



Marine Safety Information Bulletin 002-03

Houston/Galveston Navigation Safety Advisory Committee Meeting Scheduled for January 30, 2003

January 8, 2003

1. The Houston/Galveston Navigation Safety Advisory Committee will have a full committee meeting on January 30, 2003, at 9:00 AM, at the Offices of the Houston Pilots Association. The sponsor of the committee, Rear Admiral Roy Casto, will be in attendance.
2. As well as introducing five new members of the Committee, the agenda includes a presentation on pending AIS carriage requirements for U.S. Ports, the status of the Aids to Navigation knockdown self-reporting program, the status of Port Security sub-committee initiatives, the status of the Houston Ship Channel Deepening and Widening Project, a final brief on the new Captain of the Port Channel Obstruction Policy, and the annual State of the Waterway presentation.
3. For more information, please contact the Assistant to the Executive Secretary of the Committee, LTjg Kelly Tobey, at the Vessel Traffic Service at (713) 671-5103 or email KATobey@vtshouston.uscg.mil.

Edward W. Parsons
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Alternate Captain of the Port