

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Pilotage Rate Review Committee

I. General Information

Meeting Type: General Business Meeting
Meeting Date: Tuesday, June 25, 2013
Meeting Location: Telephone Conference Call

Attendees:

Commissioner John Fernandez, Chair
Commissioner Stephen Nielsen
Commissioner Robert "Bob" Swindell
Commissioner Carlos Trueba
Commissioner David "Dave" Ulrich

Robyn Barineau, Executive Director, Department of Business and Professional Regulation (DBPR)

Elise Rice, Government Analyst, DBPR

Clark Jennings, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General

Galen W. Dunton, Board Consultant

Stuart Lilly, President, Florida Harbor Pilots Association (FHPA)

Warren Husband, Attorney for the FHPA

II. Major Issues/Actions

- The Pilotage Rate Review Committee approved the following pilotage rate changes for the Port of Palm Beach effective August 1, 2013:
 1. A draft charge of \$15.375 per draft foot with 11.5 foot minimum;
 2. A tonnage charge of \$0.0335 per gross registered ton (GRT) with 2,250 GRT minimum;
 3. Shifting vessel less than 10,000 GRT - \$250;
 4. Shifting vessel 10,000 GRT or larger - \$400;
 5. Transfer of personnel by pilot boat - \$500;
 6. Detention, cancellation of pilots - \$150.
- As of August 1, 2014, the following rates of pilotage will be increased as follows:
 1. A draft charge of \$16 per draft foot with 13 foot minimum;
 2. A tonnage charge of \$0.034 per gross registered ton (GRT) with 2,500 GRT minimum.

III. Legislation/Rule Promulgation

- There was no legislation/rule promulgation at this meeting.

IV. Action Required

- Board staff will forward the order to Chair John Fernandez for signature. Chair Fernandez will forward the signed order to board staff for filing with the Agency Clerk.

Robyn Barineau
Executive Director
June 25, 2013