FAQ's

What is the actual regulation being changed?

5 AAC 75.076(a) is simply changing the year from 2023 to 2024 and performing other minor editorial changes on forms used by ADF&G for the sport fishing Saltwater Charter Logbook and Vessel Registration and freshwater Vessel Registration required to be completed by sport fishing guides.

Why is this regulation being changed?

A law called the "Alaska Administrative Procedures Act" requires that forms that are referenced in regulation comply with the Alaska Administrative Procedures Act if any changes in the regulatory language occur. This includes a public notice process. In this case, because the year is specifically referenced in the regulatory language, it needs to be changed on a yearly basis in accordance with the Alaska Administrative Procedures Act.

How can I tell what specifically is changing in the regulatory text?

The Department of Law's drafting standards are that any new language is **bolded and <u>underlined</u>** while deletions are [BRACKETED AND CAPITALIZED].