

**SAMPLE  
ABANDONED VESSEL LEGAL NOTICE**

**CAUTION:**

**THIS IS A SAMPLE LEGAL NOTICE ONLY PROVIDED AS A COURTESY TO MEMBERS OF THE MASSACHUSETTS MARINE TRADES ASSOCIATION. THIS DOCUMENT MUST BE CAREFULLY TAILORED TO SUIT THE INDIVIDUAL FACTS. USE OF OR REFERENCE TO THIS SAMPLE NOTICE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE LEGAL ADVICE OR CERTAINTY THAT ALL LEGAL REQUIREMENTS HAVE OR WILL BE MET.**

**IF IN DOUBT, CONSULT YOUR OWN LEGAL COUNSEL WITH SPECIFIC FACTS AND QUESTIONS.**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 255, Section 17, [Marina, Inc.] has a lien for [boat storage and services] in the amount of \$ [\_\_\_\_\_] plus interest on a [23' O'Day Sailboat known as *Millstone*] last known owner(s) being [a Davy Jones of 59 Nathaniel Bowditch Street South Dartmouth, MA 02748] that is stored at [Marina, Inc.'s] facility at [23 Some Street Salem, MA 01970]. Said vessel will be sold through [public or private sale] at [Marina, Inc. in Salem, Massachusetts] on [Thursday, November 29, 2008 at 9:00 AM], a date which is at least ninety (90) days from the last of three (3) anticipated consecutive days' legal notice publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the city (ies) or town(s) of each owner of record unless said lien is satisfied. All inquiries should be directed to [Marina, Inc.] at the address above or via telephone at [978-555-1212.]