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

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Complainant

VS.

TYLER DULLNIG

Respondent

Docket Number: 2024-0539 Enforcement Activity Number: 8000661

ORDER MEMORIALIZING PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE AND CONSENT ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

On November 8, 2024, the Coast Guard filed a Complaint against Tyler Dullnig (Respondent), seeking revocation of his Merchant Mariner Credential. On November 21, 2024, the Coast Guard filed a Motion for Approval of Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Order, to be approved as a settlement of this case under 33 C.F.R. § 20.502.

I held a telephonic conference with the parties on December 3, 2024, wherein I disclosed my knowledge of a prior suspension and revocation case involving Respondent that occurred while I was employed as an attorney at the Coast Guard Suspension and Revocation National Center of Expertise (S&R NCOE). After disclosure, I inquired if the parties wished to ask questions or raise concerns regarding the information. Neither party did so. I then inquired if the parties still agreed that settlement is the appropriate resolution to this case and that the agreement comports with Coast Guard law and policy. Again, both parties agreed and reiterated their request for an approval of the settlement agreement.

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Accordingly, in light of the information provided by the parties, 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.

WHEREFORE,

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the Motion for Approval of Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Order is **GRANTED**, and 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 December 4, 2024 Baltimore, Maryland

> HON. LINEKA N. QUIJANO ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

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