

**Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
Marine Resources Division**

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME: Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

RULE NO. & TITLE: 220-3-.24 Oyster Tag and Sack Regulation

INTENDED ACTION: Amend Rule

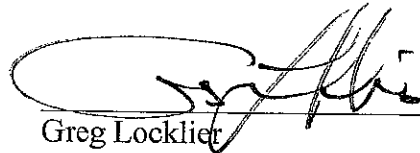
SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The Department proposes to amend this rule by: (1) adding language to allow for the use of containers, other than traditional sacks, to store and transport oysters; (2) by re-numbering paragraphs; (3) by clarifying that private lease tags must be purchased prior to harvesting oysters and immediately attached to sack or container when filled; (4) by requiring that public harvest tags be purchased and attached at the Oyster Management Station; and (5) by amending the title of the rule.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Interested persons may present their views in writing to Major Scott Bannon, Acting Director, Marine Resources Division, P.O. Box 189, Dauphin Island, Alabama 36528 at any time following the publication of this notice through May 5, 2017. Interested parties may also present their views in person and orally by personally appearing at the office of the Marine Resources Division, 2 Iberville Dr., Dauphin Island, Alabama, at 10:00 a.m., Friday, May 5, 2017. If ADA accommodations are needed, please contact Daisy Perry at (334) 242-3165 or daisy.perry@dcnr.alabama.gov. Copies of the proposed amendment may be obtained at <http://www.outdooralabama.com/proposed-dcnr-rules>.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: May 5, 2017.

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