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## Coast Guard Auxiliary Regulations Proposed Rule Published

The U.S. Coast Guard announced Federal Register publication of a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) to amend the Code of Federal Regulations pertaining to the Coast Guard Auxiliary. The Coast Guard Auxiliary is the uniformed volunteer element of the Coast Guard work force.

In the NPRM, the Coast Guard proposes to amend the regulations that anchor Coast Guard policies regarding Coast Guard Auxiliary membership, authorized activities, liability protections and interaction with Federal, State, and local organizations that may not be familiar with the Coast Guard Auxiliary. Additionally, the proposed amendments would align Coast Guard Auxiliary regulations with statutory changes stemming from the Coast Guard Authorization Act of 1996, the Maritime Transportation Security Act of 2002, and the Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation Acts of 2004, 2006, and 2012.

The proposed rule and related materials may be reviewed at <http://www.regulations.gov> docket number: USCG-1999-6712.

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