

applicants for certain officer endorsements on a merchant mariner credential (MMC) must comply with competency standards set forth in the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers, 1978, as amended (STCW). Currently, National Maritime Center policy letters 01–02 and 16–02 discuss methods for mariners to demonstrate their compliance with those standards, and thus qualify for an STCW endorsement for Officer in Charge of a Navigational Watch (OICNW).

The Coast Guard plans to amend the policy for qualifying for an OICNW endorsement. Most notably, the amendment addresses alternatives to formal training for demonstrating competence rather than relying solely on completion of formal training. The amended policy is in the docket. This policy will cancel NMC Policy Letter 01–02 and 16–02.

**Authority:** We issue this notice of policy availability under the authority of 5 U.S.C. 552(a).

Dated: June 15, 2011.

**Kevin S. Cook,**

*Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Director of Prevention Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–5548–D–02]

### Order of Succession for the Office of Strategic Planning and Management

**AGENCY:** Office of Strategic Planning and Management, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice of Order of Succession.

**SUMMARY:** In this notice, the Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, designates the Order of Succession for the Office of Strategic Planning and Management. This is the first order of succession established for this office.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* June 22, 2011.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nina M. Coward, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 10156, Washington DC 20410, telephone number 202–402–3897. (This is not a toll-free number). Persons with hearing- or speech-impairments may access this number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Relay Service at 1–800–877–8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, is issuing this Order of Succession of officials authorized to perform the functions and duties of the Office of Strategic Planning and Management when, by reason of absence, disability, or vacancy in office, the Director is not available to exercise the powers or perform the duties of the office. This Order of Succession is subject to the provisions of the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998 (5 U.S.C. 3345–3349d). This is the first order of succession established for this office.

*Accordingly, the Director designates the following Order of Succession:*

Subject to the provisions of the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998, during any period when, by reason of absence, disability, or vacancy in office, the Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, is not available to exercise the powers or perform the duties of the Director, the following officials within the Office of Strategic Planning and Management are hereby designated to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Office:

- (1) Deputy Director of the Office of Strategic Planning and Management;
- (2) Division Director—Change Management;
- (3) Division Director—Performance Management;
- (4) Division Director—Process & Technology; and
- (5) Division Director—American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

These officials shall perform the functions and duties of the office in the order specified herein, and no official shall serve unless all the other officials, whose position titles precede his/hers in this order, are unable to act by reason of absence, disability, or vacancy in office.

**Authority:** Section 7(d), Department of Housing and Urban Development Act, 42 U.S.C. 3535(d).

Dated: June 22, 2011.

**Peter J. Grace,**

*Director of the Office of Strategic Planning and Management.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–5548–D–01]

### Redelegation of Authority to the Office of Strategic Planning and Management

**AGENCY:** Office of the Chief Operating Officer, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice of redelegation of authority.

**SUMMARY:** Through this notice, the Chief Operating Officer of HUD (COO) redelegates to the Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, authority and responsibility for the development and execution of the department's strategic plan.

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* June 22, 2011.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nina M. Coward, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 10156, Washington, DC 20410–6000, telephone number 202–402–3897. (This is not a toll-free number). Persons with hearing- or speech-impairments may access this number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Relay Service at 1–800–877–8339.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Section A. Authority

The COO hereby redelegates to the Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, authority and responsibility for the development and execution of the department's strategic plan. In carrying out this responsibility, the Director, Office of Strategic Planning and Management, shall, among other duties:

1. Implement the Department's program performance measurement and management process.
2. Manage and support the execution of the Transformation Initiative, the Department's multiyear, multifaceted organizational change program.
3. Oversee the implementation of the economic stimulus funding allocated to the Department through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Pub. L. 111–5, approved February 17, 2009).
4. Advise the Secretary on matters related to management of the Department.

##### Section B. Authority to Redelegate

The Director, Office of Strategic Planning, is authorized to redelegate to employees of HUD any of the authority delegated under Section A above.

##### Section C. Authority Superseded

There are no previous redelegations of authority.

The Chief Operations Officer may revoke the authority authorized herein, in whole or part, at any time.

**Authority:** Section 7(d), Department of Housing and Urban Development Act (42 U.S.C. 3535(d)).

Dated: June 22, 2011.

**Estelle B. Richman,**  
*Chief Operating Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Establishment of the 21st Century Conservation Service Corps Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice and call for nominations.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Interior is announcing the establishment of the 21st Century Conservation Service Corps Advisory Committee (Committee). The purpose of the Committee is to provide recommendations to the Secretary of the Interior on how to create a 21st Century Conservation Service Corps (21CSC) to engage young Americans in public lands and water restoration. The 21CSC will focus on helping young people, including low-income, underserved, and diverse youth, gain valuable training and work experience while accomplishing needed conservation work on public lands.

The Department of the Interior is seeking nominations for individuals to be considered as Committee members. Nominations should describe and document the proposed member's qualifications for membership to the Committee, and include a resume listing their name, title, address, telephone, e-mail, and fax number.

**DATES:** Written nominations must be received by August 1, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** Send nominations to: Gabrielle Horner, Partnerships Coordinator, Office of the Secretary, Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street, NW., Mailstop 3559, Washington DC 20240; [Gabrielle\\_Horner@ios.doi.gov](mailto:Gabrielle_Horner@ios.doi.gov), (202) 208-5904.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Gabrielle Horner, Partnerships Coordinator, Office of the Secretary, Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street, NW., Mailstop 3559, Washington DC 20240; [Gabrielle\\_Horner@ios.doi.gov](mailto:Gabrielle_Horner@ios.doi.gov), (202) 208-5904.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended (5 U.S.C. App. 2) and with the concurrence of the General Services Administration, the Department of the Interior is announcing the establishment of an

advisory committee for the 21st Century Conservation Service Corps. The Committee is a discretionary advisory committee established under the authority of the Secretary of the Interior, in furtherance of the Take Pride in America Program, 16 U.S.C. 4601 *et seq.*, and Ken Salazar, Department of the Interior, Thomas J. Vilsack, Department of Agriculture, Lisa P. Jackson, Environmental Protection Agency and Nancy J. Sutley, Council on Environmental Quality, *America's Great Outdoors: A Promise to Future Generations* (2011). The Committee will operate under the provisions of the FACA and will report to the Secretary of the Interior through the Director of the Office of Youth in the Great Outdoors, Office of the Secretary, as the Designated Federal Officer (DFO). The Office of Youth in the Great Outdoors will provide administrative and logistical support to the Committee.

The purpose of the Committee is to provide recommendations on: (1) Developing a framework for the 21CSC, including program components, structure, and implementation, as well as accountability and performance evaluation criteria to measure success; (2) the development of certification criteria for 21CSC providers and individual certification of 21CSC members; (3) strategies to overcome existing barriers to successful 21CSC program implementation; (4) identifying partnership opportunities with corporations, private businesses or entities, foundations, and non-profit groups, as well as state, local, and tribal governments, to expand support for conservation corps programs, career training and youth employment opportunities; (5) and developing pathways for 21 CSC participants for future conservation engagement and natural resource careers.

Members of the Committee shall include representatives from among, but not limited to, the following interest groups: Youth including High School, College and Graduate Students; State, Tribal, Local, or Private/Non-Profit Youth Employment Programs and/or Conservation Corps; Veteran Employment and Training Organizations; Philanthropic Organizations, Corporations or Industry Associations Investing in Youth Service or Employment and/or Conservation Programs; Groups Investing in Connecting Diverse or Underserved Youth to Conservation Service or Employment Opportunities; Outdoor Recreation Organizations & Associations; National Conservation or Environmental Groups; Hunting and Fishing Groups; Cultural and Historic

Preservation Groups; Labor Organizations or Trade Groups; Colleges, Universities, and/or Community Colleges; and the Federal government including the Department of the Interior; Department of Agriculture; Environmental Protection Agency; Department of Labor; Department of Commerce; Department of Health and Human Services; U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Office of Personnel Management; Council on Environmental Quality; and the Corporation for National and Community Service.

No individual who is currently registered as a Federal lobbyist is eligible to serve as a member of the Committee.

The Committee will meet approximately 4-6 times annually, and at such times as designated by the DFO. Members of the Committee will serve without compensation.

**Certification Statement:** I hereby certify that the establishment of the 21st Century Conservation Service Corps Advisory Committee is necessary, is in the public interest and is established under the authority of the Secretary of the Interior, in furtherance of the Take Pride in America Program, 16 U.S.C. 4601 *et seq.*, and Ken Salazar, Department of the Interior, Thomas J. Vilsack, Department of Agriculture, Lisa P. Jackson, Environmental Protection Agency and Nancy J. Sutley, Council on Environmental Quality, *America's Great Outdoors: A Promise to Future Generations* (2011).

Dated: June 27, 2011.

**Ken Salazar,**  
*Secretary of the Interior.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement

#### Environmental Documents Prepared for Proposed Oil, Gas, and Mineral Operations by the Gulf of Mexico Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Region

**AGENCY:** The Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of the availability of environmental documents prepared for OCS mineral proposals by the Gulf of Mexico OCS Region.

**SUMMARY:** The Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement (BOEMRE), in accordance with Federal Regulations that