

Title 11

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Subtitle 05

Notice of Opportunity for Comment

In accordance with the Regulatory Review and Evaluation Act, State Government Article, §§10-130 – 10-139, Annotated Code of Maryland, the Maryland Port Administration (MPA) is currently reviewing and evaluating the following chapters:

11.05.01	Open Meetings
11.05.02	Hazardous Materials
11.05.03	Vehicle Access, Parking and Operations on Maryland Port Administration Property
11.05.04	Vessel Gaming Permits
11.05.05	The World Trade Center Baltimore Building and Grounds
11.05.06	Depositing of Dredged Materials on Administration Property
11.05.07	Maryland Port Terminal, Properties, and Vessel Security

The purpose of this review and evaluation is to determine whether existing regulations continue to accomplish the purposes for which they were adopted, clarify ambiguous or unclear language, and repeal obsolete or duplicative provisions. Pursuant to this work plan, MPA will evaluate the need to retain, amend, or repeal the regulations based on whether the regulations:

- Continue to be necessary for public interest;
- Continue to be supported by statutory authority and judicial opinions;
- Are obsolete or otherwise appropriate for amendment or repeal;
- Continue to be effective in accomplishing the intended purposes of the regulations.

MPA would like to provide interested parties with an opportunity to participate in the review and evaluation process by submitting comments on the regulations. The comments may address any concerns about the regulations. If the comments include suggested changes to the regulations, please be as specific as possible and provide language for the suggested changes. Comments must be received by May 31, 2026.

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