

23 January 1997

Re: NEPA Call-In Technical Inquiry 0018 - NOAA's Consistency  
Regulations

Dear NEPA Call-In User:

This letter is in response to your January 16, 1997 request for information on obtaining a copy of "Proposed Draft Revised Consistency Regulations," National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) and an associated NOAA memorandum. You indicated that you received a fax transmittal from NOAA's office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management referring to this document and the memorandum, dated December 18, 1996, and you wanted to obtain a copy of both items.

NEPA Call-In contacted Mr. David Kaiser, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOAA, (301) 713-3098, ext. 144. Mr. Kaiser stated that the "Proposed Draft Revised Consistency Regulations" is a confidential draft available only to Federal Agency Headquarters Contacts. Mr. Kaiser stated because you are on the mailing list of Federal Agency Contacts, he would mail a copy of the proposed regulations as well as the memorandum directly to you. He further stated, when revisions are complete, the proposed rule will be published in the Federal Register, and therefore will be available to the general public.

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Sincerely,

(Original Signed)

NEPA Call-In Researcher