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TO: ALAUX  
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SUBJ: AUXILIARY-SEA SCOUT YOUTH DEVELOPMENT (AUXSCOUT) PROGRAM – SOP REVISION

1. In November 2019, the inaugural national Auxiliary-Sea Scout Youth Development (AUXSCOUT) Program Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) document was issued to provide information and policy for the conduct of enhanced partnering between the Auxiliary and the Sea Scouts. It was last revised in October 2022 to address new AUXDATA II entry guidance and new provisions including the requirement of at least one adult (i.e., 18 years of age or older) Auxiliarist or Sea Scout leader to have specified training when conducting certain activities with Sea Scout youths.
2. The AUXSCOUT SOP has been revised again. New key provisions include:
  - a. Termination of authorization for enrollment of Sea Scout youth under 17 years of age stemming from renewal of the AUXSCOUT Letter of Intent (LOI).
  - b. Boy Scouts of America's new moniker, Scouting America, is predominantly applied throughout this SOP.
  - c. All references to the Coast Guard Auxiliary Association, Inc. have been removed because it is no longer a party to the AUXSCOUT LOI.
3. The revised AUXSCOUT SOP (AUX-SOP-002(E)) will be posted on the Chief Director of Auxiliary website (SOP section [SOPs \(https://www.uscgaux.info/content.php?unit=BX-GROUP&category=sop\)](https://www.uscgaux.info/content.php?unit=BX-GROUP&category=sop)) on or about May 08, 2025, and is also available on the Coast Guard Auxiliary Youth Programs website (<https://auxscout.com>).
4. Internet release is authorized.

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