



APPROVED BY Mr. M. G. [Signature]

DATE 7/3/17

START ACTION NOTICE # 2017- 11

1. TYPE OF ACTION:

DFW proposes amendments to existing regulations (7 DE Admin Code 3100).

2. PURPOSE OF ACTION:

This action is needed to amend 7 DE Admin Code 3100 to modernize Delaware's boating safety measures in accordance with the safety procedures outlined by the United States Coast Guard and present federal law. The anticipated changes include increased thresholds for reportable accidents, updated administrative criteria for boating registration filing/processing, and changes to reflect modern terminology and conventions. The amendments should result in efficiencies to both the agency and regulated community. Amendments were initiated pursuant to HB147. The amendments are not anticipated to have a detectable impact on the environment nor result in costs to the affected entities.

3. STATUTORY BASIS:

Statutory basis for these changes is authorized under Title 23, Delaware Code, Chapter 2114

4. IS THIS PROPOSED REGULATORY ACTION REQUIRED AS A RESULT OF FEDERAL STATUTE OR REGULATION? IF SO, PROVIDE LINK TO FEDERAL MANDATE.

Not applicable

5. DATE OF MOST RECENT REVIEW/AMENDMENT:

- 1) November 4, 2016 pursuant to HB 147
- 2) Most recent amendment on May 1, 1998

6. LIKELY AFFECTED PUBLIC:

Those likely affected include DFW, registered boat owners and operators

7. PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES:

Register Notice Publication – August 2017

Public Hearing – September 2017

Effective date – on/or about October 2017

8. REVIEW COMMITTEE:

None

9. RESPONSIBLE STAFF MEMBER:

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