

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

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Complainant

vs.

WILLIAM VERON HIGGINS,
Respondent.

Docket Number 2024-0077
Enforcement Activity No. 7831799

CONSENT ORDER

Issued: March 5, 2024

By Administrative Law Judge: Honorable Timothy G. Stueve

Appearances:

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USCG Suspension & Revocation
National Center of Expertise

For the Coast Guard

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For Respondent

CONSENT ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

On or about February 28, 2024, the parties in this case submitted a Motion for Approval of Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Order to be approved as a settlement of the case under 33 C.F.R. § 20.502.

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

ORDER

Upon consideration of the record, it is hereby **ORDERED**, the Settlement Agreement is **APPROVED** in full and incorporated herein by reference. This Consent Order shall constitute full, final, and complete adjudication of this proceeding.

Done and dated March 5, 2024, at
Alameda, California



Hon. Timothy G. Stueve
Administrative Law Judge
U.S. Coast Guard