

## Headlines:

USCG – MU San Juan reopens 2 January;  
USCG – members sought for MERPAC;  
USCG – members sought for CFSAC;  
DOI – members sought for ISAC; and  
Arctic Council – EPPR working group meeting.

December 27, 2017



# Bryant's Maritime News

Bryant's Maritime Consulting - 4845 SW 91<sup>st</sup> Way - Gainesville, FL 32608-8135 - USA

Tel: 1-352-692-5493 – Email: [dennis.l.bryant@gmail.com](mailto:dennis.l.bryant@gmail.com) – Internet: <http://brymar-consulting.com>

**Contact me to help you reach your target audience**

*Note: This newsletter is one section of the [Bryant's Maritime Consulting](http://brymar-consulting.com) website. Visit the site for more extensive maritime regulatory information. Individual concerns may be addressed by retaining [Dennis Bryant](mailto:dennis.l.bryant@gmail.com) directly. Much of the highlighted text in this newsletter constitutes links to Internet sites providing more detailed information. Links on this page may be in PDF format. Comments on these postings are encouraged and may be made by email to the editor or by going to the blog page on the website and clicking the envelope that appears at the end of each posting. Be aware that the daily newsletter is a single posting, even though it contains a number of individual items. The Ship of Theseus sails forever.*

## **USCG – MU San Juan reopens 2 January**



The USCG National Maritime Center (NMC) issued a [bulletin](#) stating that Monitoring Unit (MU) San Juan will reopen on 2 January 2018. (12/22/17) [[http://www.dco.uscg.mil/Portals/9/NMC/pdfs/rec/mu\\_san\\_juan\\_reopen\\_jan\\_2018.pdf](http://www.dco.uscg.mil/Portals/9/NMC/pdfs/rec/mu_san_juan_reopen_jan_2018.pdf)].

## **USCG – members sought for MERPAC**



The US Coast Guard issued a notice stating that it seeks applications for membership on the Merchant Marine Personnel Advisory Committee (MERPAC). Applications should be submitted by 26 February 2018. [82 Fed. Reg. 61311](#) (12/27/17) [<https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2017-12-27/pdf/2017-27858.pdf>].

## USCG – members sought for CFSAC



The US Coast Guard issued a notice stating that it seeks applications for membership on the Commercial Fishing Safety Advisory Committee (CFSAC). Applications should be submitted by 26 February 2018. **82 Fed. Reg. 61310** (12/27/17) [<https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2017-12-27/pdf/2017-27886.pdf>].

## DOI – members sought for ISAC



The Department of the Interior (DOI) issued a notice stating that it seeks nominations for qualified persons to serve as members of the Invasive Species Advisory Committee (ISAC). Nominations must be submitted by 26 February 2018. **82 Fed. Reg. 61323** (12/27/17) [<https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2017-12-27/pdf/2017-27829.pdf>].

## Arctic Council – EPPR working group meeting



The US Coast Guard issued a **bulletin** stating that the Arctic Council Working Group on Emergency Prevention, Preparedness, and Response (EPPR) met in Malmo on 5-7 December. The working group consists of representatives from Canada, Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, the Russian Federation, Sweden, and the United States. The primary focus of the meeting was preparation for the 2018 full scale exercise of the Agreement on Cooperation on Marine Oil Pollution Preparedness and Response in the Arctic (MOSPA Agreement). (12/26/17) [<http://mariners.coastguard.dodlive.mil/2017/12/26/12-26-2017-coast-guard-arctic-partners-continue-work-on-oil-spill-response-search-and-rescue-in-the-arctic-marine-environment/>].

## Join my mailing list



If you are not receiving my almost daily electronic newsletter and would like to have it sent directly to your email inbox, please send me an email, or see below:

[Join Our Mailing List!](#)



If you have questions regarding the above items or are interested in advertising in this newsletter, please contact the editor:

## **Dennis L. Bryant**

Bryant's Maritime Consulting  
4845 SW 91<sup>st</sup> Way  
Gainesville, FL 32608-8135  
USA

1-352-692-5493  
[dennis.l.bryant@gmail.com](mailto:dennis.l.bryant@gmail.com)  
<http://brymar-consulting.com>

© Dennis L. Bryant – December 2017

 **Redistribution permitted with attribution**