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Recommendations For Deficient Vessels Requiring an Escort Tug per USCG

1. A deficient vessel required to engage an escort tug while underway, per USCG mandate, should be assigned two pilots.
2. A deficient vessel at anchor or at a berth required to engage a standby tug, per USCG mandate, should be assigned a pilot.

*Nothing in the recommendation should be construed as limiting a pilot to exercise their judgement