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## Changes for VSC Rental Agency Program

Effective June 1, 2019 and at the request of DCO Mary Kirkwood

1-A separate Vessel Examiner (VE) and separate Program Visitor (PV) are required for the initial visit and sign the agreement form.

2-A copy of each rental agreement including the total number of vessels to be examined must be submitted to the DSO-VE for approval along with planned examination date(s) and including planned revisit dates PRIOR to any activity at the agency.

3-Subsequent visits by Vessel Examiners are limited to no more than 4-times a year and ONLY new vessels can be counted as a new VSC. Approval is required by the DSO-VE prior to any additional VSC activity. PV's can visit as often as the need arises.

4-At least (2) vessel examiners must examine each vendors vessels and equipment with the total and all examiners in attendance with each submitting their own 7038.

5-There must be a completed 7012 or 7012A and VSC decal for each vessel. The dealer and Vessel Examiner will each retain their copies for the calendar year.

6-The DSO-VE reserves the right to audit any rental VSC activity at any time during the year.

7- Strict compliance to the RENTAL VENDOR PROGRAM is required to avoid potential consequences for not following correct procedures.

Finally, these changes will go into effect immediately (1 June 2019) and any prior rental activity agreements need to be submitted to the DSO-VE within 30-days.

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