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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Notice of Intent to Adopt Regulations

The Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection, pursuant to Sections 4-168, 22a-6, and 23-4 of the Connecticut General Statutes, hereby gives notice of their intention to revise section 23-4-1 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

The proposed regulation enumerates the state parks and recreation areas that have prohibited alcohol since prior to October 1, 1999 and that still prohibit alcohol, pursuant to section 23-4 of the Connecticut General Statutes. The proposal also expands on this list by including the areas that have been added in recent years pursuant to the regulatory authority of the Commissioner under RCSA 23-4-1 (e)(2)(D), and makes changes to restrictions on volume and sales.

Copies of the proposed amendments may be obtained online at the DEEP's website, by writing the DEEP, State Parks and Public Outreach Division, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, Connecticut 06106; or by calling (860) 424-3200. The Department has prepared a fiscal note and a small business impact analysis that are available online and upon request for review.

All interested persons are invited to express their views on the proposed regulations in writing and submit them by e-mail to <u>tom.tyler@ct.gov</u>, or by mail to Tom Tyler, Director, State Parks and Public Outreach Division, Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT 06106, or by fax to (860) 424-4078. All comments must be received by 4:30 p.m. on Friday, February 7, 2014. Based on public comment, proposed measures may be adjusted to meet the objective of the proposal.

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Dec. 23, 2013

/s/ Susan K. Whalen

Susan K. Whalen Deputy Commissioner

Date

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From: Tyler, Tom Sent: Thursday, January 02, 2014 3:23 PM To: SOTS Regulations Subject: DEEP regulation - Notice of Intent

Greetings,

Attached is a notice of intent to adopt regulations regarding the operation of CT State Parks for posting on the SOTS s regulation website

Thank you for your assistance, and please call me with any questions?

Tom Tyler

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