

Marine Safety Information Bulletin

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Revision to Crane Regulations Proposed Rule Published

The Coast Guard announced Federal Register publication of a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking to revise regulations related to the design, certification, inspection, and testing of cranes.

Under the proposed rule, this revision would update industry standards incorporated by reference with more recent versions, which are used by industry and incorporated in Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (BSEE) regulations. Additionally, in this rulemaking the Coast Guard proposes to revise regulations regarding certification, inspection, and testing of cranes by allowing use of additional third-party organizations to act in lieu of Coast Guard marine inspectors.

The Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and related materials may be reviewed at http://www.regulations.gov docket number: USCG-2011-0992.

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