

**DATES:** The Certificate of Alternate Compliance was issued on March 4, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** The docket for this notice is available for inspection or copying at the Docket Management Facility (M-30), U.S. Department of Transportation, West Building Ground Floor, Room W12-140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. You may also find this docket on the Internet by going to <http://www.regulations.gov>, inserting USCG-2010-0187 in the "Keyword" box, and then clicking "Search."

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have questions on this notice, call LTJG Christine Dimitroff, District Eight, Prevention Branch, U.S. Coast Guard, telephone 504-671-2176. If you have questions on viewing or submitting material to the docket, call Renee V. Wright, Program Manager, Docket Operations, telephone 202-366-9826.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background and Purpose**

A Certificate of Alternative Compliance, as allowed under title 33, Code of Federal Regulation, parts 81 and 89, has been issued for the offshore supply vessel *LEBOUEF TIDE*. The horizontal distance between the forward and aft masthead lights may be 25'-9". Placing the aft masthead light at the horizontal distance from the forward masthead light as required by Annex I, paragraph 3(a) of the 72 COLREGS, and Annex I, Section 84.05(a) of the Inland Rules Act, would result in an aft masthead light location directly over the cargo deck where it would interfere with loading and unloading operations.

The Certificate of Alternative Compliance allows for the horizontal separation of the forward and aft masthead lights to deviate from the requirements of Annex I, paragraph 3(a) of 72 COLREGS, and Annex I, Section 84.05(a) of the Inland Rules Act.

This notice is issued under authority of 33 U.S.C. 1605(c), and 33 CFR 81.18.

Dated: March 26, 2010.

**J.W. Johnson,**

*Commander, U.S. Coast Guard, Chief, Inspections and Investigations Branch, By Direction of the Commander, Eighth Coast Guard District.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**Coast Guard**

[Docket No. USCG-2010-0186]

**Certificate of Alternative Compliance for the Offshore Supply Vessel RIG RUNNER**

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Coast Guard announces that a Certificate of Alternative Compliance was issued for the offshore supply vessel RIG RUNNER as required by 33 U.S.C. 1605(c) and 33 CFR 81.18.

**DATES:** The Certificate of Alternative Compliance was issued on March 8, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** The docket for this notice is available for inspection or copying at the Docket Management Facility (M-30), U.S. Department of Transportation, West Building Ground Floor, Room W12-140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. You may also find this docket on the Internet by going to <http://www.regulations.gov>, selecting the Advanced Docket Search option on the right side of the screen, inserting USCG-2010-0186 in the "Keyword" box, and then clicking "Search."

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have questions on this notice, call CWO2 David Mauldin, District Eight, Prevention Branch, U.S. Coast Guard, telephone 504-671-2153. If you have questions on viewing or submitting material to the docket, call Renee V. Wright, Program Manager, Docket Operations, telephone 202-366-9826.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background and Purpose**

A Certificate of Alternative Compliance, as allowed under title 33, Code of Federal Regulations, parts 81 and 89, has been issued for the offshore supply vessel RIG RUNNER, O.N. 1222591. Full compliance with 72 COLREGS and Inland Rules Act would hinder the vessel's ability to maneuver within close proximity of offshore platforms. The forward masthead light may be located on the top forward portion of the pilothouse 17' above the hull. Placing the forward masthead light at the height as required by Annex I, paragraph 2(a) of the 72 COLREGS would result in a masthead light location highly susceptible to damage when working in close proximity to offshore platforms. Furthermore the horizontal distance between the forward

and aft masthead lights may be 14.1'. Placing the aft masthead light at the horizontal distance from the forward masthead light as required by Annex I, paragraph 3(a) of the 72 COLREGS and Annex I, Section 84.05(a) of the Inland Rules Act would result in an aft masthead light location directly over the aft cargo deck where it would interfere with loading and unloading operations.

A Certificate of Alternative Compliance, as allowed under title 33, Code of Federal Regulations, parts 81 and 89, has been issued for the offshore supply vessel RIG RUNNER, O.N. 1222591. The Certificate of Alternative Compliance allows for the vertical placement of the forward masthead light to deviate from requirements set forth in Annex I, paragraph 2(a) of 72 COLREGS. In addition the Certificate of Alternative Compliance allows for the horizontal separation of the forward and aft masthead lights to deviate from the requirements of Annex I, paragraph 3(a) of 72 COLREGS and Annex I, Section 84.05(a) of the Inland Rules Act.

This notice is issued under authority of 33 U.S.C. 1605(c), and 33 CFR 81.18.

Dated: March 26, 2010.

**J.W. Johnson,**

*Commander, U.S. Coast Guard, Chief, Inspections and Investigations Branch, By Direction of the Commander, Eighth Coast Guard District.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**Coast Guard**

[USCG-2010-0276]

**Commercial Fishing Industry Vessel Safety Advisory Committee; Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Commercial Fishing Industry Vessel Safety Advisory Committee (CFIVSAC) will meet in Oakland, CA, to discuss various issues relating to commercial vessel safety in the fishing industry. This meeting will be open to the public.

**DATES:** The Committee will meet on May 11-13, 2010, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. This meeting may close early if all business is finished.

Written material and requests to make oral presentations should reach the Coast Guard on or before April 23, 2010. Requests to have a copy of your material distributed to each member of the committee should also reach the Coast Guard on or before April 23, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** The Committee will meet at the Waterfront Hotel, 10 Washington Street, Oakland, CA 94607. (510-836-3800, <http://www.waterfronthoteloakland.com>.)

Send written material and requests to make oral presentations via mail to Captain Eric P. Christensen, Designated Federal Officer (DFO) of CFIVSAC, United States Coast Guard, Office of Vessel Activities (CG-543), 2100 2nd Street, SW., Washington, DC 20593-7581. This notice and documents identified in the Supplementary Information section as being available in the docket may be viewed in our online docket, USCG-2010-0276, at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Jack Kemerer, Assistant to the DFO of CFIVSAC, by telephone at 202-372-1249, fax 202-372-1917, e-mail: [Jack.A.Kemerer@uscg.mil](mailto:Jack.A.Kemerer@uscg.mil).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (Pub. L. 92-463).

#### Agenda of Meeting

The agenda for the CFIVSAC meeting is as follows:

- (1) Introductions and comments.
- (2) Updates on Coast Guard Commercial Fishing Vessel Safety activities, pending legislation affecting commercial fishing vessels, and status report on the Commercial Fishing Vessel Safety Rulemaking.
- (3) Commercial Fishing Vessel Safety District Coordinator reports.
- (4) Industry updates.
- (5) Report of ongoing research work and safety related projects by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH).
- (6) Comments from the public.
- (7) Discussions and working group sessions by the Communications and Risk Management Subcommittees, and others that may be established, on current program strategies, future plans, recommendations to the Coast Guard, and goals for CFIVSAC.

#### Procedural

The CFIVSAC meeting is open to the public. Please note that from 8-9 a.m. on the first day of the meeting, May 11, 2010, the committee members will meet to discuss administrative matters, including member training. This one-hour meeting on administrative matters is for committee members only in accordance with 41 CFR 102.3-160; the

CFIVSAC meeting will commence at 9 a.m. on May 11, 2010. Please note, also, the meeting may close early if all business is finished.

At the Chair's discretion, members of the public may make presentations during the meeting. If you would like to make an oral presentation at the meeting, please send a request to the DFO no later than April 23, 2010.

Written material for distribution at the meeting should reach the DFO no later than April 23, 2010. If you would like a copy of your material distributed to each member of the committee in advance of the meeting, please submit 20 copies to the DFO no later than April 23, 2010. All requests and materials must be sent via mail as described in **ADDRESSES**.

#### Information on Services for Individuals With Disabilities

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities, or to request special assistance at the meeting, contact the DFO as soon as possible, but no later than April 30, 2010.

Dated: April 12, 2010.

**J.G. Lantz,**  
*Director of Commercial Regulations and Standards.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Customs and Border Protection

#### Quarterly IRS Interest Rates Used in Calculating Interest on Overdue Accounts and Refunds on Customs Duties

**AGENCY:** Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** General notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice advises the public of the quarterly Internal Revenue Service interest rates used to calculate interest on overdue accounts (underpayments) and refunds (overpayments) of customs duties. For the calendar quarter beginning April 1, 2010, the interest rates for overpayments will be 3 percent for corporations and 4 percent for non-corporations, and the interest rate for underpayments will be 4 percent. This notice is published for the convenience of the importing public

and Customs and Border Protection personnel.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* April 1, 2010.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ron Wyman, Revenue Division, Collection and Refunds Branch, 6650 Telecom Drive, Suite #100, Indianapolis, Indiana 46278; telephone (317) 614-4516.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

Pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 1505 and Treasury Decision 85-93, published in the **Federal Register** on May 29, 1985 (50 FR 21832), the interest rate paid on applicable overpayments or underpayments of customs duties must be in accordance with the Internal Revenue Code rate established under 26 U.S.C. 6621 and 6622. Section 6621 was amended (at paragraph (a)(1)(B) by the Internal Revenue Service Restructuring and Reform Act of 1998, Public Law 105-206, 112 Stat. 685) to provide different interest rates applicable to overpayments: one for corporations and one for non-corporations.

The interest rates are based on the Federal short-term rate and determined by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) on behalf of the Secretary of the Treasury on a quarterly basis. The rates effective for a quarter are determined during the first-month period of the previous quarter.

In Revenue Ruling 2010-9, the IRS determined the rates of interest for the calendar quarter beginning April 1, 2010, and ending on June 30, 2010. The interest rate paid to the Treasury for underpayments will be the Federal short-term rate (1%) plus three percentage points (3) for a total of four percent (4). For corporate overpayments, the rate is the Federal short-term rate (1%) plus two percentage points (2) for a total of three percent (3). For overpayments made by non-corporations, the rate is the Federal short-term rate (1%) plus three percentage points (3) for a total of four percent (4). These interest rates are subject to change for the calendar quarter beginning July 1, 2010, and ending September 30, 2010.

For the convenience of the importing public and Customs and Border Protection personnel the following list of IRS interest rates used, covering the period from before July of 1974 to date, to calculate interest on overdue accounts and refunds of customs duties, is published in summary format.