

ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

K.A.R. 115-30-13. Removal of vessels from waters of the state.

DESCRIPTION: This new permanent regulation would establish provisions and restrictions concerning removal of vessels from waters of the state. The proposed regulation would require livewells and bilges be drained and the drain plugs removed from all vessels being removed from the waters of the state before transport on any public highway of the state in an attempt to prevent the spread of aquatic nuisance species. The proposed regulation would become effective on January, 1, 2012.

FEDERAL MANDATE: None.

ECONOMIC IMPACT: The proposed amendment should not have a significant economic impact on the department, the general public, or other agencies.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED: None.