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MARAD – aquaculture support vessel waivers;  
Great Lakes – icebreaking operations commence; and  
New England – icebreaking operations commence.

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## **DOS – meeting on 10 January re IMO SDC 5**



The Department of State (DOS) issued a notice stating that a meeting will be conducted on 10 January 2018 in Washington, DC to prepare for the upcoming session of the IMO Sub-Committee on Ship Design and Construction (SDC 5). Topics on the agenda include passenger ships' electrical supply in cases of flooding and computerized stability support for the master. **82 Fed. Reg. 60268** (12/19/17) [<https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2017-12-19/pdf/2017-27253.pdf>].

## **MARAD – aquaculture support vessel waivers**



The Maritime Administration (MARAD) issued a notice stating that it received a request for a waiver for aquaculture support operations for the 2018 calendar year with respect to Ronja Carrier, Colby Perce, and Sadie Jane. Comments must be received by 18 January 2018. **82 Fed. Reg. 60272** (12/19/17) [<https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2017-12-19/pdf/2017-27271.pdf>].

## Great Lakes – icebreaking operations commence



The US Coast Guard issued a **news release** stating that icebreaking operations have commenced on waters of the western Great Lakes. (12/15/17) [<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDHSCG/bulletins/1cc7a50>].

## New England – icebreaking operations commence



The US Coast Guard issued a **news release** stating that icebreaking operations have commenced on coastal waters of New England. (12/18/17) [<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDHSCG/bulletins/1cd152c>].

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