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| 195.57(a)(4) | miles | kilometers (miles) |
| 195.106(a) | pounds per square inch | kPa (p.s.i.g.) |
| 195.120(b)(6) | inches (twice) | millimeters (inches) |
| 195.208 | 10 inches | 254 millimeters (10 inches) |
| 195.210(b) | 100 p.s.i.g. | 689 kPa (100 p.s.i.g.) |
| | 50 feet | 15.2 meters (50 feet) |
| | 12 inches | 305 millimeters (12 inches) |
| 195.248(a) | inches | millimeters (inches) |
| | 36 (4 times) | 914 (36) |
| | 30 (twice) | 762 (30) |
| | 48 (twice) | 1219 (48) |
| | 18 (3 times) | 457 (18) |
| | 24 (twice) | 610 (24) |
| 195.250 | 12 inches (3 times) | 305 millimeters (12 inches) |
| | 2 inches | 51 millimeters (2 inches) |
| 195.260(e) | 100 feet | 30.48 meters (100 feet) |
| 195.302(c)(2)(i)(A) | mileage | length (mileage) |
| 195.302(c)(2)(i)(B) | mileage | length (mileage) |
| 195.302(c)(2)(ii) | mileage | length (mileage) |
| 195.306(b)(2) | 300 feet | 91 meters (300 feet) |
| 195.306(c)(2) | 300 feet | 91 meters (300 feet) |
| 195.310(b)(9) | 100 feet | 30 meters (100 feet) |
| 195.410(a)(2)(i) | one inch | 25.4 millimeters (1 inch) |
| | one-quarter inch | 6.35 millimeters (1/4 inch) |
| 195.413(b)(2) | 500 yards | 457 meters (500 yards) |
| | 200 yards | 183 meters (200 yards) |
| 195.413(b)(3) | 36 inches | 914 millimeters (36 inches) |
| | 18 inches | 457 millimeters (18 inches) |
| 195.424(b)(3)(ii) | 50 p.s.i.g. | 345 kPa (50 p.s.i.g.) |

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Research and Special Programs Administration

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Qualification of Pipeline Personnel

AGENCY: Research and Special Programs Administration (RSPA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: This announces the next RSPA Negotiated Rulemaking Committee. This committee is conducting a negotiated rulemaking to develop a proposed rule on qualification of pipeline employees performing certain safety-related functions on pipelines subject to the pipeline safety regulations. The advisory committee is composed of persons who represent the interests that would be affected by the rule, such as gas pipeline operators, hazardous liquid pipeline operators,

representatives of state and federal governments, labor organizations, and other interested parties. The Committee hopes to conclude the development of this NPRM by the end of this meeting. OPS will then publish the NPRM in the **Federal Register** for public evaluation and comment.

DATES: The Committee will meet from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on January 27-29, 1997.

ADDRESSES: The Committee will meet at the American Gas Association, 1515 Wilson Boulevard, 11th floor, in Arlington, Virginia.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; National Standard Guidelines

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS); National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA); Commerce.

ACTION: Proposed rule; reopening of public comment period.

SUMMARY: On August 4, 1997, NMFS published a proposed rule to amend the national standard guidelines under the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act). The public comment period for the proposed guidelines ended September 18, 1997. Because of remaining issues regarding interpretation of the Magnuson-Stevens Act's provisions relative to overfishing, NMFS is reopening the public comment period on national standard 1 for an additional 30 days.