

1 15A NCAC 10F .0307 is proposed for amendment under temporary procedures as follows:

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3 **15A NCAC 10F .0307 CATAWBA, IREDELL, LINCOLN, AND MECKLENBURG COUNTIES**

4 (a) Regulated Area. This Rule shall apply to Lake Norman in Catawba, Iredell, Lincoln, and Mecklenburg counties:

- 5 (1) within 50 yards of the shoreline at Jetton Park in Mecklenburg County, from a point on the west
6 side of the park at 35.47082 N, 80.90427 W, south and around the point at 35.46703 N, 80.90360
7 W, then northeast to a point at 35.47262 N, 80.89727 W;
- 8 (2) Bluff Point Cove in Cornelius shore to shore, east of a line from a point 50 yards west of the south
9 shore of the cove mouth at 35.45327 N, 80.89520 W to a point 50 yards west of the north shore of
10 the cove mouth at 35.45487 N, 80.89440 W; and
- 11 (3) the cove immediately north of the inlet of Hager Creek in Iredell County, north of a line from a point
12 on the north shore at 35.55760 N, 80.94730 W southwest to a point on the island at the inlet of Hager
13 Creek at 35.55695 N, 80.94971 W, and east of a line from the same point on the island northwest to
14 a point on the north shore at 35.55754 N, 80.95029 W.

15 (b) Speed Limit. No person shall operate a vessel at greater than no wake speed within the regulated areas described
16 in Paragraph (a) of this Rule and as set forth in G.S. 75A-14.1.

17 (c) Swimming Areas. No person operating or responsible for the operation of a vessel shall permit it to enter any
18 marked swimming area on the waters of Lake Norman.

19 (d) Placement and Maintenance of Markers. The Lake Norman Marine Commission shall be the designated agency
20 for placement and maintenance of navigational aids and regulatory markers on the waters of Lake Norman.

21 (e) Vessel Liveries. Vessel liveries operating on Lake Norman shall conduct the following activities with each vessel
22 renter prior to relinquishing control of the vessel:

- 23 (1) a pre-rental vessel inspection to ensure that safety equipment required by Rule .0201 of this
24 Subchapter is on board and accessible; and
- 25 (2) provide and review instruction on safe operation of the vessel rented including review of navigation
26 rules in G.S. 75A-6.1, operating restrictions in G.S. 75A-10, an electronic or waterproof
27 navigational map of Lake Norman, and the U.S. Coast Guard's U.S. Aids to Navigation System
28 pamphlet.

29 Documentation of adherence to these requirements shall be signed by both parties and be available for inspection by
30 law enforcement officers upon request from the livery company for up to two years and from the vessel renter while
31 that individual is in control of the vessel.

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33 *History Note: Authority G.S. 75A-3; 75A-15;*

34 *Eff. February 1, 1976;*

35 *Amended Eff. July 1, 1998; October 1, 1992; May 1, 1989; March 25, 1978;*

36 *Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. December*
37 *6, 2016;*

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