## PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE BOARD

## OF WILDLIFE COMMISSIONERS

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EXPLANATION - Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 488.045, 488.400, 501.181 and 501.243.

A REGULATION relating to watercraft; revising the provisions relating to the reckless or negligent operation of a vessel; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Section 1.** NAC 488.435 is hereby amended to read as follows:

488.435 Each of the following acts endangers life, limb or property and constitutes prima facie evidence of reckless or negligent operation of a vessel:

- 1. Riding on the bow, gunwale [, transom or swim platform] or transom of a [vessel propelled by machinery and] motorboat underway at a speed greater than 5 nautical miles per hour, unless the act is done by a vessel's crewmen in managing a sail.
- 2. Maneuvering a towed skier or device so as to pass the towline over another vessel or its skier.
  - 3. Navigating any vessel, skis or device between a towing vessel and its tow.
- 4. Operating a motorboat while any person is hanging onto, or sitting, standing or riding on, a swim platform or a swim ladder that is attached to the motorboat.