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Coast Guard Publishes Notice of Intent for Cooperative Research and Development Agreement with Honda R&D Americas

The Coast Guard today published a notice of intent to enter into a Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA) with Honda R&D Americas, Inc, to examine the use of butanol fuel blends within marine outboard engines in order to determine ways to reduce these engines' Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions. The Coast Guard invites public comment on the proposed CRADA, and invites other potential participants to submit proposals for similar CRADAs.

The Notice of Intent and related materials may be reviewed at <http://www.regulations.gov> docket number: USCG-2011-0157.

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