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## CAPTAIN OF THE PORT, WESTERN ALASKA NAVIGATION SAFETY ADVISORY

## Dear Mariner:

Ice conditions in upper Cook Inlet have vastly improved over the last several weeks. Favorable temperature forecasts make it unlikely we will see any significant recurrence of ice in this area, this year. Therefore, I am deactivating the **Operating Guidelines for Ice Conditions for Upper Cook Inlet**, effective March 22, 2019.

Thank you for your vigilant seamanship in keeping this an incident-free ice season. Questions regarding this advisory or the Guidelines may be directed to Lieutenant David Parker at (907) 428-4189.

Sincerely,

S. C. MACKENZIE Captain, U. S. Coast Guard Captain of the Port, Western Alaska

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