

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
OFFICE OF SPILL PREVENTION AND RESPONSE**

**NOTICE OF 15-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
FOR MODIFICATIONS TO TEXT OF PROPOSED REGULATIONS**

August 22, 2022

Pursuant to the requirements of Government Code sections 11346.8(c) and section 44 of Title 1 of the California Code of Regulations, the California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Office of Spill Prevention and Response (OSPR), is providing this notice of additional changes made to specific sections of Title 14, California Code of Regulations identified below.

In February 2022, concurrent with this rulemaking action, OSPR noticed a separate rulemaking action proposing changes to several sections of Title 14, California Code of Regulations, which were approved by the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) on July 5, 2022 ([OAL Matter No. 2022-0525-04SR; General Provisions](#)), and that will be effective October 1, 2022. That rulemaking changed a few of the same sections being proposed for amendment in the current drills and exercises harmonization rulemaking action.

However, and it is important to note, none of the regulation text approved on July 5, 2022 overlap with the changes being proposed in this drills and exercises harmonization rulemaking action. Nevertheless, OAL advises that this additional 15-day comment period is required in this rulemaking action to notice the changes approved on July 5, 2022.

The following itemizes only the relevant subsections that were revised and approved on July 5, 2022, and which are the subject of this additional 15-day notice.

- 817.02(c)(3)(B)4.
- 817.04(c)(2)(B); (e)(5)(A) through (E); (f)(4)(A) through (C); (u)(7); (w)
- 819.02(a); (b)(6); (c)(2)(E); (g)

The changes to these subsections approved on July 5, 2022, are illustrated as follows:

- **Bold single underline** is used to denote text added in OAL Matter No. 2022-0525-04SR that is not being changed in this action.
- **~~Bold single strikeout~~** is used to denote deleted text in OAL Matter No. 2022-0525-04SR that has not been noticed to the public for repeal and is not being further changed in this action.

Changes illustrated any other way are those that were noticed in this non-floating oil rulemaking for the initial 45-day comment period (July 2, 2022 – August 15, 2022).

To be clear, there are no new revisions to the proposed non-floating oil text. To reiterate, the purpose of this notice is to reflect the text of the rulemaking action approved on July 5, 2022 (OAL Matter No. 2022-0525-04SR; General Provisions), with the changes that were previously noticed by this non-floating oil rulemaking action.

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS

OSPR will accept written comments pertaining only to the above itemized changes between August 23, 2022 and September 6, 2022. **All written comments must be received by OSPR no later than 11:59:59 p.m. (Pacific Time) on Tuesday, September 6, 2022**, by mail or e-mail as follows:

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All written, timely comments received by the above stated deadline, which pertain to the above itemized changes will be reviewed and responded to by OSPR in the Final Statement of Reasons as part of the compilation of the rulemaking file. Please limit comments to the changes in the documents identified in this notice.

OSPR requests that comments be prepared on a separate document rather than as digital markups or digital notes embedded within the rulemaking documents.

AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS

Additional information and all associated documents may be found online on the [Non-floating Oil regulations webpage](#).