MINUTE ITEM

This Calendar Item No. 29 was approved instant No. 29 Commission oy a vote of 2 to 20 at its 1130177 CALENDAR ITEM meeting.

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AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS IN 2 CALIFORNIA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE; ARTICLES 1, 2, 2.5, 10 AND 11

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Recently signed legislation (SB 349 - Nejedly - Chapter 431, Statutes of 1977) regarding private recreational piers will require the Commission to change its general leasing regulations to conform to the legislative directive contained in the new Law. Staff will also investigate the need to make other changes to its general leasing regulations to insure prudent land management practices.

On January 1, 1978 new changes to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) will become effective (AB 884, McCarthy -Chapter 1200, Statutes of 1977, among others). The new CEQA changes will require State and local agencies to revise their existing environmental documentation procedures. Staff is now in the process of revising existing procedures so as to conform fully with the directives and intent of CEQA and the Resources Secretary's guidelines.

Staff is also investigating the need to revise existing regulations regarding the salvage of abandoned personal property on State lands, with the aim of developing a comprehensive plan for such salvage operations.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZE SUCH STEPS AS MAY BE NECESSARY AND APPROPRIATE, INCLUDING PUBLICATION AND PUBLIC HEARING, AS SET FORTH IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES ACT, IN ORDER TO AMEND TITLE 2, DIVISION 3, ARTICLES 1, 2, 2.5, 10 AND 11 OF THE CALIFORNIA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE.