

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY  
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD**

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD,	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	Docket Number: 2024-0561
vs.	)	
	)	Enforcement Activity Number: 8037251
LESTER ENRIQUE MARTINEZ,	)	
Respondent.	)	

**CONSENT ORDER**

**Issued:** February 10, 2025

**By Order of Administrative Law Judge: Hon. Jennifer A. Mehaffey**

**Appearances:**

**For the Coast Guard**

Paul F. Lonardo  
USCG Sector Houston/Galveston

**For the Respondent**

Lester Enrique Martinez, *Pro se*

## **CONSENT ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

On February 6, 2025, the parties in this case submitted a Motion for Approval of a Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Order to the Administrative Law Judge for approval under 33 C.F.R. § 20.502.<sup>1</sup>

I have carefully reviewed the terms of the Settlement Agreement and find that it is fair, 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** that 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 February 10, 2025  
New York, NY

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HON. JENNIFER A. MEHAFFEY  
Administrative Law Judge  
United States Coast Guard

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<sup>1</sup> This is the parties' second submission of their Motion for Approval of Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Order (Motion). On January 31, 2025, I denied their previous Motion, filed on January 22, 2025, because the date of the Motion pre-dated the execution date of the Settlement Agreement.