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NCFSAC Meeting: 9-11 April 2024

Location: Fernandina Beach, Florida

Coordinating Office: USCG Office of Commercial Vessel Compliance, Fishing Vessel Safety Division (CG-CVC-3)

Subject: Task Statement 17-24

Description of Task: Committee make recommendations on the feasibility of a multi-year phase-in implementation that all CFV mariners serving as a Master/Operator of a CFVs of less than 200 GT and operating three miles beyond the baseline in a near-coastal zone obtain and maintain an Operator of Uninspected Passenger Vessels (OUPV) Merchant Mariner Credential (without a TWIC requirement).

Recommended Action:

- Forward to Committee for consideration.
- Upon Committee acceptance, Committee review task content and submit recommendations to the Secretary of Homeland Security.

Recommended Time Frame:

- During 9-11 April 2024 NCFSAC meeting or as determined by DFO.

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Mark Neeland, Captain, USCG, NCFSAC DFO

Task accepted by the Committee:

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NCFSAC Chair

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