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Subject: Change of VHF Channel for Inbound Vessel Notifications and Routine Communications

Effective January 1, 2026 inbound vessels calling the Sabine Pilots shall make their initial notification on VHF Channel 09 instead of VHF Channel 14. Beginning on this date, Channel 09 will serve as the Sabine Pilots' designated working channel.

This change is being implemented to improve communications and align with updated procedures.

Instructions for Vessels:

All inbound vessels approaching the pilot boarding area must establish contact with Sabine Pilots on VHF Ch 09.

Additional instructions will be provided by the pilots on VHF 09.

Please update all arrival notices, pre-arrival communications, and standing instructions to reflect this change.

Questions may be directed to the Sabine Pilots at (409) 722-1141 or dispatcher@sabinepilots.com.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Capt Andrew Guidry

President, Sabine Pilots