Fixed
fl - flash

I through O

I - Interrupted
ICW - Intracoastal Waterway
IMCH - Improper Characteristic
INL - Inlet
INOP - Not Operating
INT - Intensity
ISL - Islet
Iso - Isophase
kHz - Kilohertz
LAT - Latitude
LB - Lighted Buoy
LBB - Lighted Bell Buoy
LHB - Lighted Horn Buoy
LGB - Lighted Gong Buoy
LONG - Longitude
LNM - Local Notice to Mariners
LT - Light
LT CONT - Light Continuous
LTR - Letter
LWB - Lighted Whistle Buoy
LWP - Left Watching Properly
MHz - Megahertz
MISS/MSNG - Missing
Mo - Morse Code
MSLD - Misleading
N/C - Not Charted
NGA - National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
NO/NUM - Number
NOS - National Ocean Service

P through Z

PRIV - Private Aid
Q - Quick
R - Red
RACON - Radar Transponder Beacon
Ra ref - Radar reflector
RBN - Radio Beacon
REBUILT - Aid Rebuilt
RECOVERED - Aid Recovered
RED - Red Buoy
REFL - Reflective
RRL - Range Rear Light
RELIGHTED - Aid Relit
RELOC - Relocated
RESET ON STATION - Aid Reset on Station
RFL - Range Front Light
RIV - River
s - seconds
SEC - Section
SHL - Shoaling
si - silent
SIG - Signal
SND - Sound
SPM - Single Point Mooring Buoy
SS - Sound Signal
STA - Station
STRUCT - Structure
St M - Statute Mile
TEMP - Temporary Aid Change
TMK - Topmark

FI - Flashing
G - Green
HAZ - Hazard to Navigation
HBR - Harbor
HOR - Horizontal Clearance
HT - Height

NW - Notice Writer
OBSCU - Obscured
OBST - Obstruction
OBSTR - Obstruction
Oc - Occulting
ODAS - Anchored Oceanographic Data Buoy

TRLB - Temporarily Replaced by Lighted Buoy
TRLT - Temporarily Replaced by Light
TRUB - Temporarily Replaced by Unlighted Buoy
W - White
Y - Yellow

Additional Abbreviations Specific to this LNM Edition:

MSLD SIG - Misleading Signal

SECTION I - SPECIAL NOTICES

This section contains information of special concern to the Mariner.

PACIFIC OCEAN - NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE BUOY 51002 - ADRIFT

National Data Buoy Center buoy 51002 has been placed on station in position 17-05-39.316N/157-48-27.331W. The previous hull is still adrift and also marked with the number 51002. The buoy is six meters in diameter and yellow in color. Positions are transmitted hourly and can be found on the National Data Buoy Center's website at http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/station_page.php?station=51002.

PACIFIC OCEAN - NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE BUOY 51004 - ADRIFT

National Data Buoy Center buoy 51004 has been placed on station in position 17-31-31.152N/152-22-54.539W. The previous hull is still adrift and also marked with the number 51004. The buoy is six meters in diameter and yellow in color. Positions are transmitted hourly and can be found on the National Data Buoy Center's website at http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/station_page.php?station=51004.

PACIFIC OCEAN - KWAJALEIN ATOLL - DART BUOY 52402 - ADRIFT

Deep Ocean Assessment and Reporting of Tsunamis (DART) Buoy 52402 is off station and adrift. The buoy is 2.6 meters in diameter, disc shaped, and yellow in color. The last reported position was approximately 790 nautical miles northeast of Kwajalein Atoll in position 11-44-16N/154-13-12E. Mariners are advised to use caution when transiting the area.

HI ISLANDS - HAWAII - HAZARD TO NAVIGATION

The Navy research platform FLIP (Floating Instrument Platform) will be conducting oceanographic research operations in the vicinity of 18-00N, 155-30W, approximately 50 nautical miles south to southeast of Hawaii. Operations will be ongoing from August 25, 2009 through October 01, 2009. When in the vertical position, FLIP will have a draft of 300 feet with 55 feet of structure above the waterline. Flip will be accompanied by vessel Kilo Moana and during operations; research equipment will be suspended over the side of the platform. FLIP will be monitoring VHF-CH 16 at all times as well as maintaining a continuous RADAR and visual watch. Mariners are requested to give FLIP a wide berth and to use extreme caution when transiting the area. For further information and updated positions go to FLIP's website at: <http://www.mpl.ucsd.edu/resources/flip.intro.html>.

HI ISLANDS - HAWAII - KEALAKEKUA BAY SAFETY ZONE

In coordination with the State Department of Land and Natural Resources, the Coast Guard Safety Zone enacted on October 16, 2006, is revised to encompass the area within Kealakekua Bay from the shore to a line from the Captain Cook Monument to Hikiau Heiau. Commercial vessel traffic is precluded from operating within this safety zone.

HI ISLANDS - HAWAII - WATERCRAFT TESTING

Liquid Robotics, Inc. will be conducting unattended sea trials of their Wave Glider (TM) vessels for several weeks at a time periodically throughout 2009. The Wave Glider is a surfboard with mounted instruments and "submarine" components attached via a 15 foot cable. The sea trials will take place along a designated track off the Kohala Coast, between Waimea Point and Opolu Point, in an area bounded by the following coordinates:

19-57.483N/155-52.905W
19-58.260N/155-51.540W
19-58.690N/155-51.830W
19-58.420N/155-52.280W
19-58.853N/155-52.566W
19-58.330N/155-53.470W

The Wave Glider will be remotely operated and testing will be unattended when the Wave Glider is seaward of the above areas. The Wave Glider will stay at least two miles clear of FAD Buoys XX and ZZ and south of shipping traffic approaching Kawaihae from the northwest. All Mariners are advised to exercise caution within these areas.

HI ISLANDS - HAWAII - WAILOA SMALL BOAT HARBOR - SHOALING

Shoaling has been reported within the Wailoa Small Boat Harbor. A precautionary sign displaying a flashing white beacon light has been posted at the entrance to the harbor alerting mariners to the shoaling. All mariners are advised to exercise caution when transiting the area.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - KEWALO BASIN - AIDS TO NAVIGATION

During the establishment of Kewalo Basin Lighted Buoy #3 (LLNR 29158) DGPS satellite signals were unreliable. The assigned position can not be verified, there for mariners are advised to exercise caution when transiting the area.

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HI ISLANDS - OAHU - SOUTH OAHU - HAZARD TO NAVIGATION

An array of buoys are temporarily deployed in ocean waters off Honolulu International Airport reef runway in the following positions:

- 21-17-40.68N/ 157-55-20.64W
- 21-17-42.30N/ 157-55-27.96W
- 21-17-50.40N/ 157-55-19.02W
- 21-17-50.76N/ 157-55-27.42W

In the interest of safety, all vessels are requested to exercise caution while transiting the area.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - PEARL HARBOR - DREDGING

Healy Tibbits resumed dredging operations within the Middle Loch, West Loch, South Channel, and Main Channel of Pearl Harbor on January 21, 2008, and will continue until the end of October 2009. Work will be performed from barge WEEKS 544 (143' x 60'). The call sign is WCT8969 and VHF-Ch 69 will be monitored at all times. Mariners are requested to use caution when transiting the area.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - PEARL HARBOR - CONSTRUCTION

Healy Tibbits commenced operations in the vicinity of Beckoning Point (east shore of Waipio Peninsula near Middle Loch) on March 16, 2009, and will continue until October 2010. Temporary anchor moorings and numerous pieces of floating equipment will be located at the project site. Work will be performed from barge WEEKS 33 (120' x 30'), barge HT40 (107' x 26'), work boat DON CARLOS (47' x 15'), crane barge WEEKS 544 (143' x 60'), and crane barge WEEKS 243 (175' x 68'). The call sign is WCT8969 and VHF-Ch 16 will be monitored at all times. Mariners are requested to use extreme caution when transiting the area.

HI ISLANDS - KAUAI - KIKIAOLA LIGHT DRAFT HARBOR - DREDGING

American Marine commenced dredging operations within the Kikiaola Light Draft Harbor, Kauai, on November 24, 2008, and will continue until the end of September 2009. The harbor will be closed from 0730W - 1600W Monday through Friday, but will re-open one hour per day, from 1130W - 1230W. Work will be performed from the spud barge AWB 140, which will be equipped with all around white lights during night operations. The tug AMERICAN EMERALD (call sign WDC6392) will be on scene monitoring VHF-Ch 16. The aids to navigation in this area must be considered unreliable during this time. All vessels are advised to use extreme caution while transiting the area.

SECTION II - DISCREPANCIES

This section lists all reported and corrected discrepancies related to Aids to Navigation in this edition. A discrepancy is a change in the status of an aid to navigation that differs from what is published or charted.

DISCREPANCIES (FEDERAL AIDS)

LLNR	Aid Name	Status	Chart No.	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
30355	Kwajalein-Roi Highway Channel Daybeacon 6	STRUCT DEST	81715		33/09	

DISCREPANCIES (FEDERAL AIDS) CORRECTED

LLNR	Aid Name	Status	Chart No.	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
28005	NOAA Data Lighted Buoy 51004	WATCHING PROPERLY	50		22/03	37/09
28006	NOAA Data Lighted Buoy 51002	WATCHING PROPERLY	19010		10/09	37/09
28007.5	NOAA Data Lighted Buoy 51000	WATCHING PROPERLY	19013		24/09	37/09
29485	Pearl Harbor North Channel Light 2	WATCHING PROPERLY	19366	269-09	37/09	37/09
29500	Pearl Harbor North Channel Lighted Buoy 8	WATCHING PROPERLY	19366	270-09	37/09	37/09

DISCREPANCIES (PRIVATE AIDS)

LLNR	Aid Name	Status	Chart No.	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
28382.1	Kahului Boat Ramp Buoy 11	MISSING	19342	102-06	18/06	
28445	Maalaea East Basin Buoy 6	MSLD SIG	19350	115-09	09/09	
28450	Maalaea Basin Daybeacon J	MSLD SIG	19350	115-09	09/09	
28455	Maalaea West Basin Daybeacon 2W	MSLD SIG	19350	115-09	09/09	
28480	Lahaina Boat Basin Lighted Buoy 3	LT EXT	19348	067-09	03/09	
28485	Lahaina Boat Basin Lighted Buoy 4	OFF STA	19348	068-09	03/09	
28490	Lahaina Boat Basin Lighted Buoy 5	LT EXT	19348	069-09	03/09	
28500	Lahaina Boat Basin Lighted Buoy 7	LT EXT	19348	070-09	03/09	
28665	Kaunakakai Small Boat Harbor Daybeacon Reef	MISSING	19351	009-06	03/06	
29741.1	Waikaea Channel Light 1	MISSING	19381	326-04	47/04	
29741.2	Waikaea Channel Light 2	LT EXT	19381	327-04	47/04	
29741.3	Waikaea Channel Light 3	LT EXT	19381		27/09	
29741.5	Waikaea Channel Light 5	LT EXT	19381		27/09	
29741.6	Waikaea Channel Light 6	LT EXT	19381		27/09	
30811.3	Agat Small Boat Harbor Light 3	DBN DMGD	81048	177-09	37/09	
	American Marine Barge	MISSING	19362	244-09	30/09	
	Fad Site BB - Moloaa, Kauai	MISSING	19381		12/09	
	Fad Site Bo - Barbers Point, Oahu	MISSING	19380		36/09	
	Fad Site DD - Opana Point, Maui	MISSING	19004		12/09	
	Fad Site DK - Anahola, Kauai	MISSING	19004		36/09	
	Fad Site FF - Pukaulua Point, Maui	MISSING	19340		12/09	
	Fad Site G - Pepeekeo, Hawaii	MISSING	19004		36/09	
	Fad Site H1	STRUCT MISSING	19320		36/09	
	Fad Site HH - Pearl Harbor, Oahu	LT EXT	19340		31/09	
	Fad Site HK - Hakalau, Hawaii	MISSING	19320		12/09	
	Fad Site J - Wailalee, Oahu	MISSING	19380		36/09	
	Fad Site NL - Nuu Landing, Maui	ADRIFT	19320	134-09	12/09	
	Fad Site T - Makapuu, Oahu	MISSING	19339		36/09	

DISCREPANCIES (PRIVATE AIDS) CORRECTED

LLNR	Aid Name	Status	Chart No.	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
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None

PLATFORM DISCREPANCIES

Name	Status	Position	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
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None

PLATFORM DISCREPANCIES CORRECTED

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None

SECTION III - TEMPORARY CHANGES and TEMPORARY CHANGES CORRECTED

This section contains temporary changes and corrections to Aids to Navigation for this edition. When charted aids are temporarily relocated for dredging, testing, evaluation, or marking an obstruction, a temporary correction shall be listed in Section IV giving the new position.

TEMPORARY CHANGES

LLNR	Aid Name	Status	Chart No.	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
28675.1	WECB Lighted Buoy "G"	DISCONTINUED	19359		26/09	
29145	Kewalo Basin Entrance Range Rear Light	DISCONTINUED	19367	194-09	25/09	
29320	Keehi Lagoon Barge Channel Range Rear Light	DISCONTINUED	19367		28/09	
29900	Kikiaola Boat Harbor Range Front Light	DISCONTINUED	19386		48/08	
29901	Kikiaola Boat Harbor Range Rear Light	DISCONTINUED	19386		48/08	
	Fad Site AA - Port Allen, Kauai	DISCONTINUED	19381		48/08	
	Fad Site HS - Nakaohu, Maui	DISCONTINUED	19320		48/08	
	Fad Site LA - Lahaina, Maui	DISCONTINUED	19347	215-08	48/08	

TEMPORARY CHANGES CORRECTED

LLNR	Aid Name	Status	Chart No.	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
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None

PLATFORM TEMPORARY CHANGES

Name	Status	Position	BNM Ref.	LNM St	LNM End
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None

PLATFORM TEMPORARY CHANGES CORRECTED

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None

SECTION IV - CHART CORRECTIONS

None

SECTION V - ADVANCE NOTICES

This section contains advance notice of approved projects, changes to aids to navigation, or upcoming temporary changes such as dredging, etc. Mariners are advised to use caution while transiting these areas.

SUMMARY OF ADVANCED APPROVED PROJECTS

<u>Approved Project(s)</u>	<u>Project Date</u>	<u>Ref. LNM</u>
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None

Advance Notice(s)

None

SECTION VI - PROPOSED CHANGES

Periodically, the Coast Guard evaluates its system of aids to navigation to determine whether the conditions for which the aids to navigation were established have changed. When changes occur, the feasibility of improving, relocating, replacing, or discontinuing aids are considered. This section contains notice(s) of non-approved, proposed projects open for comment. SPECIAL NOTE: Mariners are requested to respond in writing to the District office unless otherwise noted (see banner page for address).

PROPOSED WATERWAY PROJECTS OPEN FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Proposed Project(s)

Closing

Docket No.

Ref. LNM

None

Proposed Change Notice(s)

MARIANA ISLANDS - GUAM - APRA HARBOR - AIDS TO NAVIGATION STUDY

The Coast Guard is conducting a Waterways Analysis and Management System (WAMS) study of Apra Harbor, Guam. The study focuses on the area's aid to navigation system, waterborne commerce, marine casualty information, port/harbor resources, emergency response plans, routine and emergency communication responsibilities, and future development projects.

Interested parties are strongly encouraged to comment on this study in writing, either personally or through their organization, by September 30, 2009. All comments will be carefully considered. Any company or individual wishing to provide comments or participate in a user survey should contact:

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MARIANA ISLANDS - GUAM - AGANA BOAT BASIN - AIDS TO NAVIGATION STUDY

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MARIANA ISLANDS - GUAM - AGAT BOAT HARBOR - AIDS TO NAVIGATION STUDY

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MARIANA ISLANDS - GUAM - MAMAON CHANNEL - AIDS TO NAVIGATION STUDY

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MARIANA ISLANDS - SAIPAN - AIDS TO NAVIGATION STUDY

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There will be an open house meeting to discuss waterway issues on September 10, 2009, starting at 1700K, in the Coastal Resources Management office second floor Morgan Bldg San Jose Saipan MP. Interested parties who are unable to attend are encouraged to comment on this study in writing, either personally or through their organization, by September 30, 2009. All comments will be carefully considered. Any company or individual wishing to provide comments or participate in a user survey should contact:

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MARIANA ISLANDS - TINIAN - AIDS TO NAVIGATION STUDY

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SECTION VII - GENERAL

This section contains information of general concern to the Mariners. Mariners are advised to use caution while transiting these areas.

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY - REPORTS OF SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITIES

The Department of Homeland Security (DHS) encourages the maritime public to report information concerning suspicious activity to their local Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Joint Terrorism Task Force (JTTF) office, <http://www.fbi.gov/contact/fo/fo.htm>, or to other appropriate authorities. Individuals can contact the DHS watch and warning unit at (202) 323-3205, toll free at 1-888-585-9078, or by e-mail to nipc.watch@fbi.gov. The U.S. Coast Guard reminds the maritime industry that they may also report information concerning suspicious activity to the National Response Center (NRC) at 1-800-424-8802.

TRANSPORTATION WORKER IDENTIFICATION CREDENTIAL (TWIC)

TWIC was established by Congress through the Maritime Transportation Act of 2002 (MTSA) and is administered by the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) and U.S. Coast Guard (USCG). TWICs are tamper-resistant biometric credentials that will be issued to ALL USCG CREDENTIALLED MERCHANT MARINERS, as well as workers who require unescorted access to secure areas of ports, vessels, and outer continental shelf facilities.

By April 15, 2009, all USCG credentialed mariners will be required to hold a TWIC in order for their license, Merchant Mariner Document (MMD), Certificate of Registry (COR), or Standards of Training, Certification, and Watchkeeping (STCW) endorsement to remain valid. Failure to obtain a TWIC may result in suspension or revocation of a mariner's credential under 46 U.S.C. 7702 and 7703.

To obtain a TWIC, an individual must visit an enrollment center where they will pay the enrollment fee, provide biographic information and a complete set of fingerprints, and sit for a digital photograph. Pre-enrollment is highly encouraged as it is designed to save the applicant time and provides the ability to make an appointment. You will need to pick up your TWIC, after being notified it is ready, at the same enrollment center where you applied. The cost for TWIC is \$132.50 and it is valid for five years. Mariners who already hold a USCG credential may pay a reduced fee of \$105.25, however, their TWIC will then expire when their USCG credential expires.

For more information on the TWIC program including enrollment locations please visit TSA's websites at <http://www.twicinformation.com/twicinfo/index.jsp> or <http://www.tsa.gov/twic>.

Additional information can be found on the Coast Guard's HOMEPORT website at <http://homeport.uscg.mil/twic> or by calling U.S. Coast Guard Sector Honolulu at (808) 522-8264

LONG RANGE IDENTIFICATION AND TRACKING OF SHIPS (LRIT)

On April 29, 2008, the Coast Guard published in the Federal Register Vol. 73, no.83, the final rule that amended 33 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 169 to implement LRIT requirements in the United States. This rule requires, consistent with international law, certain ships to report identifying and position data electronically and became effective on May 29, 2008. Additionally, it implements an amendment to Chapter V of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS), Regulation 19-1.

Additionally, the U.S. Coast Guard will operate the U.S. National Data Center (NDC), located in Martinsburg, West Virginia, which will become operational on December 31, 2008. The U.S. NDC will be responsible for the collection, dissemination and management of all LRIT data submitted by U.S. flagged vessels subject to the LRIT regulations. In addition, the U.S. NDC will collect foreign flagged vessel LRIT information from other data centers based on LRIT entitlements.

Furthermore, the U.S. has agreed to operate the International Data Exchange (IDE) on an interim basis from December 31, 2008 until December 31, 2011. During this interim period, the IDE will also be operated by the U.S. Coast Guard in Martinsburg, West Virginia.

Beginning January 1, 2009, the U.S. Coast Guard will examine foreign and U.S. flagged vessels subject to the LRIT regulations to determine status of compliance.

U.S. flagged vessel operators subject to the regulations may view information on how to comply by following the Domestic Vessels links on the USCG Homeport website at: <http://homeport.uscg.mil>.

All U.S. flagged vessel operators subject to the LRIT Regulation are encouraged to visit <http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/lrit/default.htm> to review the latest information regarding LRIT implementation and conformance test scheduling.

PUBLICATION - U.S. COAST GUARD LIGHT LIST VOLUME VI AVAILABILITY

The 2009 U.S. Coast Guard Light List Volume VI, updated to LNM week 53/08 is now available on the Navigation Center internet site (www.navcen.uscg.gov/pubs/lightlists/lightlists.htm). Hard copy editions are now available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington DC 20402. For pricing, ordering information and availability, please contact the Superintendent of Documents at (866) 512-1800 or online at <http://bookstore.gpo.gov>.

PUBLICATION - U.S. COAST PILOT 7 - NEW EDITION

U.S. Coast Pilot 7, Pacific Coast: California, Oregon, Washington, Hawaii, and Pacific Islands, 2009, 41st Edition, is ready for issue and may be

PUBLICATION - U.S. COAST PILOT 7 - NEW EDITION

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The 2009 Edition cancels the preceding 2008 Edition.

All corrections to the previous edition issued in Notices to Mariners are incorporated in this edition.

Mariners are encouraged to use the convenient "RECORD OF CHANGES" form on Page V of this book. All Coast Pilot changes published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency Notice to Mariners, and on the internet at <http://nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/cpdownload.htm> are serially numbered (i.e., Change No. 1, Change No. 2, etc.) to assist you in tracking the changes.

NOAA - RASTER NAVIGATIONAL CHARTS SERVICE RESUMES

NOAA has resumed its full service of providing free weekly updates and new editions of RNCs via the Internet at

<http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov>. A list of certified RNC distributors is also available at the above Internet site. Address questions to NOAA at <http://ocsddata.ncd.noaa.gov/idrs/inquiry.aspx>.

CHARTS / PUBLICATIONS - NATIONAL OCEAN SERVICE - DATES OF LATEST EDITIONS

The Dates of Latest Editions, Nautical Charts and Miscellaneous Maps, is no longer available in printed form. The information that was included in this publication is now only available online at: <http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/mcd/dole.htm>.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS - AUTOMATIC NOTIFICATION SERVICE

The USCG publishes the Local Notice to Mariners (LNM) exclusively over the internet in order to improve service and reduce costs. The LNM can be found at www.navcen.uscg.gov/lnm.

Users may now sign up to receive automatic notices via email when current information pertaining to the Local Notice to Mariners, Light List, Summary of Corrections, and other maritime related information is posted. To sign up for this automatic notification service, please visit <http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/lnm/listserver.htm>. Registration is free.

INTERFERENCE TO GPS RECEIVERS FROM CONSUMER ELECTRONICS - GRADE ACTIVE VHF/UHF MARINE TELEVISION ANTENNAS

The U.S. Coast Guard and Federal Communications Commission have ascertained that certain powered VHF/UHF marine television antennas are causing operational degradation in the performance of GPS receivers. This degradation in performance or interference may be realized as a display of inaccurate position information or a complete loss of GPS receiver acquisition and tracking ability. The interference interactions have been reported up to 2000 feet from the interference source. This interference has been associated, in some instances, with temperature extremes or proximity to a television broadcast site.

If you are experiencing recurring outages or degradation of your GPS receiver, these may be caused by one of these antennas on your vessel or nearby. If you have a powered VHF/UHF antenna aboard your vessel, you should perform an on-off test of your TV antenna. If turning off the power to the antenna results in improvement in the GPS receiver performance, the antenna may be the source of interference in the GPS band. In that case, you should contact the manufacturer of the antenna and identify the symptoms. If the test is not positive and the GPS interference persists, you should contact the Coast Guard Navigation Information Service at (703) 313-5900, by email: nisws@navcen.uscg.mil, or through the website at <http://www.navcen.uscg.gov>

EMERGENCY POSITION INDICATING RADIO BEACONS

The Coast Guard is reminding mariners to check their boating equipment, because after Feb. 1, 2009, only distress alerts from 406 MHz beacons will continue to be detected and processed by search and rescue satellites worldwide. Older model EPIRBs (Emergency Position Indicating Radio Beacons) that transmit a distress alert on 121.5 MHz or 243 MHz will no longer be monitored by satellite, and are likely to go completely undetected in an emergency. Mariners disposing of their old EPIRB before Feb. 1, 2009 are urged to first remove the battery. Additional information of EPIRBs can be found at www.navcen.uscg.gov/marcomms/gmdss/epirb.htm.

HI ISLANDS DGPS STATUS

To obtain status updates of the Differential GPS broadcast sites at Pahoia, Upolu Point, and Kokole Point, HI, contact the NAVCEN WEST watchstander at (707) 765-7612.

PRIVATE AIDS TO NAVIGATION

The term private aids to navigation (ATON) includes all marine aids to navigation operated in the navigable waters of the United States other than those operated by the Federal Government. Private ATON includes lighted structures and day beacons, lighted and unlighted buoys, RACONS and fog signals. Almost half of the aids to navigation established in the Fourteenth District are operated and maintained by private interests. These interests include private citizens, marina and yacht clubs, municipal and state governments, construction and dredging companies, research and non-profit organizations, beachfront associations, and large industrial concerns.

No person, public body or instrumentality not under the control of the Commandant, exclusive of the Armed Forces, shall establish and maintain, discontinue, change or transfer ownership of any aid to maritime navigation, without first obtaining permission to do so from the Commandant and the Army Corps of Engineers.

Owners contemplating establishing such buoys should review CFR 33 Part 66 and contact the appropriate authority, usually the Army Corps of Engineers, to determine what additional requirements may exist. Additionally, private aids on navigable waters regulated by the federal government require either a Coast Guard permit or Coast Guard letter of no objection. The application for a letter of no objection or for a permit, form CG-2554, can be obtained by writing or faxing the Private ATON Manager at the address and phone number given below, or via the website at <http://www.uscg.mil/d14/cmd/dpw/>.

The Private ATON Manager provides applicants assistance in processing their paperwork. Federal regulations governing aids to navigation, copies of permits previously issued to the applicant, illustrations of standard markings, and lists of commercial ATON manufacturers are available. Questions and requests should be directed to:

Commander (dpw)
Fourteenth Coast Guard District
300 Ala Moana Boulevard, 9-216
Honolulu, HI 96850-4982
Attn: Private ATON Manager
Tel: (808) 535-3408
Fax: (808) 535-3414

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Honolulu District
Building 230
Ft. Shafter, HI 96858-5440
Attn: CEPOH-EC-R
Phone: (808) 438-9258

Mariners are reminded that they have a responsibility to report discrepant private aids to the nearest Coast Guard unit. The failure of a mariner to report a discrepant aid to navigation may result in casualties to others. All aids to navigation in the Fourteenth District, both private and federally maintained, are user monitored. When owners receive discrepancy reports from the Coast Guard, they are obligated to take immediate action to correct the discrepancy. Owners are reminded of their responsibility for the proper operation and maintenance of their private aids to navigation. All classes of private aids to navigation shall be maintained in proper operating condition. They are subject to inspection by the Coast Guard at any time and without prior notice. The Coast Guard issues broadcast notice to mariners for reported discrepancies that remain in effect until the discrepancy is corrected or is published in the Local Notice to Mariners.

FISH AGGREGATING DEVICE (FAD) BUOY INFORMATION AND DISCREPANCIES

The State of Hawaii has placed Fish Aggregating Devices (FADs) in the waters surrounding the main Hawaiian Islands. These buoys attract schools of tuna and other important pelagic fishes, such as dolphinfish (Mahimahi), wahoo (Ono), and billfish. FADs allow fishermen to easily locate and catch these species. The buoys are anchored using approximately 2.5 miles of mooring line, which creates a very large swing circle. Mariners are advised that these buoys may maneuver anywhere from three to five miles from their charted positions.

Mariners requesting up to date information concerning Hawaiian Island's FAD Buoys, or reports of discrepancies, may either visit the Hawaii FAD web site at <http://www.hawaii.edu/HIMB/FADS/>, contact Mr. Warren Cortez at (808) 848-2939, or send written correspondence to:
Mr. Warren Cortez
Fish Aggregating Devices Program
1 Sand Island Road
Honolulu, HI 96819

Mariners requesting up to date information concerning Guam's FAD Buoys, or reports of discrepancies, may either visit the Guam FAD web site at <http://www.guamdawr.org/aquatics>, contact Mr. Brent Tibbats at (671) 735-3987, or send written correspondence to:
Mr. Brent Tibbats
Guam Department of Agriculture
Division of Aquatics and Wildlife Resources
163 Dairy Road
Mangilao, Guam 96913

NAVIGATION INTERNET SITES

Chart Corrections: <http://nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/mcd/updates/index.htm>

NAVIGATION INTERNET SITES

Light List Corrections: <http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/pubs/LightLists/LightLists.htm>
Coast Pilot Corrections: <http://nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/cpdownload.htm>
NOAA Weather Buoy Sites: <http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/Maps/rmd.shtml>
Hawaii Weather: <http://www.prh.noaa.gov/pr/hnl/>
Online Chart Viewer: <http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/mcd/OnLineViewer.html>

(For NOAA Print-on-Demand (POD) charts only)

NOAA, Coast Survey, in partnership with OceanGrafix, LLC, offer mariners official nautical charts continually updated by NOAA cartographers to the latest Notice to Mariners and to all Critical Safety Information known to Coast Survey in advance of its publication in a Notice. From NOAA digital files OceanGrafix prints corrected charts, to order, for sale to mariners through the OceanGrafix retail network. Produced and distributed by authority of NOAA, these charts meet all U.S. Coast Guard chart carriage requirements, including the requirements for updating (Titles 33 & 46 CFR). New Editions are available 2-8 weeks before their release as a traditional NOAA chart.

These new charts feature operational information for the commercial mariner, and educational and safety information for the recreational boater. They have brighter colors and higher contrast for better readability in various light conditions. They come either laminated or on water resistant paper. Customized charts are being introduced.

These POD charts are available through POD chart agents at <http://OceanGrafix.com/>, 1-877-56CHART, or contact NOAA at <http://nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/pod/Pod.htm>. For questions contact NOAA at help@nauticalcharts.gov.

HI ISLANDS - U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY - DIVER SAFETY ADVISORY

This advisory is issued to increase the safety of all open water and waterway users throughout the Hawaiian Islands and is issued in conjunction with the Department of Land and natural Resources (DLNR) pilot program focusing on diver safety.

Over the years there have been an increased number of reports of near misses between divers and waterborne crafts in Oahu, Maui, and Hawaii. In most cases, these near misses have happened in near coastal waters and often when conditions were choppy.

These following suggested measures can help avoid near misses:

- Become familiar with your transit route and destination area before heading out,
- Remain vigilant of your surroundings and post extra lookouts in choppy waters and inclement weather,
- Stay clear of federal Aids to Navigation and commercial delineated channels,
- Use all appropriate sound and visual signals, and
- Postpone trips until the weather and sea conditions improve.

All open water and waterway users are also highly encouraged to visit the Coast Guard Sector Honolulu Homeport website for Safety and Security Zone information for the Hawaiian Islands at: <http://homeport.uscg.mil/> under the Honolulu Port Directory tab and Safety and Security section.

The most updated charts for the Hawaiian Islands can be found on the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) website: <http://www.prh.noaa.gov/pr/hnl> or <http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/mcd/OnLineViewer.html>.

Any and all life threatening or hazardous conditions including off station or missing buoys should be reported immediately to the U.S. Coast Guard at (808) 842-2600.

HI ISLANDS - KAHŌ'OLAWĒ ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION - NOTICE OF OPEN WATERS SCHEDULE

Notice to Trollers: The dates below mark the Open Waters Trolling Schedule for January through December 2009. Should you have any questions, please contact the Ocean Resources Program at the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission (KIRC) by emailing the Ocean Resources Specialist at dtokishi@kirc.hawaii.gov or by calling 808-243-5889. This information is also posted on the KIRC website at <http://kahoolawe.hawaii.gov>.

0001W Saturdays to 2359W Sundays as follows:

September 26-27; October 10-11, 24-25; November 07-08, 14-15; December 12-13, 19-20.

The Kaho'olawe Island Reserve (defined as the submerged lands and waters within two nautical miles of the island) is divided into two zones; Zones A and B. These zones are defined as:

Zone A: Includes the island of Kaho'olawe and all the submerged lands and waters between the shoreline of Kaho'olawe and the 30-fathom isobath surrounding Kaho'olawe (HAR 13-261). Unauthorized entry into Zone A is prohibited at all times except in case of emergency.

Zone B: All waters and submerged lands between the 30-fathom isobath surrounding Kaho'olawe and two nautical miles from the shoreline of the island. Unauthorized entry into Zone B is prohibited at all times except for trolling as authorized by KIRC on the days stipulated by the Open Waters Schedule as listed above or in case of emergency. Trollers must remain underway, making way at all times while in Zone B. All lures or live bait must remain on the water surface. All other fishing, ocean recreation, and any other activities are strictly prohibited. All vessels fishing in the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve during the open trolling weekends are required by state law (H.A.R. 13-261) to register and submit catch reports to the KIRC. KIRC will be implementing its new registration and catch report system beginning January 2007. For more information on how to register and where to submit your catch reports, call 808-243-5889.

Warning: Kaho'olawe and its surrounding submerged lands and waters contain unknown quantities of unexploded ordnance that are hazardous to public health and safety.

Authority: (H.R.S. §6K, H.A.R. §13-261)

HI ISLANDS - KAHŌ'OLAWE ISLAND RESERVE COMMISSION - NOTICE OF OPEN WATERS SCHEDULE

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - KANEOHE BAY - MILITARY OPERATIONS

Military amphibious and search and rescue operations may be underway at any time, day or night, within Kaneohe Bay in the vicinity of 21-26-06.83N/157-46-11.00W and 21-26-45.00N/157-46-55.00W (approximately .5 NM south of Mokapu Peninsula). Support surface craft will be equipped with appropriate day/night signals and markings and can be reached on VHF-Ch 82. In the interest of safety, it is requested that all vessels that use Sonar contact Water Front Operations on VHF-Ch 82A or by phone at (808) 257-2941 to avoid injury to divers that may be in the area.

HI ISLANDS - SOUTH COAST OAHU - HAZARDOUS OPERATIONS - HOT AREAS

FACSFAC Pearl Harbor established a "HOT AREA" named "KAPU" on April 15, 1995, and a "HOT AREA" named "WELA" on March 1, 1997. Both areas have effective hours of 0700W to 2300W Monday-Friday, and on weekends by request (less federal holidays). Activities include intermittent naval gunnery exercises and airborne ordnance drops. "KAPU" is also designated as the emergency jettison area for aircraft with hung stores, etc. Hot area "KAPU" is an area bounded by 20-41N/158-04W, 18-51N/158-24W, 19-08N/159-15W, 20-46N/158-16W, thence to the point of origin. Hot area "WELA" is an area bounded by 19-30N/158-18W, 18-50N/158-26W, 19-08N/159-15W, 19-43N/158-54W, thence to the point of origin. Scheduling authority is FACSFAC Pearl Harbor call sign "HULA DANCER". "HULA DANCER" can be reached on primary 266.4/127.0 MHz, or secondary 336.8/132.4 MHz or telephone (808) 472-7333/7337 and may authorize transits through these areas on a case-by-case basis. No exclusive events involving ordnance will be authorized in areas "KAPU" and "WELA" from 1730W to 0730W unless requests are received no later than three working days prior to event date. Immediate fire evolution Report/Debrief is requested by FACSFACPH with recommendations to improve this evolution.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - PYROTECHNIC EXERCISE

The Coast Guard will be conducting a pyrotechnic exercise in position 21-13.4N/157-55W, approximately five nautical miles south of Honolulu Harbor, on September 16, 2009, from 0830W - 1000W.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - KANEOHE BAY - ULUPAU CRATER WEAPONS DANGER ZONE - HAZARDOUS OPERATIONS

The Ulupau Crater Weapons Training Range Danger Zone is being revised to encompass a sector extending seaward for 3.8 nautical miles (present definition as per 33CFR 334.1380 is 3,900 yards) between radial lines bearing 001 and 129 degrees true, from a point on Mokapu Peninsula at 21-27-10N, 157-43-45W. Whenever live firing is scheduled and in progress during daylight hours, two large red triangular warning pennants will be flown on the shore at Ulupau Crater. Whenever any weapons firing is scheduled and in progress during periods of darkness, flashing red warning beacons will be displayed on the shore at Ulupau Crater. Boaters will have complete access to the Danger Zone whenever weapons firing is not scheduled, which will be indicated by the absence of any warning flags, pennants, or beacons displayed ashore. The danger zone is considered unsafe for mariners whenever live firing is in progress; in such cases boaters shall vacate the zone at best speed and by the most direct route. However, vessels are permitted to expeditiously pass through the danger zone when live firing is in progress; all firing would be temporarily suspended until the vessel has cleared the zone. Additional information may be obtained by calling the MCBH Range Manager (AC/S G-3) at (808) 257-8816/17.

The following are hazardous operations to mariners for September 16, 2009 - September 22, 2009:

Zones 1 (NE Range)
Sep 16 0700 - 2200
Sep 17 0700 - 1800
Sep 18 0700 - 1800
Sep 19 0800 - 1200
Sep 20 1000 - 2000
Sep 21 0700 - 1800
Sep 22 0700 - 1800
Zones 2 (E Range)
Sep 16 0800 - 1700
Sep 17 0800 - 1500
Sep 18 0800 - 1700
Sep 19 N/A
Sep 20 0600 - 1000
Sep 21 0900 - 1700
Sep 22 0900 - 1700

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - KEAHI POINT - HAZARDOUS OPERATIONS

The Keahi Point Danger Zone is located in ocean waters as described by the below coordinates and is closed at all times to surface craft, swimmers, and divers, with the exception of authorized personnel.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Daniel Geltmacher at daniel.geltmacher@usmc.mil (33CFR 334.1370).

The Danger Zone is bounded by the following coordinates:

21-18-21N/157-59-14W
21-18-11N/158-00-17W

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - KEAHI POINT - HAZARDOUS OPERATIONS

21-17-11N/158-00-06W
21-17-22N/157-59-03W

The following are hazardous operations to mariners for September 16, 2009 - September 22, 2009:

- Sep 16 0700 - 1600
- Sep 17 0700 - 1600
- Sep 18 0700 - 1600
- Sep 19 N/A
- Sep 20 N/A
- Sep 21 0700 - 1700
- Sep 22 0700 - 1700

HI ISLANDS - KAUAI - BARKING SANDS - PACIFIC MISSILE RANGE FACILITY HI AREA - HAZARDOUS OPERATIONS

Intermittent missile firing operations are conducted by the Pacific Missile Range Facility (PMRF), Barking Sands, Kauai, in the Whiskey 188 (W-188) operating area. Operations are conducted periodically throughout each week in an area bound by the following coordinates:

22-02.4N/159-47.3W, 22-00.0N/159-51.0W, 22-00.0N/160-00.0W, 22-02.7N/160-09.1W, 22-03.0N/160-21.0W, 22-05.0N/161-35.0W, 22-56.0N/161-49.0W, 22-45.0N/161-25.0W, 23-57.0N/160-41.0W, 25-41.0N/161-36.0W, 25-47.0N/158-15.0W, 23-54.0N/158-15.0W, 22-20.0N/159-09.0W, 21-58.1N/159-20.5W, 22-13.0N/159-42.0W, 22-00.0N/159-51.0W

Vessels may be requested to alter course due to firing operations and are requested to contact "Missile Range Barking Sands" on HF 2182 KHz, 4491 USB, or VHF-Ch 16 prior to entering the above boundaries. If unable to contact the PMRF prior to entering or while in the warning area, relay messages through U.S. Coast Guard Honolulu. Vessels inbound and outbound for Hawaiian ports will create the least interference to firing operations as well as enhance vessel's safety by passing South of the Islands of Kauai and Niihau during the specified times. Federal law provides for civil penalties of \$32,500 and/or criminal penalties of 6 years in prison for each violation of the PMRF safety zone during the schedule of designated activity (33CFR 165.1406).

The following are hazardous operations to mariners for September 16, 2009 - September 23, 2009:

- Sep 16 No Hazardous Operations Scheduled.
- Sep 17 0700 - 1600 Kaulakahi Channel and Nohili Pt. to 25NM West through North.
- Sep 18 No Hazardous Operations Scheduled.
- Sep 19 No Hazardous Operations Scheduled.
- Sep 20 No Hazardous Operations Scheduled.
- Sep 21 0730 - 1700 Kaulakahi Channel and Nohili Pt. to 25NM West through North.
- Sep 22 0730 - 1700 Kaulakahi Channel and Nohili Pt. to 60NM West through North.
- Sep 23 No Hazardous Operations Scheduled.

MARINE EVENTS

This section contains information of general concern to the mariner. All event forms must be received no later than noon on Tuesday a week prior to the event. Mariners are advised to use caution while transiting these areas.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - FIREWORKS DISPLAY

Hilton Hawaiian Village will be conducting the Rockin Rainbow Revue Fireworks Display in Waikiki on September 18, 2009, from 1915W - 2015W. In the interest of safety, all vessels must maintain a safe distance of 210 feet from the discharge site.

HI ISLANDS - MAUI TO MOLOKAI - OUTRIGGER CANOE RACE

Hawaiian Canoe Club will be conducting an Outrigger Canoe race in ocean waters from Fleming Beach park, Maui to Kaunakakai, Molokai on September 19, 2009, from 0800W - 1400W.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - CANOE RACE

Oahu Hawaiian Canoe Race Association will be conducting the Henry Ayau Canoe Race in ocean waters from Maunalua Bay to Nanakuli Beach Park on September 20, 2009, from 0630W - 1600W.

HI ISLANDS - OAHU - FIREWORKS DISPLAY

Hawaii Explosives and Pyrotechnics, Inc. will be conducting the Korea SK Energy Fireworks Display in ocean waters off Duke Kahanamoku Beach, Waikiki on September 22, 2009, from 1930W - 2030W. In the interest of safety, all vessels must maintain a safe distance of 210 feet from the discharge site.

SECTION VIII - LIGHT LIST CORRECTIONS

An Asterisk *, indicates the column in which a correction has been made to new information

(1) No.	(2) Name and Location	(3) Position	(4) Characteristic	(5) Height	(6) Range	(7) Structure	(8) Remarks
None							

PUBLICATION CORRECTIONS

UPDATE TO THE 2009 EDITION OF THE NOS TIDAL CURRENT TABLES

The NOAA National Ocean Service's Center for Operational Oceanographic Products and Services (CO-OPS) is issuing a correction to the Latitude/Longitude position recorded in the 2009 Tidal Current Tables - Pacific Coast of North America and Asia for the station at San Christoval Rock. The corrected position for the station is:

Index#	Name	Latitude	Longitude
3416	San Christoval Rock	55° 33.76	133° 17.95

This change will be reflected in the 2010 edition of the Tidal Current Tables - Pacific Coast of North America and Asia.

U.S COAST PILOT 7 CHANGES

U.S. Coast Pilot 7, Pacific Coast: California, Oregon, Washington, Hawaii, and Pacific Islands, 2009 (41st) Edition. Change No. 25. See Enclosure (1).

ENCLOSURES

ENCLOSURE (1)

U.S. Coast Pilot 7, Pacific Coast: California, Oregon, Washington, Hawaii, and Pacific Islands, 2009 (41st) Edition. Change No. 25.

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Page 188-Paragraph 3424, line 6; read:
port security, safety or environmental safety.

§165.1322 Regulated Navigation Area: Willamette River Portland, Oregon Captain of the Port Zone.

(a) *Location.* The following is a regulated navigation area (RNA): All waters of the Willamette River encompassed by a line commencing at 45°34'47"N., 122°45'28"W. along the shoreline to 45°34'47"N., 122°45'30"W., thence to 45°34'47"N., 122°45'30"W., thence to 45°34'48"N., 122°45'30"W., thence to 45°34'48"N., 122°45'30"W., thence to 45°34'48"N., 122°45'28"W., thence to 45°34'47"N., 122°45'28"W. and back to the point of origin. All coordinates reference 1983 North American Datum (NAD 83).

(b) *Regulations.* (1) Motoring, anchoring, dragging, dredging, or trawling are prohibited in the regulated area.

(2) All vessels transiting or accessing the regulated area shall do so at a no wake speed or at the minimum speed to maintain steerage.

§165.1323 Regulated Navigation Area: Willamette River Portland, Oregon Captain of the Port Zone.

(a) *Location.* The following is a regulated navigation area (RNA): All waters of the Willamette River encompassed by a line commencing at 45°34'33"N, 122°44'17"W to 45°34'32"N, 122°44'18"W thence to 45°34'35"N, 122°44'24"W thence to 45°34'35"N, 122°44'27"W thence to 45°34'35"N, 122°44'36"W thence to 45°34'35"N, 122°44'37"W thence to 45°34'38"N, 122°44'42"W to 45°34'39"N, 122°44'43"W thence to 45°34'44"N, 122°44'51"W thence to 45°34'45"N, 122°44'53"W thence to 45°34'47"N, 122°44'51"W thence to 45°34'45"N, 122°44'46"W to 45°34'45"N, 122°44'45"W thence to 45°34'47"N, 122°44'43"W thence to 45°34'46"N, 122°44'42"W thence to 45°34'48"N, 122°44'40"W thence to 45°34'48"N, 122°44'38"W and along the shoreline to

45°34'46"N, 122°44'39" W and back to the point of origin. All coordinates reference 1983 North American Datum (NAD 83).

(b) *Regulations.* (1) Anchoring, spudding, dredging, laying cable, dragging, trawling, conducting salvage operations, operating commercial vessels of any size, and operating recreational vessels greater than 30 feet in length are prohibited in the regulated area.

(2) All vessels transiting or accessing the regulated area shall do so at no wake speed or at the minimum speed necessary to maintain steerage.

§165.1324 Safety and Security Zone; Cruise Ship Protection, Elliot Bay and Pier 91, Seattle, Washington.

(a) *Safety and Security Zones.* (1) The following area is a safety and security zone: All waters within the following points: a rectangle, starting at 47°37'53"N., 122°23'07"W., thence south to position 47°37'06"N., 122°23'07"W., thence east to position 47°37'06"N., 122°22'43"W., thence north to position

47°37'58"N., 122°22'43"W. This zone will be enforced only during the arrival and departure of Large Passenger Cruise Vessels at Pier 91, Seattle, Washington.

(2) The following area is a safety and security zone: All waters within 100 yards of Pier 91, Seattle, Washington, at approximate position 47°37'35"N., 122°23'00"W. This zone will be enforced only when a Large Passenger Cruise Vessel is moored at Pier 91.

(b) *Regulations.* In accordance with the general regulations in 33 CFR Part 165, Subpart D, no person or vessel may enter or remain in either Safety and Security Zone except for vessels authorized by the Captain of the Port or Designated Representatives.

(c) *Definitions.* The following definitions apply to this section;

Facility Security Officer means the person designated as responsible for the development, implementation, revision and maintenance of the facility security plan and for liaison with the COTP and Company and Vessel Security Officers.

Large Passenger Cruise Vessel means any cruise ship over 100 feet in length carrying passengers for hire. Large Passenger Cruise Vessel does not include vessels inspected and certificated under 46 CFR, Chapter I, Subchapter T such as excursion vessels, sight seeing vessels, dinner cruise vessels, and whale watching vessels.

Official Patrol means those persons designated by the Captain of the Port to monitor a Large Passenger Cruise Vessel security and safety zone, permit entry into the zone, give legally enforceable orders to persons or vessels within the zone and take other actions authorized by the Captain of the Port. Persons authorized in paragraph (e) to enforce this section are designated as the Official Patrol.

(d) *Authorization.* To request authorization to operate within 100 yards of a Large Passenger Cruise Vessel that is moored at Pier 91, contact the onscene Official Patrol on VHF-FM channel 16 or 13 or the Facility Security Officer at (206) 728-3688.

(e) *Enforcement.* Any Coast Guard commissioned warrant or petty officer may enforce the rules in this section. In the navigable waters of the United States to which this section applies, when immediate action is required and representatives of the Coast Guard are not present or not present in sufficient force to provide effective enforcement of this section in the vicinity of a Large Passenger Cruise Vessel, any Federal or Washington Law Enforcement Officer may enforce the rules contained in this section pursuant to 33 CFR 6.04-11. In addition, the Captain of the Port may be assisted by other Federal, state or local agencies in enforcing this section.

(f) *Waiver.* The Captain of the Port Puget Sound may waive any of the requirements of this section for any vessel or class of vessels upon finding that a vessel or class of vessels, operational conditions or other circumstances are such that application of this section is unnecessary or impractical for the purpose of port security, safety or environmental safety.

(FR 8/20/09; FR 2/4/09)