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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Type of Survey CHART COMPILATION

Field No. PH-6606 Office No. T-13010

LOCALITY

State GEORGIA-FLORIDA

General locality APALACHICOLA RIVER

Locality DEAD LAKE -

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CHIEF OF PARTY

V. Ralph Sobieralski Div. of Photogrammetry, Wash. D. C.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES ADMINISTRATION COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT - DATA RECORD

T-13010

Chart 644SC

FIELD INSPECTION BY (II):	DATE:
Edited by William H. Shearouse	May 8, 1968
MEAN HIGH WATER LOCATION (III) (STATE DATE AND METHOD OF LOCATION):	
PROJECTION AND GRIDS RULED BY (IV): Marine Charts Section	DATE
PROJECTION AND GRIDS CHECKED BY (IV): Marine Charts Section	DATE
CONTROL PLOTTED BY (III):	DATE
Henri Lucas	Sept. 1967
CONTROL CHECKED BY (III):	DATE
John C. Richter	Sept. 1967
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Manuscript Delineated By (III): Martha Webber, John C. Richter, Henri Lucas	DATE Sept. 1967 Jan, 1968
SCRIBING BY (III):	DATE
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PHOTOGRAMMETRIC OFFICE REVIEW BY (III):	

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES ADMINISTRATION COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT - DATA RECORD Chart 644 SC

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	PH	IOTOGRAPHS (III)					
NUMBER	DATE	TIME	SCALE	S	STAGE OF TIDE		
65M 617 thru 622 65M 589 thru 593 * 65L (C) 7092+7185	Oct. 24, 1965 Oct. 24, 1965	10:10 to 10:1 09:15 to 09:20		No ^I idal Waters			
7188–7204 7207–7302	Oct. 16,1965	08:25-11:35	1:40,000				
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WASHINGTON OFFICE REVIEW BY (IV): J. P. Battley					May 1969		
PROOF EDIT BY (IV):		,		DATE:			
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^{* 1:40,000} Color Photography listed for Entire project.

Summary to Accompany Descriptive Reports T-13006 thru T-13012 PH-6606 February 1970

This project consists of seven 1:40,000 scale Chart Compilation Manuscripts compiled to provide the base for new chart 644-SC. The area covered is the Apalachicola River from its mouth at the town of Apalachicola (T-13012), north to its end at the Jim Woodruff Dam. From the dam the Chattahoochee River continues northwest (T-13006) and the Flint River branches northeast (T-13008).

Field inspection of the project area was limited to the premarking of control and was completed in September 1965. The area was flown in October 1965 providing 1:70,000 scale panchromatic bridging photography, 1:40,000 scale compilation photography and 1:15,000 scale color for location of aids.

As a result of higher priority projects, completion of an analytical bridge was not realized until July 1967. Six strips of 1:70,000 scale panchromatic photographs were bridged. Due to the lack of control a block adjustment was used to tie the strips together.

The Washington compilation office completed the B-8 compilation of the seven manuscripts in May 1968. The manuscripts were compiled following the general instructions for compiling topography to chart scale. Except in the area of T-13012, there is no existing chart for comparison and subsequent revision.

Field edit was accomplished from March thru June 1968 and encompassed the location of extensive day beacons, channel markers and lights. In addition the river abounds in piling, dolphins, snags and single piles - most of which were located during field edit. A complete geographic names check was also made during field edit.

The application of field edit data was completed in the Washington compilation office in November 1968. The Marine Chart Division revised their needs at that time and the project was set aside for higher priority work.



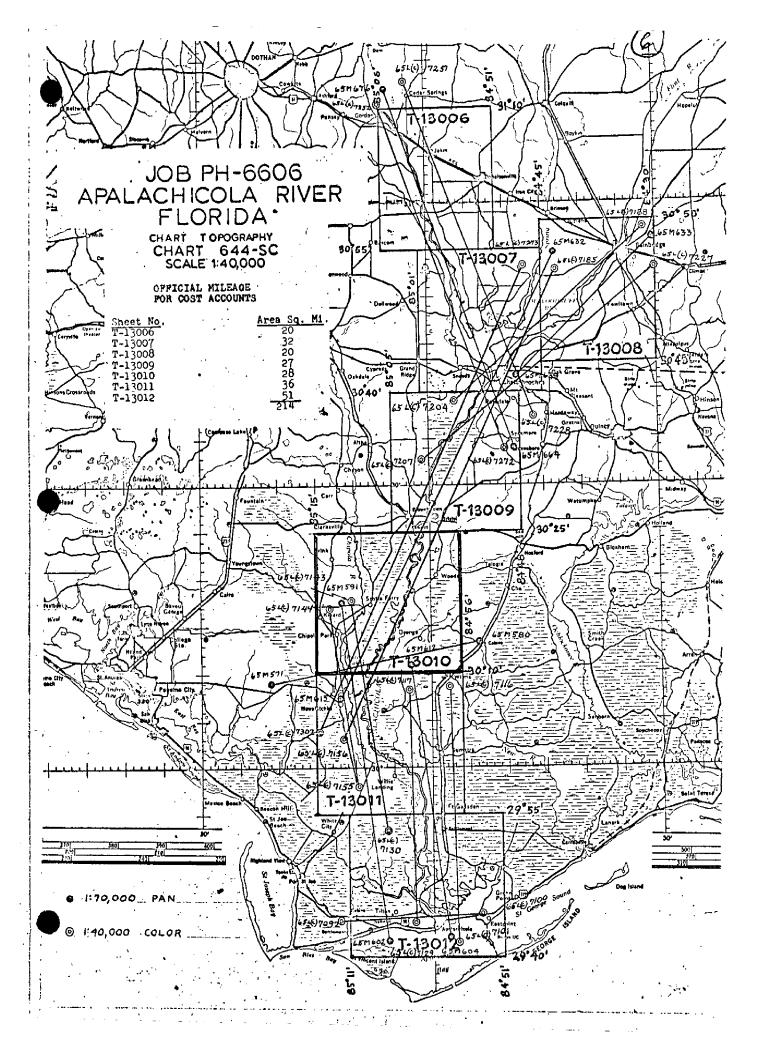
T-13012 was reviewed and copy forwarded to Marine Charts to serve as a revision base for Charts 1262, 866 and 865. Forms 567's were listed, scaled and submitted for each sheet.

A Chart Division Manuscript copy of each manuscript was supplied the Marine Chart Division.

Registration manuscript copies will be registered in the Bureau Archives under their respective T-numbers.

Submitted by,

Jeter P. Battley, Jr.
J. P. Battley, Jr.



PROTOGRAMMETRIC PLOT REPORT Job PH-6606 Apalachicola River, Florida

July 14, 1967

21. Area Covered

This report covers the Apalachicols and Chattahooches Rivers, Florida, and consists of seven (7) 1:40,000 scale T-sheets, T-13006 thru T-13012.

22. Method

Analytic serotriangulation methods were used to bridge six strips, consisting of 1:70,000 scale panchromatic photography taken with the RC-9 camera. Common tie points were drilled on plates between all strips where applicable.

Because of placement and lack of control, a block adjustment was used to the together Strips 1, 5, 6 and part of Strip 3.

The attached sketch shows the strips bridged and the placement of triangulation furnished that were used in the adjustment.

Mercator values have been furnished for all bridge points on the IBM readout.

23. Adequacy of Control

All horizontal control was premarked with white panels with the exception of a subpoint for WEWAHITCHKA, EMPIRE SERVICE CO. SILVER TANK, 1934. One USGS station No. 1272 centerline of the public road at the crossing of Apalachicola Northern Railroad was used and held with WILMA FIRE TOWER, 1938. (See USGS Sumatra Quadrangle pamphlet.)

Although horizontal control was sparse, it is believed adequate for 1:40,000 scale charting.

Vertical control needed for the adjustment was taken from USGS quadrangles.

The definition and quality of the "M" photography is fair. The coverage is adequate.

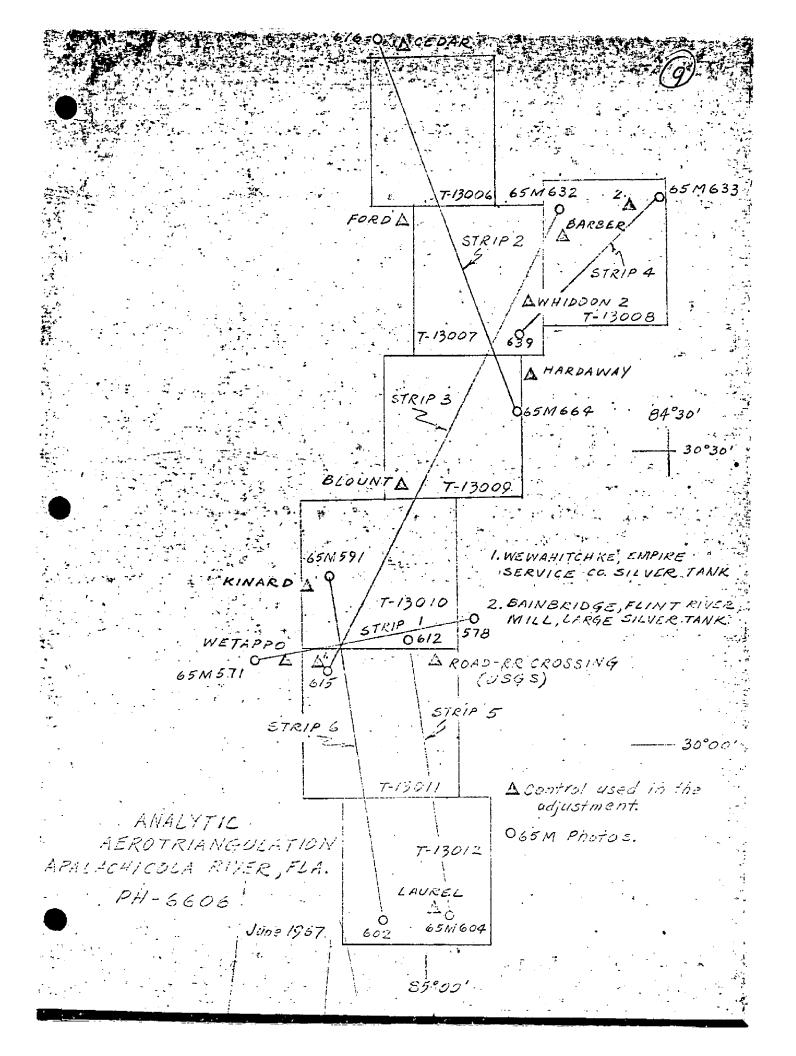
Respectfully submitted,

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- Irving I. Saperstein

Approved and forwarded,

Senty P. Eichert Acting Chief, Aerotriengulation Seption



COMPILATION REPORT PROJECT PH-6606 T-13010 APALACHICOLA, FLORIDA SEPT. 1967

31. Delineation

Compilation was done on the B-8 Stereo-Plotter at manuscript scale 1:40,000. Color photographs (scale 1:40,000) were also used to assist with delineation. The Marine Chart Division furnished compilation limits of approximately 5 miles wide. Field edit is to be accomplished to provide information for charting aids to navigation etc.

32.CControl

See photogrammetric plot report.

33. Supplementa: Data

U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Navigation Charts and colored aerial photographs were flown at 1:40,000 and were used for comparison or assistance during compilation.

34. Contours and Drainage

The largest named creeks or rivers that are tributaries of the Apalachicola River and Dead Lake are included on this manuscript. No Contours.

35. Shoreline and Alongshore Details

Using USCE charts and aerial photograph models, landings along the Apalachicola River were located. Shoreline buildings were located by stereo plotter. Shoreline inspection to be done during field edit for these features. This chart is not within the area of tidal waters.

36. Offshore Details

Offshore details appear in the form of a few shoal lines and cypress in Dead Lake.

37. Landmark and Aids

None were located by office. To be located during field edit.

38. Control for Future Surveys

None

39. Junctions

Junctions were made to the North with T-13009 and to the South with T-13011.

40. Horizontal and Vertical Accuracy

This survey complies with the national standards of accuracy.

41. thru 45.

Inapplicable

46. Comparison with Existing Maps

Comparison was made with the following USGS Quads, Dead Lake,



Estiffanulga and Orange, Florida. All are edition of 1945 with contour interval 10 feet.

47. Comparison with Nautical Charts
No Nautical Charts in this area.

Approved by

Kal. N. Maki

Chief, Compilation Section

Submitted by

Henri Lucas

FIELD EDIT REPORT

JOB PH-6606

MAPS T-13009 and T-13010

In accordance with Instructions--FIELD EDIT--Job PH-6606; Chart Topography, Chart 644-SC; Apalachicola River, Alabama, Florida, and Georgia (C1413).

51. METHODS

Visual comparison of shoreline delineation of the river and principle tributaries was made. Where corrections or addition of shoreline structures are needed, these have been indicated on the photographs, reference to the photo number being recorded on the Field Edit Cheet.

Roads and streets were ridden to verify existence as compiled. Those in map T-13010 were classified before oral instructions were received that classification was no longer required. Highway numbers have been recorded on the Field Edit Sheet and/or photograph from posted highway signs. Official State of Florida County Transportation Maps arecalso furnished as part of project data.

Isolated buildings and others of chart landmark value have been circled on the photographs. Many interior buildings were compiled. These were not inspected because they are not considered applicable to the small-craft chart.

Some concern is felt over the omission of a number of creeks flowing into or out of the main river. It is respectfully suggested that further effort be made to add some of these. Without actually following the stream through the swamp, some have been indicated on the photographs. These are evident by the notes that will be found on the photos. Also, it may be helpful to refer to the U. S. Geological quadrangle maps for guidance. I believe these maps are reasonably reliable for the streams. It applears that since the chart is largely for small-craft operators—sportsmen and the like—the addition of some of these creeks would make it more useful.

There are no landmarks for charts in map T-13010. Three were found in T-13009. They were indicated on the Field Edit



Sheet, identified on the photographs and Form 567 executed.

Nonfloating Aids are confined to ranges. These range day-beacons are rectangular boards approximately 3' x 6' in size, mounted on 4" x 4" posts and are international orange in color with a 8" whate reflecting stripe down the middle. These are placed by the U. S. Coast Guard at spots designated by the Corps of Engineers and are for the purpose of navigating short reaches of the river channel. In no case was the distance between front and rear markers found to be more than 125 feet. Practically all are less than 100 feet apart, some being under 50. At the scale of 1:40,000, it was considered impractical to obtain a point-on-range as it would be meaningless. Therefore, points on range were omitted.

It will be noted that these daybeacons are shown in the 1967 Light List as "white square slatted daymark on post", and "10 yards" from front to rear daybeacon in each instance. The Coast Guart informs us that these all have been replaced in the past 1 to 3 years.

None of the range daybeacons could be seen on the photographs or transparencies, nor were they located at places where direct marking could be done (such as on a sharp, well-defined point of land) with desired accuracy. The Coast Guard has geographic positions but in testing them they appear to be less accurate than we would like. The Corps of Engineers do not have positions on them. They do have a third-order traverse along the river banks and in the cases of Ranges "F", "H", "L", "Q", and "T" their stations were used to tie-in the range daybeacons. In addition to angles and distances submitted on appropriate forms, coordinates as furnished by the Corps of Engineers are also transmitted so that the positions of the markers may be computed or graphically plotted.

Other ranges had to be located photogrammetrically. The 1:40,000 scale color photographs were used and images such as overhanging trees, tiny beaches, etc., identified and used in theodolite fixes. A set-up was made at or near one of the day-beacons and a "round" of angles observed, distances being measured to one or both markers as the set-up required. These were in turn, laid out graphically on sheets of paper, fixed under the cronaflex print of the map manuscript and the positions of the range markers thus obtained, pricked and labelled. None of these have been scaled but a single guidance copy of Form 567 is submitted.



Range "F" had only a single marker, believed to be Range Front. Ranges "N", "NN" and "U" are shown in the 1967 Light List, but do not exist. Coast Guard authorities were questioned regarding these omissions. Their answer: "we are waiting for the Corps of Engineers to tell us where to put them".

In addition to the cronaflex and Field Edit Sheets, field edit information will be found on photos: 6517140, 7143, 7146, 7147, 7148, 7161, 7162, 7163, 7164, 7165, 7166, 7167, 7168, 7169, 7172, 7173, 7174, 7176, 7177, 7210, 7211, 7212, 7284, 7285, 7286, 7287, 7288, 7290, 7291, 7292, 7294, 7295, 7296, 7297, and 7298.

Violet ink was used for all field edit notes.

52. ADEQUACY OF COMPILATION

After application of field edit corrections, additions and deletions, compilation will be adaquate.

53. MAP ACCURACY

No tests were made.

54. RECOMMENDATIONS

None offered.

55. EXAMINATION OF PROOF COPY

Not required.

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

This is the subject of a separate report.

Submitted May 8, 1968

William H. Shearouse Chief, Photo Party 60

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Review Report T-13006 thru T-13011 Chart Compilation Manuscripts

61. General Statement

See summary in preface.

62. Comparison with Registered Topographic Surveys

None

63. Comparison with Maps of Other Agencies

Comparison was made with the latest USGS quadrangle of the areas. See item 46 of the compilation report for a listing of these quads by individual T-sheets. A Corps of Engineers booklet comprised of photo-mosaics compiled in April 1966 was available throughout the project area for comparison. This was helpful in spoting the approximate location of range markers for use by field edit.

64. Comparison with Contemporary Hydrographic Surveys

None - no existing surveys in the area.

65. Comparison with Nautical Charts

None - no charts published for this area.

66. Adequacy of Results and Future Surveys

These surveys complied with the project instructions in every respect and meet the National Standards of Map Accuracy. Utilizing the latest analytic bridging methods, and following this with a B-8 stereoplotter compilation supplemented with a most thorough field edit, these manuscripts will provide a base for an excellent chart and any subsequent revision needs.

67. Geographic Names

A thorough geographic names investigation was conducted for this project. A listing of approved geographic names is included in each report.

Approved by,

Chief, Photogrammetric Br., p.

Reviewed by,

Cartographer

Chief, Photogrammetry Div.

Chief, Marine Charts Div.



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GEOGRAPHIC NAMES
FINAL NAME SHEET
PH-6606 (Apalachicola River, Fla.)
T-13010

Abe Springs - Outside limits

Acorn Lake

Apalachicola National Forest

Apalachicola River

Baker Branch

Beazly Hammock

Big Gully Creek

Bee Tree Slough

Blazed Pine Landing

Boggy Branch

Brown Lake

Brown Lake Creek

Bullhead Bay

Baker Slough (see report) professor

Farmin Island

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Hicks Creek" " Janfajw

Buzzard Lake
Camp Branch
Carter Landing
Chesser Landing
Chipola Park
Chipola River
Coconut Bluff
Coon Creek
Coon Landing
County Line Creek
Crooked Creek
Cypress Creek
Dead Lake
Dead River

Deason Branch



GEOGRAPHIC NAMES FINAL NAME SHEET PH-6606 (Apalachicola River, Fla.) T-13010

Devils Branch - beyond limits Devils Swamp - beyond limits

- Dicks Point
- Dog Slough
- Dunham Branch
- Equaloxic Creek
- Estiffanulga
- Estiffanulga Pond
- Fish Lake

Fish Pond (changed to Estiffanoly a Rend) graff Hughes Creek (creek)
Florida River
Flowers Still delete (see report)

Tamonia Late

Florida River

= Flat Creek (see report) g.w.f.

Franklin Juniper Swamp beyon Franklin Pond - beyond limits Frink - beyond limits

- Frozen Bluff
- Greenback Lake
- Gregory Mill Creek
- Gunn Landing (2)
- Hageman Cut

Iola Lake - (7-13011)

Johnson Juniper Swamp beyond Juniper Creek-beyond limits

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GEOGRAPHIC NAMES
FINAL NAME SHEET
PH-6606 (Apalachicola River, Fla.)
T-13010

VJuniper Swamp
Kennedy Creek - beyond limits

Kinard

Lake Kake Mystic - 7.10

Landy Lake

Little Gully Creek

Little Honey Pond

Long Pond - beyond limits

Long Ridge

Lots Mill Creek

Mary Branch

Mary Slough

McDougal Lake .

✓Middle Slough

Miller Lake

Mud Swamp

Muscogee Lake

Muscogee Landing

Muscogee Reach

-Mosquito Landing

≥ Old River

Orange outside limits

✓ Outside Lake

Patsy Branch not compiled

Fitts Mill Creek

-Pitts Mill Pond

Point Polaway

Porter Lake

Polaway Cutoff (see report)

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES FINAL NAME SHEET PH-6606 (Apalachicola River, Fla.) T-13010

- Porter Landing
- Porter Landing Road
- > Porter Reach
- Power Landing
- Queen City Lake
- ► Queen City Point
- Raccoon Slough
- Red Bug Island
- Red Hill
- Ricko Bluff
- Rudy Slough
- Sand Slough River Swamp (see report) graff

A. Joseph Wraight Chief Geog rapher Prepared by:

Scotts Ferry

Shuler Branch

Smith Landing

Telogia Creek

Woods Branch

Wind Lake

Sheppard Lake not visible on photography

Shingle Landing (2)

Susan Scott Branch

Cartographic Technician

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COAST AND GEODE

COMMERCE BURVEY

NONFLOATING AIDS CORCECTED MARKETS FOR CHARTS

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C&GS FORM 567

Chattaboochee, Fla.

19.68 April 25

I recommend that the following objects which have XIIXECXIIII been inspected from seaward to determine their value as landmarks be charted on KNGGGCGGGG, the charts indicated.

Dennis E. Dearborn The positions given have been checked after listing by ____

Renounce William H

21 CHARTS AFFECTED **55-779** Chief of Party. = E OFFEHORE CHART THAN POSTAN 89/6/7 LOCATION 4/2/68 DATE = = Ξ H. Shearouse hoto Plot METHOD OF LOCATION AND GURVEY No. -13010 -13009 ± = 2 = DATUM 1927 Willem 023.0 267.3 D. P. METERS 5000 2779 30.8 5.4 30.8 0.0 828 LONGITUDE 59.3 85 03.5 85 03.5 85 00.7 85 00.7 85 01.1 85 01.1 POSITION 85 03. 85 03 ٥. 28 917.9 D.M. METERS 230.9 24.6 0.80 のしら 4-70 LATITUDE # 26.5 30.26.5 30 18.2 30 17.1 30 18.2 30 26.1 30 26.2 30 17.1 with 2 daymarks BIGNAL unted All range daybeacons are orange rectangle verticle white center raflective atripe m APALACHICOLA RIVER DESCRIPTION Ranga_" A " Front " Front " B " Front " Front Range " G " Front Rango " C " Rear " Rear " Rear " Rear " Rear 13010 Range " E Range " E J Range " C Range "B Range " = Range Range FLORIDA 4"%4" pobt. ١١ Daybn CHANTING Solution 2 Daybu Z Daybn 2Daybn Daybn Daybu 'Daybu. Daybn Daybn BTATE

USCOMMEDE 16234PBI The data should be This form shall be prepared in accordance with Hydrographic Manual, Publication 20.2, Sec. 1-55, 2-39, 6-36, 7-18 to 22 inclusive, and Fig. 79. Positions of charted landmarks and nonfloating aits to navigation, if redetermined, shall be reported on this form. Revisious shall show both the old and new positions. considered for the charts of the area and not by individual field survey sheets. Information under each column heading should be given. * TABULATE SECONDS AND METERS