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**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2010**

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RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- REGULATION OF BOATS

Introduced By: Senators Felag, Bates, DiPalma, Paiva-Weed, and C Levesque

Date Introduced: February 04, 2010

Referred To: Senate Environment & Agriculture

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1           SECTION 1. Chapter 46-22 of the General Laws entitled "Regulation of Boats" is hereby  
2 amended by adding thereto the following section:  
3           **46-22-13.2. Bridge safety.** – [All ships whose primary cargo is liquefied natural gas as](#)  
4 [defined in USC title 49, section 60101\(11\) shall have at least thirty feet \(30'\) of clearance under](#)  
5 [all of Rhode Island's bridges. This section shall not apply to boats under sail.](#)  
6           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
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- 1           This act would require all ships, except those under sail, whose primary cargo is liquefied
- 2 natural gas to have at least thirty feet (30') of clearance under all Rhode Island's bridges.
- 3           This act would take effect upon passage.

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