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Potential Places of Refuge for Quarantine Anchorages

In coordination with the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation and the Alaska Pilot Association regarding H1N1 preparedness, the Captain of the Port (COTP) Western Alaska encourages all mariners to be familiar with the following pre-identified places of refuge for each major Alaskan port area. These anchorages should serve as a primary source for determining safe anchorages, should quarantine be necessary.

Homer, Kachemak Bay:

<http://www.dec.state.ak.us/SPAR/perp/cookinletpor/cippormap03.pdf>

Kenai, Central Cook Inlet:

<http://www.dec.state.ak.us/SPAR/perp/cookinletpor/cippormap02.pdf>

Port of Anchorage, Upper Cook Inlet:

<http://www.dec.state.ak.us/SPAR/perp/cookinletpor/cippormap01.pdf>

Seward, Resurrection Bay:

<http://www.dec.state.ak.us/SPAR/perp/cookinletpor/cippormap06.pdf>

Valdez, Prince William Sound:

<http://www.dec.state.ak.us/SPAR/perp/pwspor/home.htm>

Kodiak Island:

<http://www.dec.state.ak.us/SPAR/perp/kppor/index.htm>

Dutch Harbor:

<http://www.dec.state.ak.us/spar/perp/aippor/home.htm>

Please contact our Command Center at (907) 271-6769 or sector.anchorage@uscg.mil if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "J. B. Robertson".

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