DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Mental Health; Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Interagency Autism Coordinating Committee (IACC) Subcommittee for Services Research and Policy Subcommittee.

The IACC Subcommittee for Services Research and Policy will be having a conference call on Tuesday, August 27, 2013. The Subcommittee will discuss future subcommittee activities. The meeting will be accessible by conference call.

Name of Committee: Interagency Autism Coordinating Committee (IACC).
Type of meeting: Conference Call.
Date: August 27, 2013.
Time: 2 p.m.–4 p.m. *Eastern Time*—Approximate end time.
Agenda: The committee will discuss future subcommittee activities.
Place: Conference call only; No in-person meeting.

Please Note: The meeting will be open to the public and accessible via conference call. Members of the public who participate using the conference call phone number will be able to listen to the meeting but will not be heard. If you experience any technical problems with the conference call, please send an email to helpdesk@iacc.hhs.gov or call 415–652–8023 for technical support.

Accommodations Statement: Individuals who participate by using this electronic service and who need special assistance such as captioning or other reasonable accommodations should submit a request to the Contact Person listed on this notice at least 5 days prior to the meeting.

Meeting notice is being published less than 30 days in advance of the meeting due to the urgent need of the subcommittee to discuss the subcommittees upcoming activities and emerging issues in the autism community.

Schedule subject to change.

Information about the IACC is available on the Web site: http://www.iacc.hhs.gov.

Dated: August 5, 2013.
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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

Draft Revisions to the Marine Safety Manual, Volume III, Chapters 20–26

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.
ACTION: Notice of availability with request for comments

SUMMARY: The Coast Guard announces the availability of a draft update to the Marine Safety Manual (MSM), Volume III, Marine Industry Personnel, and the corresponding Commandant Change Notice that highlights the changes made to that manual. MSM Volume III provides information and interpretations on international conventions and U.S. statutory and regulatory issues relating to marine industry personnel. This Commandant Change Notice discusses the substantive changes to chapters 20 through 26 of MSM Volume III. The Coast Guard seeks and will consider comments on this draft before issuing a final version of this manual.

DATES: Comments must be received by the Coast Guard on or before October 8, 2013.

ADDRESSES: To view the documents mentioned in this notice, go to http://www.regulations.gov and use “USCG–2013–0240” as your search term. Locate this notice in the search results, and use the filters on the left side of the page to locate specific documents by type. If you do not have access to the Internet, you may view the docket online by visiting the Docket Management Facility in Room W12–140 on the ground floor of the Department of Transportation West Building, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays. We have an agreement with the Department of Transportation to use the Docket Management Facility.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions on this notice, call or email Lieutenant Corydon Heard, Office of Commercial Vessel Compliance, U.S. Coast Guard; telephone 202–372–1208, email Corydon.F.Heard@uscg.mil. If you have questions on viewing material in the docket, call Docket Operations at 202–366–9826.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Viewing the Commandant Change Notice and Draft of MSM Volume III, Chapters 20–26: To view this Commandant Change notice and Draft MSM Volume III, chapters 20–26, go to http://www.regulations.gov, use “USCG–2013–0240” as your search term, and follow the instructions in the ADDRESSES section above.

Background and Purpose

Volume III of the Marine Safety Manual (MSM) provides information and interpretations on international conventions and U.S. statutory and regulatory issues relating to marine industry personnel. The last revisions to Volume III of the MSM were released on May 27, 1999. This notice updates portions of chapters 20 through 26.

Specifically, substantive changes include: (1) Updated provisions for vessel manning, including guidance for the issuing of safe manning documents; (2) clarifying roles, responsibilities, and facilitation of communications with the appropriate offices at Coast Guard Headquarters in alignment with Deputy Commandant for Operations Organization 3.0; and (3) revised discussion on the impact of multiple international standards, including the Officer’s Competency Certificates Convention (OCCC) 1936, the International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS), the Global Maritime Distress and Safety System (GMDS), and the Principles of Minimum Safe Manning (IMO Resolution A.1047(27)). Additionally, this draft clarifies the applicability of tonnage measurement systems to U.S. flag vessels, and it also includes changes resulting from the consolidation of merchant mariner qualification credentials, including the removal of