





The Marine Mammal Regulations apply to all boaters including commercial and recreational boaters. However, a vessel “in transit” would not be considered to disturb marine mammals for the purposes of the regulations. The Marine Mammal Regulations do not apply provided the cruise ship does not divert its course for the purposes of marine mammal watching.

Additional information on marine mammals is available on our website: <http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/species-especes/mammals-mammiferes/watching-observation/index-eng.html>.

**Do you support the project proposal? Yes ☒ No ☐ Any additional comments?**

It is also the proponent’s *Duty to Notify* DFO if they have caused, or are about to cause, the death of fish by means other than fishing and/or the harmful alteration, disruption or destruction of fish habitat. Such notifications should be directed to (<http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/pnw-ppe/CONTACT-eng.html>).

If you have any questions please contact Rick Kiriluk at our Burlington office at 905-336-4560 or by email at [Rick.Kiriluk@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:Rick.Kiriluk@dfo-mpo.gc.ca).

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