

comments and you may attach additional documents as necessary. There is no limit on the length of the attachments.

*Where do I go to read public comments, and find supporting information?*

Go to the docket online at <http://www.regulations.gov>, keyword search MARAD-2021-0090 or visit the Docket Management Facility (see **ADDRESSES** for hours of operation). We recommend that you periodically check the Docket for new submissions and supporting material.

*Will my comments be made available to the public?*

Yes. Be aware that your entire comment, including your personal identifying information, will be made publicly available.

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If you wish to submit comments under a claim of confidentiality, you should submit three copies of your complete submission, including the information you claim to be confidential business information, to the Department of Transportation, Maritime Administration, Office of Legislation and Regulations, MAR-225, W24-220, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590. Include a cover letter setting forth with specificity the basis for any such claim and, if possible, a summary of your submission that can be made available to the public.

#### Privacy Act

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(Authority: 49 CFR 1.93(a), 46 U.S.C. 55103, 46 U.S.C. 12121)

By Order of the Acting Maritime Administrator.

**T. Mitchell Hudson, Jr.,**  
*Secretary, Maritime Administration.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Maritime Administration

[Docket No. MARAD-2021-0091]

#### Coastwise Endorsement Eligibility Determination for a Foreign-Built Vessel: Vessel MARTES (Catamaran); Invitation for Public Comments

**AGENCY:** Maritime Administration, DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Secretary of Transportation, as represented by the Maritime Administration (MARAD), is authorized to issue coastwise endorsement eligibility determinations for foreign-built vessels which will carry no more than twelve passengers for hire. A request for such a determination has been received by MARAD. By this notice, MARAD seeks comments from interested parties as to any effect this action may have on U.S. vessel builders or businesses in the U.S. that use U.S.-flag vessels. Information about the requestor's vessel, including a brief description of the proposed service, is listed below.

**DATES:** Submit comments on or before July 16, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments identified by DOT Docket Number MARAD-2021-0091 by any one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* Go to <http://www.regulations.gov>. Search MARAD-2021-0091 and follow the instructions for submitting comments.

• *Mail or Hand Delivery:* Docket Management Facility is in the West Building, Ground Floor of the U.S. Department of Transportation. The Docket Management Facility location address is: U.S. Department of Transportation, MARAD-2021-0091, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, West Building, Room W12-140, Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except on Federal holidays.

*Note:* If you mail or hand-deliver your comments, we recommend that you include your name and a mailing address, an email address, or a telephone number in the body of your document so that we can contact you if we have questions regarding your submission.

**Instructions:** All submissions received must include the agency name and specific docket number. All comments received will be posted without change to the docket at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), including any personal information provided. For detailed instructions on submitting comments, see the section entitled Public Participation.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

James Mead, U.S. Department of Transportation, Maritime Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Room W23-459, Washington, DC 20590. Telephone 202-366-5723, Email [James.Mead@dot.gov](mailto:James.Mead@dot.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** As described in the application, the intended service of the vessel MARTES is:

—*Intended Commercial Use of Vessel: "Charter"*

—*Geographic Region Including Base of Operations: "California" (Base of Operations: Marina del Rey, CA)*

—*Vessel Length and Type: 32' Catamaran*

The complete application is available for review identified in the DOT docket as MARAD 2021-0091 at <http://www.regulations.gov>. Interested parties may comment on the effect this action may have on U.S. vessel builders or businesses in the U.S. that use U.S.-flag vessels. If MARAD determines, in accordance with 46 U.S.C. 12121 and MARAD's regulations at 46 CFR part 388, that the employment of the vessel in the coastwise trade to carry no more than 12 passengers will have an unduly adverse effect on a U.S.-vessel builder or a business that uses U.S.-flag vessels in that business, MARAD will not issue an approval of the vessel's coastwise endorsement eligibility. Comments should refer to the vessel name, state the commenter's interest in the application, and address the eligibility criteria given in section 388.4 of MARAD's regulations at 46 CFR part 388.

#### Public Participation

*How do I submit comments?*

Please submit your comments, including the attachments, following the instructions provided under the above heading entitled **ADDRESSES**. Be advised that it may take a few hours or even days for your comment to be reflected on the docket. In addition, your comments must be written in English. We encourage you to provide concise comments and you may attach additional documents as necessary. There is no limit on the length of the attachments.

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Secretary, Maritime Administration.

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#### U.S.-CHINA ECONOMIC AND SECURITY REVIEW COMMISSION

##### Notice of Open Public Meetings

**AGENCY:** U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of open public meetings.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of meetings of the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission to review and edit drafts of the 2021 Annual Report to Congress. The Commission is mandated by Congress to investigate, assess, and report to Congress annually on the “the national security implications of the economic relationship between the United States and the People’s Republic of China.” Pursuant to this mandate, the Commission will hold public meetings to review and edit drafts of the 2021 Annual Report to Congress.

**DATES:** The meetings are scheduled for Wednesday, June 30, 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Thursday, August 5, 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Thursday, September 9, 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; and Wednesday, October 6, 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The June, August, and September sessions will be held in the Hall of the States, Room 233 located at 444 North Capitol Street NW, Washington, DC 20001. The October session will be held in the Hall of the States, Room 333, located at 444 North Capitol Street NW, Washington, DC 20001. Public seating is limited and will be available on a “first-come, first-served” basis. *Reservations are not required to attend the meetings.*

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Any member of the public seeking further information concerning the meetings should contact Jameson Cunningham, 444 North Capitol Street NW, Suite 602, Washington, DC 20001; telephone: 202-624-1496, or via email at [jcunningham@uscc.gov](mailto:jcunningham@uscc.gov). *Reservations are not required to attend the meetings.*

**ADA Accessibility:** For questions about the accessibility of the event or to request an accommodation, please contact Jameson Cunningham at 202-624-1496, or via email at [jcunningham@uscc.gov](mailto:jcunningham@uscc.gov). Requests for an accommodation should be made as soon as possible, and at least five business days prior to the event.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Purpose of Meeting:** Pursuant to the Commission’s mandate, members of the Commission will meet to review and edit drafts of the 2021 Annual Report to Congress. The Commission is subject to the

Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) with the enactment of the Science, State, Justice, Commerce and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006 that was signed into law on November 22, 2005 (Pub. L. 109-108). In accordance with FACA, the Commission’s meetings to make decisions concerning the substance and recommendations of its 2021 Annual Report to Congress are open to the public.

**Topics to Be Discussed:** Editing and review sessions will cover material prepared for the 2021 Annual Report, including: a review of economics, trade, security and foreign affairs developments in 2021; U.S.-China relations at the Chinese Communist Party’s centennial; China in Latin America and the Caribbean; the Chinese Communist Party’s economic ambitions; U.S. investment in China’s capital markets and military industrial complex; China’s nuclear capabilities, posture, and proliferation; Taiwan; and Hong Kong.

**Required Accessibility Statement:** These meetings will be open to the public. The Commission may recess the meetings to address administrative issues in closed session. The Commission will also recess the meetings around noon for a lunch break. At the beginning of the lunch break, the Chairman will announce what time the meetings will reconvene.

**Authority:** Congress created the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission in 2000 in the National Defense Authorization Act (Pub. L. 106-398), as amended by Division P of the Consolidated Appropriations Resolution, 2003 (Pub. L. 108-7), as amended by Public Law 109-108 (November 22, 2005), as amended by Public Law 113-291 (December 19, 2014).

Dated: June 10, 2021.

**Daniel W. Peck,**  
Executive Director, U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

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**AGENCY:** Office of Acquisition and Logistics, Department of Veterans Affairs.