To: DSO-VEs, SO-VEs, FSO-VEs

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Subj: Instructions for ordering Vessel Safety Check Decals; year 2010

The 2010 VSC decals have been shipped to the Auxiliary National Supply Center (ANSC). The overall supply should be more than adequate to meet our demands and the demands of our partners.

This year's USCG Auxiliary distribution plan will be similar to the one used last year. The quantity of decals received at each unit level will be a function of the past year's performance. ANSC has already been given the quantities and will deliver that number of decals and VSC Examination Record forms, ANSC 7012, upon receiving your order request. Either the unit's elected officer or the materials office must place the order. USPS members should obtain ordering information from their squadron commanders.

However, in order to correct the potential for distribution shortfalls we have instituted the following procedures:

- 1. Use the 2010 order form: VSCDECALFM 2010 dated 12/30/09 (attached)
- 2. Flotilla orders will be filled first.
- 3. Flotilla quantities have been pre-determined based on previous performance plus a growth factor.
- 4. District and Division reserves will be shipped out when Flotilla orders have all been filled. No later then 01 April 2010

Additional decals must be ordered from the Division's VE staff officer and not ANSC.

In summary, Flotillas are encouraged to order their allotment of decals as soon as possible. There is no need to list the quantity, ANSC has the predetermined amounts for each unit. Order your supplemental VE materials to assist in spreading the RBS message throughout the boating community.

Send decal orders to:

Auxiliary National Supply Center 1301 First Street Suite E River's Edge Granite City, IL 62040-1803 VESSEL SAFETY CHECK

Or Fax to 618-452-4249