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First Coast Guard District Report to the NEFMC

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District One Chief of Enforcement**



Enforcement

November 1, 2016 – Present

- **Fishing Vessel Boardings – 227**
- **Fishery Violations Issued – 14**

- **Observed Compliance Rate: 94%**



Enforcement Violations



November 1, 2016 – Present

#	Type
2	Prohibited Species
8	Permit Violation
2	Catch Overage
2	Illegal gear configuration



Safety

November 1, 2016 – Present



- **Dockside Safety Exams Conducted: 126**
- **CFVS Decals Issued: 102**
- **At Sea Total Safety Violations Issued: 69**
 - Onboard 38 individual vessels
 - 8 terminations due to safety
- **Observed Compliance Rate: 83%**



Most Common Safety Violations

November 1, 2016 – Present



Type	#
Insufficient # of Immersion Suits	7
Expired Survival Craft	6
Expired/Missing Flares	4
Missing/Expired Fire Extinguisher	4



Search and Rescue

November 1, 2016 – Present



- **CG responded to 38 F/V casualties**
 - **13 Equipment Casualties**
 - **5 F/Vs taking on water**
 - **6 Collision/allision**
 - **8 Groundings**
 - **1 Damaged by large wave**
 - **5 Sinking (1 Underway, 4 moored)**
- **75+ Fishermen assisted**
- **5 MEDEVAC/MEDICOs**



Questions?

