IN THE MATTER OF : APPLICATION #034/9904-348

CANDLEWOOD LAKE
A.K. WATER SKI ASSOCIATION

JANUARY 19, 2000

FINAL DECISION

Having reviewed the hearing officer's *Proposed Final Decision*, I affirm the officer's findings and conclusions and her recommendation to GRANT the application for a permit to place markers for a water ski slalom course on Candlewood Lake in Danbury, Connecticut in accordance with the amended draft permit as modified in the proposed decision. Connecticut General Statutes §15-134(f).

I further adopt the following clarification to the *Proposed Final Decision*. Paragraph 6, page 5 of the *Findings of Fact* is amended as follows.

"The minimum distance to the nearest shore *on the western side of the course* would be 160 feet at one section of the course, *relative to* the location of the outermost buoy. *On the eastern side of the course*, approximately 700 feet *to* 1,000 feet of open water would be left for general navigation on the lake, which typically runs in a north/south direction." (*New language italicized*.)

January 19, 2000

Date

/s/ Arthur J. Rocque, Jr.

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Commissioner