

FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

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Unified Agenda of Regulatory Actions

Agency: Federal Maritime Commission (FMC).

Action: Regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: In accordance Executive Order 12866, “Regulatory Planning and Review,” the Federal Maritime Commission (FMC) is issuing its regulatory agenda. The Federal Maritime Commission (FMC) is an independent federal agency responsible for regulating the U.S. international ocean transportation system for the benefit of U.S. exporters, importers, and the U.S. consumer. In accordance with the Commission’s Strategic Plan for FY 2022–2026, the Commission regulates to achieve the goals and objectives of: (1) maintaining a competitive and reliable international ocean transportation supply system and (2) protecting the public from unlawful, unfair, and deceptive ocean transportation practices. The agenda lists rulemaking actions that the Commission expects to propose or promulgate during the next 12 months. A central goal of the Agenda is to promote transparency and open government. The Agenda highlights agency priorities, promotes planning and coordination, and encourages public participation in the regulatory process. The Commission does not anticipate any of the planned actions to be “significant regulatory actions” under the definition in Executive Order 12866.

Publication in the **Federal Register** is mandated for the regulatory flexibility agendas required by the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601 et seq.). None of the FMC’s planned actions are anticipated to have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities, as that term is defined in the Regulatory Flexibility Act; therefore, this preamble will not appear in the **Federal Register**.

The Commission’s complete agenda is available online at www.reginfo.gov. Publication of the Agenda does not impose any binding obligation on FMC with regard to any specific item in the Agenda. The Commission may elect to postpone or not pursue any of the regulatory actions listed here. The agency strives for the agenda to be as accurate as possible; however, dates of regulatory actions are subject to revision in subsequent agendas.

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