



Lower Columbia Region Harbor Safety Committee

Appendix 2 Acronyms



List of Acronyms

AC	Area Committee
ACOE	(United States) Army Corps of Engineers
AIS	Automatic Identification System
AMSC	Area Maritime Security Committee
ANT	Advance Notice of Transfer
APIS	Advance Passenger Information System
ATB	Articulated Tug Barge
ATON	Aids to Navigation
AWO	American Waterways Operators
BTM	Bridge Team Management
CDC	Certain Dangerous Cargo
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
COLREGS	Int'l Regulations for Avoiding Collisions at Sea (Rules of the Road)
COTP	Captain of the Port
CRD	Columbia River Datum
DEQ	(Oregon State) Department of Environmental Quality
DOE	(Washington State) Department of Ecology
DWT	Deadweight Tons
ECDIS	Electronic Chart Display and Information Systems
eNOAD	Electronic Notice of Arrival/Departure System
ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival
ETD	Estimated Time of Departure
FMSC	Federal Maritime Security Coordinator
FSP	Facility Security Plan
GRP	Geographic Response Plan
GT	Gross Tons
HSC	Harbor Safety Committee
HSP	Harbor Safety Plan
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
IMO	International Maritime Organization
LCR	Lower Columbia Region
LCRHSC	Lower Columbia Region Harbor Safety Committee
LNM	Local Notice to Mariners
LOA	Length Over All
MARPOL	International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships
MDA	Maritime Domain Awareness
MLLW	Mean Lower Low Water
MMSI	Maritime Mobile Service Identity
MTSA	Maritime Transportation Security Act
NOA	Notice of Arrival (i.e., U.S. 96 hour Notice of Arrival)
NOD	Notice of Departure



NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NRC	National Response Center
NTVRP	Non Tank Vessel Response Plan
OCIMF	Oil Companies International Marine Forum Guidelines
OCMI	Officer-in-Charge, Marine Inspection
OPA	Oil Pollution Act of 1990
OSC	On-Scene Commander
OSRO	Oil Spill Removal Organization
PIC	Person in Charge
RCP	Responsible Carrier Program
RCW	Revised Code of Washington (State)
RM	River Mile
RRT	Regional Response Team
SLNM	Special Local Notice to Mariners
SOC	Standard of Care
STBL	Ship to be Lightered
SOLAS	Safety of Life at Sea
STCW	Standards for Training, Certification, and Watchkeeping for Seafarers
TSS	Traffic Separation Scheme
UKC	Under Keel Clearance
USCG	United States Coast Guard
VRP	Vessel Response Plan
WAC	(State of) Washington Administrative Code
WDFW	Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife
WDNR	Washington Department of Natural Resources
WX	Weather