

be secure in their fittings when in place for transfer.

209.3 Threshold Clearance. When the onboard wheelchair is unoccupied, the underside of the foot support shall clear the highest point of the lavatory door threshold by 0.75 inches (19 mm) minimum.

209.4 Load. [Reserved.]

210 Casters. Onboard wheelchairs shall provide independent casters that meet the following recommended specifications:

210.1 Swivel Locks. Each caster shall provide a swivel lock that, when engaged, prevents the caster wheel from swiveling on its vertical axis and permits rotation of the wheel only in the direction of travel.

210.2 Wheel Locks. Each caster shall provide wheel locks that, when engaged, prevent rotation of the wheel and permits the onboard wheelchair to be secured in a stationary position.

210.3 *emsp*; Load. [Reserved.]

211 Assist Handles. Onboard wheelchairs shall provide assist handles that meet the following recommended specifications:

211.1 Rear Assist Handles. At least two assist handles shall be provided on the rear of the onboard wheelchair.

211.2 Front Assist Handles. At least two assist handles shall be provided on the front of the onboard wheelchair. The assist handles shall be capable of being repositioned so as not to obstruct transfer of the occupant to or from the onboard wheelchair.

211.3 Load. [Reserved.]

212 Restraints. Onboard wheelchairs shall provide functioning torso restraints and leg restraints that meet the following recommended specifications:

212.1 Torso Restraints. Torso restraints shall secure the upper and lower torso of the occupant of the onboard wheelchair so as to prevent the occupant from falling out of the onboard wheelchair during transport.

212.2 Leg Restraints. Leg restraints shall maintain the legs of the occupant in position during transport.

212.3 Fastening Mechanisms. Fastening mechanisms for restraints shall be durable and operable by the occupant.

212.4 Positions. Restraints and their attachments shall be capable of being repositioned so as not to obstruct transfer of the occupant to or from the seat of the onboard wheelchair.

David M. Capozzi,
Executive Director.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Notice of Public Meeting of the Wyoming Advisory Committee

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Announcement of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) that the meeting of the Wyoming Advisory Committee (Committee) to the Commission will be held at 11:00 a.m. (MDT) Thursday, September 26, 2019. The purpose of this meeting is for the Committee to continue planning briefing on hate crimes.

DATES: Thursday, September 26, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. MDT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ana Victoria Fortes (DFO) at afortes@usccr.gov or (213) 894-3437.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Public Call Information: Dial: 800-353-6461; Conference ID: 8263473.

This meeting is available to the public through the following toll-free call-in number: 800-353-6461, conference ID number: 8263473. Any interested member of the public may call this number and listen to the meeting. Callers can expect to incur charges for calls they initiate over wireless lines, and the Commission will not refund any incurred charges. Callers will incur no charge for calls they initiate over land-line connections to the toll-free telephone number. Persons with hearing impairments may also follow the proceedings by first calling the Federal Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339 and providing the Service with the conference call number and conference ID number.

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Records and documents discussed during the meeting will be available for

public viewing prior to and after the meetings at https://www.facadatabase.gov/FACA/FACA_PublicViewCommitteeDetails?id=a10t0000001gzliAAA.

Please click on "Committee Meetings" tab. Records generated from these meetings may also be inspected and reproduced at the Regional Programs Unit, as they become available, both before and after the meetings. Persons interested in the work of this Committee are directed to the Commission's website, <https://www.usccr.gov>, or may contact the Regional Programs Unit at the above email or street address.

Agenda

- I. Welcome and Roll Call
- II. Approval of Minutes From August 13, 2019 Meeting
- III. Continue Planning Briefing on Hate Crimes
- IV. Next Steps
- V. Public Comment
- VI. Adjournment

Dated: August 14, 2019.

David Mussatt,

Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Notice of Public Meeting of the California Advisory Committee

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Announcement of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) that a meeting of the California Advisory Committee (Committee) to the Commission will be held at 2:00 p.m. (Pacific Time) Tuesday, August 27, 2019. The purpose of the meeting is for the Committee to continue planning their October 16, 2019 briefing focused on the impact of immigration enforcement on California children.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 27, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. PT.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ana Victoria Fortes at afortes@usccr.gov or (213) 894-3437.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Public Call Information: Dial: 800-367-2403; Conference ID: 1709830.

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Agenda

- I. Welcome
- II. Approval of July 23, 2019 Meeting Minutes
- III. Continue Discussion on Planning Briefing
- IV. Public Comment
- V. Next Steps
- VI. Adjournment

Exceptional Circumstance: Pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.150, the notice for this meeting is given less than 15 calendar days prior to the meeting because of the exceptional circumstances of recovery from the government shutdown.

Dated: August 14, 2019.

David Mussatt,

Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[XRIN 0648-XX006]

Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; General Provisions for Domestic Fisheries; Application for Exempted Fishing Permits

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

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Assistant Regional Administrator for Sustainable Fisheries, Greater Atlantic Region, NMFS, has made a preliminary determination that an Exempted Fishing Permit application contains all of the required information and warrants further consideration. This Exempted Fishing Permit would exempt four commercial fishing vessels from limited access sea scallop regulations in support of a study looking at how a new gear type in the scallop fishery would reduce bycatch, minimize habitat impacts, and improve fuel efficiency.

Regulations under the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act require publication of this notification to provide interested parties the opportunity to comment on applications for proposed Exempted Fishing Permits.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before September 4, 2019.

ADDRESSES: You may submit written comments by any of the following methods:

- *Email:* nmfs.gar.efp@noaa.gov.

Include in the subject line "DA19-067 CFRF N-Viro Dredge Study EFP."

- *Mail:* Michael Pentony, Regional Administrator, NMFS, Greater Atlantic Regional Fisheries Office, 55 Great Republic Drive, Gloucester, MA 01930. Mark the outside of the envelope "DA19-CFRF N-Viro Dredge Study EFP."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Shannah Jaburek, Fishery Management Specialist, 978-282-8456.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commercial Fisheries Research Foundation (CFRF) submitted a complete application for an EFP on June

12, 2019, for a 2019 Scallop Research Set-Aside (RSA) project titled "Piloting a Novel Dredge Type to Reduce Bycatch and Improve Fuel Efficiency in the Southern New England Scallop Fishery." This project was funded under the 2019 Atlantic Sea Scallop RSA Program. Researchers expect to start the first trip for this project as soon as the EFP is issued. This project would look at how the modified dredge (the N-Viro dredge), a new gear type in the scallop fishery, would reduce bycatch, minimize habitat impacts by minimizing dredge penetration into and resistance along the seafloor, and improve fuel efficiency by towing at lower speeds.

Participating vessels would conduct scallop dredging for 12 months from date of issue. The study would use both limited access general category (LAGC) and limited access (LA) vessels. The LA component would consist of one 5-day trip conducting 80 total paired tows with the N-Viro dredge. The N-Viro dredge is a 15-ft (4.57-m) tow bar fitted with five smaller dredges connected to the tow bar. Each smaller dredge is 2 ft (0.61 m) wide with a 10-in (25.4-cm) twine top and 4 rows of rings in the apron. Additionally each smaller dredge would be outfitted with a turtle chain mat. The project would conduct 40 of the 80 tows with the turtle deflector dredge control dredge west of 71° W longitude and the remaining 40 tows with the standard New Bedford style control dredge east of 71° W longitude.

The LAGC component of the project would use three LAGC vessels that would complete a total of 30 research days-at-sea (DAS). Each vessel would complete 10 DAS, with 5 days devoted to fishing with the N-viro dredge and 5 days devoted to carrying either a New Bedford or Provincetown style control dredge. Each LAGC vessel would tow an N-viro dredge that has a 10-ft (3.05-m) tow bar with three smaller dredges connected to it. The construction of each smaller dredge for the LAGC component is identical to the LA component. The LAGC fleet would utilize either a Provincetown or New Bedford style dredge common in the fishery as a control dredge.

All tows for both LA and LAGC vessels would be 10 minutes at varying depths and substrates. Tow time may be adjusted as needed based on dredge performance. For all tows, the entire sea scallop catch would be counted into baskets and weighed. All finfish catch would be sorted by species and then counted and measured. With the exception of samples retained for further processing for scientific purposes, no catch would be retained