## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY **UNITED STATES COAST GUARD**

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD, Complainant,

VS.

JOHN MICHAEL IVERY, Respondent.

Docket Number 2023-0206 Enforcement Activity No. 7710794

## CONSENT ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

On October 13, 2023, the United States Coast Guard (Coast Guard) filed a Motion for Default Order because John Michael Ivery (Respondent) had not filed an Answer to the Complaint served on June 12, 2023. The Coast Guard served the Motion for Default on Respondent by Federal Express on October 19, 2023.

On November 28, 2023, the parties in this case submitted a Motion for Approval of a Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Order to be approved as a settlement of the case under 33 C.F.R. § 20.502. Subsequently, on November 29, 2023, the Coast Guard requested that I "dismiss" the previous Motion for Default Order, since the parties had reached settlement.

After carefully reviewing the terms of the Settlement Agreement, I find that it is fair, reasonable, and in substantial compliance with the requirements of 33 C.F.R. § 20.502.

## <u>ORDER</u>

Upon consideration of the record, it is hereby **ORDERED** the Settlement Agreement is **APPROVED** in full and incorporated herein by reference. All other Motions are **DENIED** as **MOOT.** 

This Consent Order shall constitute full, final, and complete adjudication of this

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proceeding.

Done and dated this 11th day of January 2024, at Houston, Texas

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HON. TOMMY CANTRELL ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD