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Passenger Weight and Inspected Vessel Stability Requirements Final Rule Published

The U.S. Coast Guard announced today publication of a final rule in the Federal Register that amends regulations governing the maximum weight and number of passengers permitted on board a vessel. This rulemaking will increase passenger safety by reducing the risk of certain types of passenger vessels capsizing due to passenger overloading.

The final rule and related materials may be reviewed at <http://www.regulations.gov>, docket number: USCG-2007-0030.

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