

Title 2, Division 3, Chapter 1,

**Article 4.7 Performance Standards for the Discharge of Ballast Water For Vessels
Operating in California Waters**

**Section 2294. Implementation Schedule for Interim Performance Standards for
Ballast Water Discharges**

Section 2293 applies to vessels in accordance with the following schedule:

- (a) Beginning January 1, ~~2010~~ 2009, for vessels constructed on or after that date with a ballast water capacity of less than or equal to 5,000 metric tons.
- (b) Beginning January 1, 2012, for vessels constructed on or after that date with a ballast water capacity greater than 5,000 metric tons.
- (c) Beginning January 1, 2014, for vessels constructed before January 1, 2009, with a ballast water capacity of 1,500 metric tons or more but not more than 5,000 metric tons.
- (d) Beginning January 1, 2016, for vessels constructed before January 1, 2009, with a ballast water capacity of less than 1,500 metric tons or greater than 5,000 metric tons.

Authority: Sections 71201.7 and 71205.3, Public Resources Code

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