

ALASKA MARINE RADIO DIRECTORY PUBLISHED

Anchorage, Alaska—RCA Alaska Communications, Inc., has published an "Alaska Marine Radio Directory" which lists vessels, their call signs and owners, along with practical information on the use of Class II B Coastal Harbor and Class III B VHF Maritime radio services offered by RCA Alascom.

The directory, which is an expanded version of the "Marine Radio Directory" published previously, will be updated annually. RCA Alascom maintains marine radio services and installations for two-way communications between vessels and the land-based telephone network over a radiotelephone system.

The directory gives instructions on the use of the services, cost information and equipment requirements. An appendix gives frequencies for the various Alaska stations and equipment tables. Alascom maintains seven Public Coast Class II B stations and 13 Public Coast Class III B stations for the Maritime Mobil Service in Alaska.

Nearly 1,300 vessels are listed in the current directory. The directories, along with a United States Coast Guard booklet on Alaska Marine Communications and a letter outlining Federal Communications Commission rules on marine radio equipment, are being distributed without charge.

The information is being mailed out to persons whose vessels are listed in the directory, along with other interested persons and individuals upon request. Subsequent directories will be expanded to include more Alaskan vessels.

To obtain a directory, or to request a listing in next year's directory, interested persons should contact: Marketing Department, RCA Alaska Communications, Inc., 4465 Business Park Drive, Anchorage, Alaska 99503. Persons wishing to list their vessels should include the name of the vessel, its call sign and the owner.
