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LETTER OF PROMULGATION

1. The Dispersant Use Avoidance Areas Section of the Bristol Bay Subarea Contingency Plan provides additional guidelines for the use of dispersants in the event of a major response effort to an oil discharge in the Preauthorization Area defined in the Alaska Federal/State Preparedness Plan for Response to Oil and Hazardous Substance Discharges/Releases (Unified Plan), Annex F, Appendix I.
2. The Dispersant Use Avoidance Areas Section is the result of a joint planning effort. Members of the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG); Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC); U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); U.S. Department of the Interior; and numerous other Federal, State, local, Native, and industry participants contributed to this document.
3. We solicit comments and recommendations to improve this plan. Please forward your comments to Ms. Lisa Krebs-Barsis (Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, Prevention, Preparedness and Response Program, 555 Cordova St., Anchorage, AK 99501) or LCDR Matthew Hobbie (USCG Sector Anchorage, PO Box 5800, JBER, AK 99505).

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