

Charlie Liem, Secretary

Charlie Crist, Governor

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Interested Parties

FROM: Robyn Barineau, Executive Director

SUBJECT: Examination for Certified Deputy Pilot Openings in the Ports of Miami and Jacksonville

DATE: September 27, 2010

If you are interested in applying for the opening in the Port of Miami and/or Port of Jacksonville, please submit a completed application and a non-refundable application fee of \$200 for one or \$400 for both. The completed application(s) must be returned to the department on or before December 13, 2010, however, we encourage you to make application as soon as possible. **Please mail your application to the following address:**

**DBPR/Professions
Board of Pilot Commissioners
P O Box 5377
Tallahassee, FL 32314-5377.**

The application is available via the department's website at www.MyFloridaLicense.com
> apply for a license.

Please note that there will be at least one opening for each port. Applicants will be notified if the opening increases from one.

The March 10, 2011 Deputy Pilot Examination is currently scheduled as follows:

DATE: Thursday, March 10, 2011
SITE: Osceola Heritage Park
Exhibition Building
1901 Chief Osceola Trail
Kissimmee, FL 34747
TIME: 7:30 a.m.

The examination will consist of the following:

1. (a) Rules of the road, International
(b) Rules of the road, Inland
(c) Seamanship and Shiphandling
(d) Federal and State Pilotage Laws and Regulations

- (e) Aids to navigation
- 2. (a) Local Knowledge of Port
- (b) Port Chart Work

Prospective applicants are advised to contact the applicable port for information concerning local conditions including but not limited to:

- 1. Number of pilots
- 2. Training program in effect
- 3. Present and projected volume of business
- 4. Compensation as a deputy and later as a state pilot

Chart Description:

Miami:

The area from the vicinity of the sea buoy to and including all docks and channels utilized by commercial vessels. The main channel is to include the turning basin located at the NW corner of Dodge Island and the ICW and facilities north of that to the Venetian Causeway. The channel south of Lummus and Dodge Island is to include the approaches to the Miami River as far as Brickell Point and that section of the ICW between the Miami River approach and the Main Channel.

(Chart 11468)

Jacksonville:

The area from the vicinity of the sea buoy to and including the fixed highway bridge at the Red Bay Point just upstream of Green Cove Springs on the St. Johns River as well as the ICW south from the St. Johns River to and including the highway bridge at Atlantic Boulevard.

(Charts 11489, 11491 and 11492)

All applicants should carefully review the provisions of Rule 61G14-11.002, Florida Administrative Code, regarding acceptable sea service and Rule 61G14-20.001, Florida Administrative Code, regarding the required physical and drug test. Applicants submitting service on vessels which may be engaged in operations other than the usual commercial service would be well advised to submit a copy of the Vessel's Certificate of Inspection with their application. This will insure full credit for service in accordance with the legally required manning standards. Such vessels might include mobile offshore drilling units, self-propelled dredges, etc. Applicants presenting service on towing vessels must document the tonnage of both the barge and vessel being towed.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please do not hesitate to contact our office. Our telephone number is 850.922.6096 or you can send an e-mail to elise.rice@dbpr.state.fl.us.

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