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Overview

Modifies boiler provisions.

Section

- 1 **Boats; masters.** Changes definition of boat to be vessel carrying more than six passengers for hire; strikes reference to length of vessel.
- 2 **Definitions.** Provides definitions.
- 3 **Boiler inspector license.** Updates language.
- 4 **Historical boilers.** Updates reference from show boiler and hobby boiler to historical boiler and sets forth means of inspection, standards for repairs and alterations of historical boilers.
- 5 **Inspection and registration.** Updates statutory references and terminology and spells out standards for inspections, defects, registration and certificates of inspection and registration.
- 6 **Licensing requirement.** Clarifying language.
- 7 **Verification of certificate.** Provides that vessels no longer in service shall be removed from the certificate of registration.
- 8 **Certificate of competency.** Requires each applicant for a certificate of competency to complete an interview with the chief boiler inspector.
- 9 **Late fee.** Requires that a late fee be assessed.
- 10 **Exceptions.** Expands list of excepted pressure vessels.
- 11 **Report of insurer; exemption from inspection.** Requires insurance company inspection and a report filed on a national board form; provides exemptions; requires notice to

commissioner of date insurance coverage is provided; and provides penalties.

- 12** **Sales violation.** Strikes reference to jobber.
- 13** **Penalty for operators.** Clarifies language to provide that no person may operate or cause the operation of a boiler or pressure vessel at a higher pressure than indicated on the date plate.
- 14** **Repealers.**