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11 CSR 50-5.010 Diver’s Flag

PURPOSE: The Missouri State Highway Patrol shall establish safety standards for divers for the public health and welfare. This rule establishes diver’s flag regulations.

- (1) A diver’s flag is to be rectangular and a minimum of twelve inches by sixteen inches (12" x 16"). The flag will be red in color except for a two-inch (2") white diagonal stripe running from top left to lower right corner.
- (2) Flags should be displayed so that the top of the flag shall be a minimum of three feet (3') above the water if they are displayed on any type of buoyant device with the exception of a boat or a raft; then displayed so as to be visible at a three hundred sixty degree (360°) angle.
- (3) The flag may be exhibited only during diving operation.

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