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CERTIFICATE OF ADEQUACY (COA)

All regulated waterfront facilities to which 33 CFR 158 regulations apply are reminded to review their respective Certificate of Adequacy (COA) application and procedures to ensure compliance with their Coast Guard approved applications. Facilities are also reminded that it is their responsibility to provide resources and coordinate efforts in accordance with 33 CFR 158.

All facilities in the Port Arthur Captain of the Port Zones should review, update and resubmit their COA applications as necessary.

Penalties for non-compliance with these regulations may result in fines up to \$25,000 per violation/per day and/or potential revocation of the COA (resulting in termination of facility marine operations). Please reference 33 CFR 158.115 regarding other possible penalties.

This notice will be posted on the HOMEPORT website <http://homeport.uscg.mil>. If you have any questions, please contact Petty Officer Kyle Smith at (409) 719-5038.

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