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MEMORANDUM

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Subj: AUXILIARY TRAINING PATROLS ON SOLE STATE WATERS

Ref: (a) Title 14 U.S. Code § 822 (as amended by the CG Authorization Act of 2015)
(b) State of Montana Boating Law Administrator letter of 31 Jan 17
(c) State of Idaho Boating Law Administrator letter of 6 Feb 17
(d) State of Oregon Boating Law Administrator letter of 22 Feb 17
Guard of Jan 2016
(e) Auxiliary Operations Policy Manual, COMDTINST M16798.3E
(f) Memorandum of Agreement between the State of Montana and the United States
Coast Guard of Jan 2016
(g) Memorandum of Agreement between the State of Idaho and the United States Coast
Guard of January 2016
(h) Memorandum of Agreement between the State of Oregon and the United States
Coast Guard of Jan 2016

1. In accordance with references (a) thru (d), the Coast Guard Auxiliary is authorized to conduct training patrols on the sole State waters of the Montana, Idaho, and Oregon without an explicit written request from the State. In order to take advantage of the authorization, *all* of the following conditions must be met:

a. The sole mission of the patrol must be boat crew proficiency and readiness training.

b. The Auxiliary Patrol Commander or Coxswain desiring to conduct the training patrol must notify the local law enforcement agency with jurisdiction over the waterway regarding the date, time, and mission of the patrol *prior* to submitting a request for patrol orders to the Coast Guard Order Issuing Authority (OIA).

c. The following information must be included in the "Comments" section of the AuxData Order Management (AOM) request for patrol orders from OIAs:

- The title, "Training Patrol".
- Name of the agency notified.
- Name and phone number and/or e-mail of the agency representative notified.
- Date of notification.

- Body of water to be patrolled.
- 2. All other patrol requests for any other mission or operational activity on the sole State waters of Montana, Idaho, and Oregon shall be initiated by the States and follow the process described in section 4.E.6 of reference (e) and reinforced by the agreements of references (f) thru (h), preferably using the latest request form available from D13(dpa).
- 3. No other impromptu activities shall be conducted during training patrols on sole State waters except for emergent rescue and assistance response.
- 4. This authorization may be revoked at any time for non-compliance. Auxiliary leadership and OIAs are encouraged to reach out to local government agencies and review this policy with them prior to first implementation.

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