

SARSAT Weekly Rescues Report for period 8 June to 14 June 2012.

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
Search and Rescue Satellite Aided Tracking System Rescues,
Eight.

Incident 1:

Beacon ID: 2DCC569892FFBFF

On 09 June 2012 at 1950 UTC the COSPAS-SARSAT system detected a 406 MHz EPIRB at 36 51.2N 075 04.1W, 50 NM east of Virginia Beach, Virginia. Coast Guard District 05 (CGD05) received the alert from the fishing vessel Reaper began taking on water. CGD05 launched a H-60 to the SARSAT location. Station Little Creek launched a response boat medium (RB-M) with pumps to remove the water. The efforts to remove the water were successful and RB-M escorted the Reaper back to Rudee Inlet. No injuries were reported.

8 SARSAT RESCUES

Total number of rescues for FY 12: 176

Total number of rescues for the calendar year 2012: 119

Significance: The SARSAT system protects life and property in support of the nation's commerce and transportation systems. (Steve Roark 301-817-3896)