

1552.237-70 [Amended]

■ 39. Amend section 1552.237-70 by removing the words “Project Officer” and adding in their place the words “Contracting Officer’s Representative” wherever they appear in paragraphs (b) and (c)(1) and (3).

1552.237-71 [Amended]

■ 40. Amend section 1552.237-71 by removing the words “contracting officer technical representative” and adding in their place the words “Contracting Officer’s Representative” in paragraphs (b) introductory text, (c) introductory text, (d), (e) introductory text, and (g).

1552.237-74 [Amended]

■ 41. Amend section 1552.237-74 in the introductory text and paragraph (a) by removing the words “Project Officer” and adding in their place the words “Contracting Officer’s Representative”.

1552.239-70 [Removed]

■ 42. Remove section 1552.239-70.

1552.239-103 [Removed]

■ 43. Remove section 1552.239-103.

1552.245-70 [Amended]

■ 45. Amend section 1552.245-70 in the clause heading by removing the first occurrence of the words “Government Property” and to adding “(SEPT 2009)” after the second occurrence.

1552.245-71 [Amended]

■ 46. Amend section 1552.245-71 by adding “(SEPT. 2009)” after the clause heading.

Appendix I to Chapter 15 [Removed]

■ 47. Remove Appendix I to Chapter 15.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration****49 CFR Part 195****Transportation of Hazardous Liquids by Pipeline***CFR Correction*

■ In Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 178 to 199, revised as of October 1, 2012, on page 551, in § 195.2, the words “related parameters.” are added at the end of the definition of *Alarm*.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration****50 CFR Part 622**

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Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Reef Fish Fishery of the Gulf of Mexico; Coastal Migratory Pelagic Resources of the Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic; Abbreviated Framework

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: NMFS issues this final rule to implement management measures described in an abbreviated framework to the Fishery Management Plans (FMPs) for the Reef Fish Resources of the Gulf of Mexico prepared by the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council (Gulf Council), and Coastal Migratory Pelagic Resources prepared by the Gulf Council and the South Atlantic Fishery Management Council (South Atlantic Council). This final rule eliminates the requirement to submit a current certificate of inspection (COI) provided by the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) with the application to renew or transfer a Federal Gulf of Mexico (Gulf) coastal migratory pelagic (CMP) or reef fish charter vessel/headboat permit (hereafter referred to as a for-hire permit) and eliminates the restriction on transferring for-hire permits to a vessel of greater authorized passenger capacity than specified on the permit. This final rule also prohibits the harvest or possession of CMP or reef fish species on a vessel with a Gulf for-hire permit that is carrying more passengers than is specified on the permit. The purpose of this final rule is to simplify the passenger capacity requirements for transfers and renewals of Gulf CMP and reef fish for-hire permits to provide more flexibility in the use of these permitted vessels.

DATES: This rule is effective August 30, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Electronic copies of the abbreviated framework, which includes a regulatory impact review, a Regulatory Flexibility Act analysis, and a social impact assessment, may be obtained from the Southeast Regional Office Web site at <http://sero.nmfs.noaa.gov>.

Comments regarding the burden-hour estimates or other aspects of the

collection-of-information requirements contained in this final rule may be submitted in writing to Anik Clemens, Southeast Regional Office, NMFS, 263 13th Avenue South, St. Petersburg, FL 33701; and Office of Management and Budget (OMB), by email at OIRA_Submission@omb.eop.gov, or by fax to 202-395-7285.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Gulf reef fish and CMP fisheries are managed under their respective FMPs. The Gulf reef fish FMP was prepared by the Gulf Council and the CMP FMP was prepared by the Gulf and South Atlantic Councils and both FMPs are implemented through regulations at 50 CFR part 622 under the authority of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act).

On June 21, 2013, NMFS published a proposed rule for the abbreviated framework and requested public comment (78 FR 37500). The proposed rule and abbreviated framework outline the rationale for the actions contained in the final rule. A summary of the actions implemented by this final rule is provided below.

Current regulations limit Gulf for-hire permit transfers and renewals to vessels that have the same passenger capacity or a lower passenger capacity to limit overall fishing effort. Because passenger capacity is currently based on the USCG COI, this limits the ability of the owner of a permitted vessel to transfer the Gulf for-hire permit to a vessel that has a higher passenger capacity listed on the COI or to renew the permit under the higher passenger capacity listed on the COI. Under such scenarios, the only way to renew or transfer a permit is to have the USCG adjust the COI so that it is less than or equal to the passenger capacity identified on the Gulf for-hire permit, which was based on the COI of the vessel when the moratorium Gulf for-hire permit was first issued, even though a vessel could safely carry more passengers, or subsequently has had the COI revised to carry more passengers.

This final rule eliminates the requirement to submit a current USCG COI with the application to renew or transfer a Gulf for-hire permit, eliminates the restriction on transferring for-hire permits to a vessel of greater authorized passenger capacity than specified on the permit, and implements a provision that prohibits the harvest or possession of reef fish or CMP species on a vessel with a Gulf for-hire permit