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*AUTHORITY: sections 306.161, RSMo 1994 and 536.023(3), RSMo Supp. 1999. Original rule filed Dec. 30, 1975, effective Jan. 9, 1976. Amended: Filed Dec. 16, 1999, effective July 30, 2000. Rescinded: Filed Feb. 7, 2019, effective Aug. 30, 2019.*

*Op. Atty. Gen. No. 124, Wilson, 8-31-79. Water patrolmen may not randomly and arbitrarily stop a watercraft without “reasonable suspicion” in order to inspect that watercraft for compliance with the provisions of Chapter 306, RSMo.*

*Superceded by opinion 141-85 issued Dec. 27, 1985 because of United States Supreme Court decision addressing vehicle stops for D.W.I. checks and revision of 306.165, RSMo (1978). Also opinion 92-84 referencing boating while intoxicated check points issued July 13, 1984.*

*Op. Atty. Gen. No. 221, Bond, 6-18-74. Under the provisions of Senate Bill No. 1, 77th General Assembly, First Extraordinary Session, where a division (here, Division of Water Safety) is created by statute and an existing agency is transferred to it by “Type I” transfer, the department head has the power that s/he would if the agency were transferred by “Type I” transfer to the department except s/he may not abolish the division and s/he may assign the function of the previously existing agency to another division in the department.*

*Op. Atty. Gen. No. 385, Buford, 10-19-71. The Missouri Boat Commission has no authority or enforcement powers on or with respect to Thomas Hill Reservoir.*

*Statute updated by HB 1374 of 76th General Assembly. Definition of waters of this state changed to include Thomas Hill Reservoir.*