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Title 46 —Shipping

Chapter I —Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security

Subchapter D —Tank Vessels

Part 31 —Inspection and Certification

Subpart 31.05 —Certificates of Inspection

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§ 31.05-10 Period of validity for a Certificate of Inspection—TB/ALL.

- (a) A Certificate of Inspection is valid for 5 years.
- (b) Application may be made by the master, owner, or agent for inspection and issuance of a new certificate of inspection at any time during the period of validity of the current certificate.
- (c) Certificates of inspection may be revoked or suspended by the Coast Guard where such process is authorized by law. This may occur if the vessel does not meet the requirements of law or regulations in this chapter or if there is a failure to maintain the safety requirements requisite to the issuance of a certificate of inspection.

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